BISHNU BAJORIA PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Bishnu Bajoria, from Bankura, India, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 91st International Convention, held in Bangkok, Thailand, June 23-27, 2008.

Past Director Bajoria is the head of a distribution company for petroleum products, commercial vehicles, tractors, cement and iron & steel.

A charter member of the Lions Club of Bankura and a Lion since 1976, he has held many offices within the association, including district governor, multiple council treasurer, multiple district membership chairperson, Indian national membership coordinator, and treasurer of MDCCI. He was also the editor for LION Magazine India edition from 2010 to 2013, and he was the chairperson of the planning committee for the ISAAME Forum in 2009. He is currently the LCIF regional coordinator for MD 315 and MD 322.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards including three Extension Awards, Top 20 Leo Chairperson's Award, 100% District Governor's Award, nine Leadership Awards, four International President's Awards and the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association gives to its members. Past Director Bajoria is a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow and a life member of the association.

In addition to his Lions activities, Past Director Bajoria is active in numerous professional and community organizations. He is the chairman of S.N. Bajoria Memorial Bankura Lions Eye Care Center and served as the President of Bankura Chamber of Commerce for 13 years. He also regularly serves as an honorary judge in the local civil court.

Past Director Bajoria and his wife, Indra, also a Life Member and Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, have two sons and four grandchildren.