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Dr. Patti Hill Lions Club International President 2023-2024

Re: International Leadership Award and the Presidential Award

Dr. Patti Hill

I would like to endorse and nominate District Governor 51 E 2023-2024 Armando Rodríguez Bermúdez to be awarded the International Leadership Award and the Presidential Award. As Armando's collaborator for the past year 2023-2024, I have had the pleasure of seeing his exceptional leadership and critical thinking skills in action through the organization District 51 E.

Armando's ability to streamline processes, inspire productivity, and motivate his teammates has resulted in countless successful projects, exceeding all the objectives and beyond. Among the many admirable qualities he possesses, it is his service, dedication, and leadership that stand out most. He has indeed proven himself capable of taking on greater responsibilities and achieving accomplishments.

Armando's greatest strengths are his ability to communicate effectively and foster an environment encouraging growth and collaboration through the Puerto Rico Lions Clubs. We stand united because of his diplomacy, consistency And

Some of his Achievements are:

• Commitment to Mission 1.5: Successfully created filial clubs:

- Juncos Beauty with Purpose
- Juncos Integral Health
- Las Piedras filial Club
- Restructuring of:
  - Santurce Club
  - Luquillo Club
- Creation of:
  - 2 Cubs Clubs
  - 1 LEO Club in association with Boys & Girls Clubs of Puerto Rico
- Pioneering in PR: Elected as district governor with 97% of delegate votes, being openly part of the LGBTT community and legally married to his first gentleman. Paving the way for diversity.
- Unique District Governor: Selected to be the liaison with the International Office and Special Olympics in Puerto Rico by one of the former International Directors, Jorge Bortolozzi from Argentina.
- Peacemaker and Unifier: Attracts enthusiasm, dynamism, and inspires citizens to become lions and retain current lions.

His motto during his year of governance was: 'To the rhythm of service,' and without a doubt, he extended it to the population, adopting it and translating it into the work carried out in the communities across the entire island. For these and many other reasons, I am nominated that District Governor 51 E Armando Rodríguez Bermúdez be awarded the International Leadership Award and the Presidential Award.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions. I will be more than happy to discuss this recommendation further.

Sincerely yours,

LEX Tirado – Artist BD., MBA.