

Installation of District Officers/Executive

(Short Version)

NOTE: It is recommended that either Version One or Two be used in most instances as they accord the proper respect and formality to the ceremony. This version should only be used in the rare instance when time is at a premium.

FELLOW OPTIMISTS: You have been elected to positions of trust and responsibility. Such an honor does not come unearned as you have already demonstrated your leadership and devotion to our organization. By your election, delegates of the Clubs have expressed their confidence in your ability and have placed in your hands the administration of District affairs for the coming year.

It is your duty, through leadership and inspiration, to conduct District administrative affairs, as well as to offer guidance and counsel to all Clubs and encourage them to participate in the programs and objectives of Optimist International.

Officers designate, I ask if you agree to the following, please respond with "I do".

Do you promise to carry out the duties of your office to the best of your abilities?

Do you agree to follow the policies and bylaws of your Club and Optimist International?

With these responsibilities presented to you, I hereby declare each one of you officially installed into the District Board of Directors.

My compliments to each of you and best wishes for a most successful year.