

DISTRICT 7475 YOUTH PROTECTION ROTARY OR ROTARACT CLUB STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

This Statement of Compliance is required of any Rotary or Rotaract Club in District 7475 that participates in any youth program or activity, including but not limited to Rotary Youth Exchange, Interact, RYLA, scholarship programs or other local youth programs or events.

Rotary District 7475 is committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for all participants in youth activities. It is the duty of all Rotary members, Rotaract members, their spouses, partners, and all volunteers to safeguard to the best of their ability the welfare of all children and young people with whom they come into contact and to prevent the physical, sexual, or emotional abuse of those children and young people.

Each Rotary Club participating in any youth activity is responsible to read the District 7475 Youth Protection Policy and Reporting Guidelines and to implement these policies and guidelines in your Rotary Club's youth programs and activities. This includes all required training, volunteer applications and background checks, the details of which are specified in the policy documents. All District 7475 Youth Protection documents are available on the District 7475 website at www.njrotary.org/youthprotection.

The club's President-Elect must execute this Statement of Compliance each year and submit the form before July 1 to the District 7475 Youth Protection Officer. The statement is valid for the Rotary year July 1 to June 30 and must be renewed annually by the President-Elect for the next Rotary year.

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE FOR: _____
(Enter Rotary or Rotaract Club Name)

As the club President-Elect for the Rotary or Rotaract Club named above, I hereby certify that our club will operate our youth programs in accordance with District 7475 and Rotary International policy for the Rotary year _____ to _____.

If our club participates in Rotary Youth Exchange, we will also operate in accordance with the requirements of the Eastern States Student Exchange (ESSEX).

If there is any occurrence of harassment or abuse of young people, I will report such incident to the District 7475 District Governor and Youth Protection Officer within 24 hours and to Rotary International within 72 hours as required.

Club President-Elect:

Printed Name Signature Date

Phone: _____ Email: _____