The District of ____________________________ places in nomination _______________________________
from the Exchange Club of __________________________ for National Exchangite of the Year.

Year that candidate was awarded District Exchangite of the Year: ____________________________

Activity and points shown are for the time period July 1 to June 30, _______.

Application due to National Headquarters by June 1.

1. Built a new club as sponsor or cosponsor 8 points
   List new club name ______________________________

1b. Mentoring a new Exchange Club 8 points
   List club names ________________________________
   ________________________________

2. Membership
   a. Sponsored one new member 1 point
   b. Sponsored three new members 3 points
   c. Each new member sponsored over 3 (maximum 4 points) 1 point each

3. Served as:  (circle two)
   a. Club President - Secretary - Treasurer - Bulletin Editor - Chair
      Major Fundraiser - Program Chair - functioning Publicity Chair (must document) (4 points maximum) 2 points each
   (please circle)
   b. Club Board Member - Chair Major Committee
      List Committees:  (2 points maximum) 1 point each

   (circle two)
   c. Working Club President Elect - Immediate Past President -
      Member playing major role on major committee - Club
      Photographer - House Chair - Prepared Meeting Room -
      Custodian (must document) (2 points maximum) 1 point each

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Additional information can be found on page 42.
4. Served as: (circle one)
   a. District President - Secretary - Treasurer - President-Elect  3 points
   b. District Board Member
      (must be recommended by District President)  2 points
   c. District Committee Chair
      (must be recommended by District President)  1 point
   d. District President of a district with positive growth  4 points

5. Up to 4 points may be awarded for items not listed above
   at the discretion of the judges (Please describe/explain)  1 point each
   ____________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________

6. Convention attendance during 2-year window
   (4 points maximum) List conventions attended.
   District Convention  Date  Location
   District Convention  Date  Location
   National Convention  Date  Location
   National Convention  Date  Location

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**Final point allocations and final score are to be determined by award judges.**

Total Score  _________(50 possible)
Narrative  _________*(50 possible)
Final Score  _________

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* Determined by National Exchangite of the Year Committee

The judging committee has final and full authority for the selection of the National Exchangite of the Year. Points, narrative, etc., are guides to help them in their selection.

In order to be recognized as National Exchangite of the Year, the honoree must be present at the national convention. An effort will be made to determine this confidentially.
**NARRATIVE – NATIONAL EXCHANGITE OF THE YEAR**  
(Maximum 1,200 Words)

Date: _______________________________________________________________________

Candidate: ______________________________________________________________________

District: _______________________________________________________________________

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Two signatures required (two district executive officers **OR** one district executive officer and district awards chair):

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JUDGING:

1. The panel of judges will consist of the National Awards Committee Chairperson, three members of the current National Board and three Past National Presidents, to be chosen by the current National President. The last three winners of the National Exchangite of the Year Award will also have a vote. A tie vote will be broken by the current National President.

2. There is a “two-year window” for applicants, that is, a nomination form for an Exchangite may be based on the current or previous Exchange year. This is to provide for districts that do not select their Exchangite of the Year until after the June 1 deadline. This means that there are two Exchange years within the two-year window, but each district may submit only one candidate for Exchangite of the Year per National Convention. Activity listed on the application should coincide with the year marked.

TWO WAYS TO SCORE:

1. Activity during scoring period includes offices held, committees chaired, fundraisers managed, members sponsored and major Exchange efforts. Offices and positions held may be club or district. Activity points are totaled with 50 being the maximum points possible.

2. A narrative, not to exceed 1,200 words. Some suggestions for the narrative: is the person a volunteer; do they say yes when asked; does their presence enhance meetings, social functions and other events; are they positive, enthusiastic, loyal, creative, gregarious, possess a sense of humor and solve problems. Maximum points for narrative is 50. Narrative points are determined by and assigned by the Exchangite of the Year Committee.

DEFINITIONS:

1. Major Fundraiser – One that requires time, leadership, planning and organization. It includes involvement with a significant number of the club membership, and/or arranging of facilities and/or other physical arrangements. Interclub involvement could make it major. Raffle tickets, home garage sales, etc., would not be considered major.

2. Major Functioning Committee – To chair this committee requires leadership, planning, coordination, management, time and energy. Committees that meet this requirement are Search For Talent, Student of the Month/Year, Law Enforcement/Firefighter of the Year, and Proudly We Hail (at least six recipients). If done correctly, Membership and Education will qualify. Committees involving only a single project and little time would not be considered major.