

PAULA V. LLEWELLYN, QC
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS

Paula is the Director of Public Prosecutions of Jamaica. She was appointed in March 2008 and became the first female Director of Public Prosecutions to be appointed in Jamaica. Prior to being appointed Director, Paula served as Acting Director of Public Prosecutions in May 1999 and July – August 2005. In 2008, she was appointed a one of Her Majesty's Queen's Counsel and conferred with the Order of Distinction in the Rank of Commander (CD).

She received her legal education at the University of the West Indies and the Norman Manley Law School. She has over twenty-five (25) years of experience as Criminal Law Litigator, having prosecuted complex criminal cases, some of which were of exceptional public interest in courts of different jurisdictions.

Paula is an engaging presenter who has made presentations on a variety of legal subjects both locally and internationally and enjoys delivering motivational speeches.

Paula believes that professionalism and excellence must be at the heart of service above self to her fellow citizens.