

## **JEFFREY PHILIP ELKINSON**

### **Nationalities: Bermudian, Irish**

QUALIFICATIONS: - Chartered Arbitrator and Mediator, Barrister and Attorney, Justice of the Peace, M.A., B.A. (Moderatorship Legal Science), LLB and B.L.

Former President of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (2012) and Course Director and tutor for all its courses, the most recent being in Sao Paulo (May 2019) and Bermuda (November 2019). Jeffrey is a member of the Bars of: - England & Wales, Ireland, Hong Kong, New South Wales, New York, Bermuda, Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court, United States Court of International Trade, United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. He is a Special Assistant Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and sits as an Assistant Judge of the Supreme Court of Bermuda.

He is a director of Conyers Dill and Pearman Limited in its Bermuda office which law firm has other offices in BVI, Hong Kong, Singapore, Cayman and London.

Jeffrey is experienced in the areas of insurance, energy, telecoms, banking, construction and commercial matters generally. He is an active arbitrator, mediator and counsel in domestic and international disputes with appointments from ICC, LCIA and CI Arb. Jeffrey has sat in many domestic arbitrations as a sole arbitrator, the last award being in January 2020.

He is chairman of the Professional Conduct Committee of the Bermuda Bar and Chairman of the Police Complaints Authority and legal adviser to the Bermuda Olympic Committee. He is a Door Tenant of Des Voeux Chambers, Hong Kong. Jeffrey is a co-author of the Bermuda Chapter of the ICCA Handbook, Spitz's Tax Havens of the World, Butterworths Offshore Cases and Materials and more recently the Bermuda Chapter of World Arbitration Reporter.

Chambers Global recognizes Jeffrey as a leading dispute resolution lawyer. He is also recognized as a leader in his field in International Who's Who Legal Commercial Arbitration 2020, International Who's Who Legal of Business Lawyers 2020, International Who's Who Legal Construction Lawyers 2020 and in PLC Which Lawyer 2020. He is described in the Legal 500 as a *'star litigator, highly commercial and effective.'*