

## **Brief Profile of Mr. Simon Allotey**

Mr. Simon Allotey is the Director-General of the Ghana Civil Aviation Authority. He served variously as the Deputy Director of Engineering, Director of Engineering, Deputy Director-General (Technical) and as the Ag. Director-General of the Ghana Civil Aviation Authority from 1996 to 2007. He also had the additional responsibility for managing the newly created Ghana Airports Company Ltd. during the transition period from January to September 2007.

He served on the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) from 2009 to 2010 and on ICAO's Air Navigation Commission (ANC) from 2011 to 2015.

He was part of the ANC's sub-group tasked with the review of the newly developed ICAO Annex 19 on Safety Management which was first published in 2013.

He had previously served as Chairman of the ICAO's Communications, Navigation and Surveillance (CNS) Sub-Group for the African Indian Ocean (AFI) Region from 2005-2007 and as the Chairman of the AFI Regional Aviation Safety Group from December 2015 to September 2017. He was Chairman of the 2<sup>nd</sup> ICAO Meeting on the Sustainable Development of Air Transport in Africa which was held in Accra in March 2017.

Mr Allotey has been a key member of Ghana's Air Services Agreement negotiation team for several years.