Biography:

Mr Satyajit Boolell was appointed Director of Public Prosecutions for Mauritius in February 2009 after a long career at the Attorney General Office where he had served as Assistant Solicitor General and Parliamentary Counsel respectively.

He was called to the Bar in England and Wales in 1985 and holds a Master's Degree in law from King's College London and a BA (Hons) Economics from the University of Essex.

Mr Boolell was appointed Senior Counsel in 2010. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the International Association of Prosecutors since 2011 and was elected Vice-President representing the African and Indian Ocean Regions.

Mr Boolell is current chair of the Editorial Committee of the Mauritius Criminal Law Review and the Committee on Crime set up under the aegis of the Mauritius Law Reform Commission.

As Director of Public Prosecutions, Mr Boolell heads an office constituted of some seventy lawyers. The Office of the DPP is, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution, responsible for all criminal prosecution in Mauritius.