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Adedoyin Rhodes-Vivour, lawyer and arbitrator (British Chevening Scholar) is a Chartered Arbitrator and Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CI Arb). She is a Notary Public of Nigeria called to the Nigerian Bar in 1981 and took silk in 2019. She has practiced law for close to four decades and has significant experience in Maritime/Shipping Arbitration and Alternative Dispute Resolution. Adedoyin holds the Certificate of Anatomy of Shipping from the Seatrade Academy, Cambridge, England (2008). Adedoyin, the Pioneer President of the Maritime Arbitrators Association of Nigeria has been arbitrating since 1997 and has considerable experience in arbitration and alternative dispute resolution including in Maritime Arbitration. She is recognised in publications including Arbitration chapter of Who's Who Legal as one of the pre-eminent professionals in the world. She is described in Who's Who Legal "as a leading presence in the field" "highly regarded for her expertise in maritime disputes" "highly recommended by both clients and peers, and is particularly renowned for her vast experience in construction, maritime, energy and banking and finance disputes".

Adedoyin is a Supporting member of the London Maritime Arbitrators Association (LMAA) generally prepared to accept appointment. She is a member of the international Chamber of Commerce (ICC) International Court of Arbitration and the ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR. She is a past Chairperson, CI Arb Nigeria Branch. Adedoyin is a member of the International Law Association (ILA) International Committee on International Commercial Arbitration and the Pioneer Chair, Committee on International Commercial Arbitration of the International Law Association (ILA) Nigerian Branch. She is a member of Arbitral Women and a member of the International Steering Committee of the Equal Representation in Arbitration (ERA) Pledge.

Adedoyin is listed on various International and domestic arbitral panels including being a member of the Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC), the Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration (SCIA), the Mauritius International Arbitration Centre (MIAC), the Dubai International Arbitration Centre (DIAC), the Lagos Regional Centre for International Arbitration, the Nairobi Centre for International Arbitration (NCIA) and the Kigali International Arbitration Centre (KIAC). She has held significant roles in various international and domestic arbitral organizations including being a member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration (PCA), The Hague, Netherlands pursuant to her nomination by Nigeria. She is a member of the World Bank Group Sanctions Board.

She has written several articles on Arbitration/ADR and regularly delivers papers at international and domestic conferences and training events. She is an approved tutor for the CI Arb and a Regional pathway Leader for Africa. She is the author of the book titled: 'Commercial Arbitration Law and Practice in Nigeria through the Cases' Published by LexisNexis.