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Appointed Judge of the High Court of Borno State, Nigeria in 1997 and Chief Judge in the year 2006.

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Justice Zannah is Deputy President at the International Organisation for Judicial Training (IOJT) and sits on the boards of several international bodies in the field of law and justice, such as the International Society for the Reform of Criminal Law (ISRCL}, the Commonwealth Judicial Education Institute (CJEI) and the International Institute for Judicial Excellence (IIJE), The Hague.

He was awarded the Medal of the International Society for the Reform of Criminal Law (ISRCL) in 2012 and the United States National Centre for State Courts (NCSC) Distinguished Service Award in 2013.