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Professor Zachary Douglas QC has a substantial practice before international courts and tribunals as counsel, expert witness and arbitrator, and also frequently appears before the English courts and other common law courts in cases with an international law element. He is a Professor of International Law

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