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Dr. Túlio Di Giacomo Toledo is Legal Counsel and the current Representative of the Permanent Court of Arbitration (PCA) in the Republic of Mauritius.

As Legal Counsel, Dr. Toledo acts as registrar and provides secretarial support to tribunals in interstate disputes, arbitrations under investment agreements, and contractual disputes. As PCA Representative in Mauritius. Dr. Toledo heads the PCA's only office outside The Hague and coordinates PCA's activities in Africa.

Prior to joining the PCA, Túlio clerked at the International Court of Justice in The Hague and worked as a practicing lawyer at a law firm in Brazil. Túlio obtained a Ph.D degree as a Marie Curie Fellow from Bocconi University in Milan and an LL.M degree as a Thomas Buergenthal Scholar from the George Washington University Law School, where he was awarded the Gruber Foundation International Law Fellow Award. In Brazil, he obtained bachelor's degrees in law and in International relations, and a master's degree in law. In 2012, Túlio published a book on the foreign policy of the European Union. He is qualified to practice in Brazil.

The PCA is an independent intergovernmental organization established by treaty in 1899, which facilitates arbitration, conciliation, fact-finding, and other dispute resolution proceedings among various combinations of States, State entities, intergovernmental organizations and private parties. It currently has 121 Member States from all continents. The PCA's headquarters is located at the Peace Palace in The Hague, the Netherlands. Since 2010, the PCA also has a permanent office in Mauritius.

