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M. Antoinette Russell is the founder and CEO of Maran Global Solutions Limited, a Bahamas-based boutique company focused on providing a range of professional services including compliance consulting, corporate governance training, human capital and leadership development, operational reviews and assessments, corporate and concierge services. As CEO she leverages her decades of experience to deliver solutions that exceed each client's needs.

Prior to founding Maran Global, Antoinette spent over 35 years in the international financial services sector, rising to the position of Managing Director of Credit Suisse Trust Limited, Bahamas where she was the first female Center Head appointed for the Trust Division of the global financial services giant. She has received numerous awards in recognition of her professional achievements and long-term commitment to the business sector, including the 2006 "Executive of The Year" Nominee for outstanding contribution to Bahamas Financial Services Industry, the 2013 Minister's Award for Contribution to Financial Services, and the 2014 Bahamas Association of Compliance Officers Founding Presidents Award.

A member of the Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP), Bahamas Association of Compliance Officers (BACO), the International Tax Planning Association (ITPA), International Professional Women's Society, a former council member of the Bahamas Institute of Financial Services (BIFS) she formerly served as Chair and Director of both the Association of International Banks & Trust Companies (AIBT), and the Bahamas Financial Services Board (BFSB) the first female to serve in both positions. Antoinette is a mentor to many and is known to be available, inclusive always giving advice and guidance through life lessons from her own experiences.

Antoinette obtained her MBA from the University of Miami, a Fellow of both the International Compliance Association (FICA) and The Chartered Governance Institute of Canada (FCG), Chartered Director (C.Dir.) and a Trust and Estate Practitioner (TEP).

Antoinette currently serves as Independent Non-Executive Director on the Board of several banks, a Director of the Bahamas Aids Foundation, Co-Chair of the Annual Red Ribbon Ball and Director of the Bahamas Chamber of Commerce representing the Chamber on the Board of the Small Business Development Centre. She has two sons, Theodore and Jonathan.