

## **Biography:**

### **Sir Alan Massey, Chief Executive, Maritime and Coastguard Agency**



Alan joined the Maritime and Coastguard Agency as Chief Executive in July 2010. This followed a career in the Royal Navy that culminated in the post of Second Sea Lord and Commander-in-Chief, Naval Home Command, in the rank of Vice Admiral. In his seagoing years he commanded 4 warships, including the aircraft carriers HMS ILLUSTRIOUS and ARK ROYAL. He was appointed CBE in 2003 and KCB in 2009.

Alan is a qualified secondary-level teacher and a current school governor. He is President of the Royal Navy Physical Training Branch Association, Honorary Vice-President of Royal Navy Football, a Younger Brother of Trinity House, an Associate Fellow of the Nautical Institute, a Trustee of the New Theatre Royal in Portsmouth and a Trustee of the Marine Society and Sea Cadets.

