

<b>Country/entity</b>	Colombia
<b>Region</b>	Americas
<b>Agreement name</b>	Protocolo para la Participación Ciudadana, Social y de los Pueblos en el Proceso de Paz entre el Gobierno Nacional y el Estado Mayor de los Bloques Comandante Jorge Suárez Briceño, Magdalena Medio Comandante Gentil Duarte y Frente Comandante Raúl Reyes FARC-EP
<b>Date</b>	16 Oct 2024
<b>Agreement status</b>	Multiparty signed/agreed
<b>Interim arrangement</b>	Yes
<b>Agreement/conflict level</b>	Intrastate/intrastate conflict

### Colombian Conflict (1964 - )

The Colombian conflict is really a set of conflicts and the peace agreements reflect both different processes relating to different conflict groups and dyads, and processes taking place at different times in a complex peace process history. The Colombian civil war has its roots in the late 1940s and the violent infighting between liberal and the conservative factions. Emerging from the liberal tradition with a thorough grounding in nationalist communist ideology, the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia—People's Army (FARC) began its armed insurrection against the Colombian government in 1964. Other left-wing guerrillas emerged as well, most notably the socialist/populist M-19, which would later be integrated into the formal political system in the peace process of 1990s; the National Liberation Army (ELN), which has strong roots in liberation theology, and the Maoist Ejército Popular de Liberación (EPL) (also part of the 1990 process, less successfully). Several stages of peace processes were undertaken by the various sides, which were further complicated by the emergence of right-wing paramilitary 'self-defence' forces. The peace agreement between the Colombian government under President Uribe and the main alliance of the paramilitary groups, the United Self-Defence Forces of Colombia (AUC), concluded in 2005 and is still heavily disputed as several remnants are still active, but now subsumed under the heading 'Bacrim' (Bandas criminales). In addition, FARC and ELN maintain a military presence, but both demonstrate a strong interest in completing successful peace negotiations with the government, with the most recent agreements being between FARC and the Government.

Close  
Colombian Conflict (1964 - )

<b>Stage</b>	Pre-negotiation/process
<b>Conflict nature</b>	Government/territory
<b>Peace process</b>	Colombia VII - Petro Peace Dialogues with FARC-EP

**Parties**

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Delegation of National Government

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Delegation of the National Government  
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Delegation of National Government

**Third parties**

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Representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

Louise Wilson  
Deputy Head of Mission Embassy of Ireland

Phillip Lustenberger  
Special Envoy Swiss Confederation

Dag Nagoda  
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Accompanying persons:  
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Delegate of the Special Representative of the General Secretary Of the United Nations in Colombia

Edelma Gómez  
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Signed as observer:  
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Business Manager a.i. Delegation of the European Union

**Description**

A short pre-negotiation process agreement between the Government of Colombia and FARC-EP that identifies correspondence procedures and 4 elements of a plan that must be agreed by the parties ahead of each participation space set out in the Participation Agreement, also signed on 16th October 2024.

**Agreement document**

[CO\\_171024\\_Protocolo\\_sobre\\_la\\_Participación\\_EN \(opens in new tab\)](#) | [Download PDF](#)

**Agreement document (original language)**

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**Groups**

**Children/youth** No specific mention.

**Disabled persons** No specific mention.

**Elderly/age** No specific mention.

**Migrant workers** No specific mention.

**Racial/ethnic/  
national group** No specific mention.

**Religious groups** No specific mention.

**Indigenous people** No specific mention.

**Other groups** No specific mention.

**Refugees/displaced  
persons** No specific mention.

**Social class** No specific mention.

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**Gender**

**Women, girls and  
gender** No specific mention.

**Men and boys** No specific mention.

**LGBTI** No specific mention.

**Family** No specific mention.

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**State definition**

**Nature of state  
(general)** No specific mention.

**State configuration** No specific mention.

**Self determination** No specific mention.

**Referendum** No specific mention.

**State symbols** No specific mention.

**Independence/  
secession** No specific mention.

**Accession/  
unification** No specific mention.

**Border delimitation** No specific mention.

**Cross-border  
provision** No specific mention.

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## **Governance**

**Political  
institutions (new or  
reformed)** No specific mention.

**Elections** No specific mention.

**Electoral  
commission** No specific mention.

**Political parties  
reform** No specific mention.

**Civil society** **For the purpose of inviting public servants, the Office of the Peace Commissioner  
Advisor will follow the corresponding procedures.**

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j. Representatives of social organisations, communities, ethnic groups and peasants may request the inclusion on the agenda of a moment of harmonisation of the event according to their worldview, culture and beliefs.

**Traditional/  
religious leaders** No specific mention.

**Public  
administration** No specific mention.

**Constitution** No specific mention.

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## **Power sharing**

**Political power sharing** No specific mention.

**Territorial power sharing** No specific mention.

**Economic power sharing** No specific mention.

**Military power sharing** No specific mention.

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## **Human rights and equality**

**Human rights/RoL general** No specific mention.

**Bill of rights/similar** No specific mention.

**Treaty incorporation** No specific mention.

**Civil and political rights** No specific mention.

**Socio-economic rights** No specific mention.

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## **Rights related issues**

<b>Citizenship</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Democracy</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Detention procedures</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Media and communication</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Mobility/access</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Protection measures</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Other</b>	No specific mention.

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## **Rights institutions**

<b>NHRI</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Regional or international human rights institutions</b>	No specific mention.

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## **Justice sector reform**

<b>Criminal justice and emergency law</b>	No specific mention.
<b>State of emergency provisions</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Judiciary and courts</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Prisons and detention</b>	No specific mention.
<b>Traditional Laws</b>	No specific mention.

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## **Socio-economic reconstruction**

**Development or socio-economic reconstruction** No specific mention.

**National economic plan** No specific mention.

**Natural resources** No specific mention.

**International funds** No specific mention.

**Business** No specific mention.

**Taxation** No specific mention.

**Banks** No specific mention.

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## **Land, property and environment**

**Land reform/rights** No specific mention.

**Pastoralist/nomadism rights** No specific mention.

**Cultural heritage** Land, property and environment→Cultural heritage→Intangible  
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**Environment** No specific mention.

**Water or riparian rights or access** No specific mention.

## Security sector

**Security Guarantees**      **The participation spaces defined in the Participation Agreement must follow a prior plan that sequentially involves all the activities of the before (preparation), during (development of the spaces) and after (follow-up) each meeting scenario in an agenda agreed by the parties that contains at least the following elements:**

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b. The venue for the event should be selected according to the chosen scenario and participation format, in all cases taking into account the participants, access, security, risks, among other factors considered necessary.

**Ceasefire**      No specific mention.

**Police**      No specific mention.

**Armed forces**      No specific mention.

**DDR**      No specific mention.

**Intelligence services**      No specific mention.

**Parastatal/rebel and opposition group forces**      No specific mention.

**Withdrawal of foreign forces**      No specific mention.

**Corruption**      No specific mention.

**Crime/organised crime**      No specific mention.

**Drugs**      No specific mention.

**Terrorism**      No specific mention.

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## Transitional justice

**Transitional justice general**      No specific mention.

**Amnesty/pardon**      No specific mention.

**Courts** No specific mention.

**Mechanism** No specific mention.

**Prisoner release** No specific mention.

**Vetting** No specific mention.

**Victims** No specific mention.

**Missing persons** No specific mention.

**Reparations** No specific mention.

**Reconciliation** No specific mention.

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## Implementation

**UN signatory**      **Signed by the parties:**  
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Fernando Burguillos  
Delegate of the Special  
Representative of the General Secretary  
Of the United Nations in Colombia

**Other international signatory**      **Signed by the parties:**  
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**Referendum for agreement**      No specific mention.

**International mission/force/similar**      No specific mention.

**Enforcement mechanism**      No specific mention.