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Country/entity Kenya

Region Africa (excl MENA)

Agreement name Resolutions of the Meeting to Discuss the Conflict between the Communities living along

the Garissa and Wajir Border

Date 15 Jun 2016

Agreement status Multiparty signed/agreed

Interim Yes

arrangement

Agreement/conflict Intrastate/local conflict

level

Kenyan Post-Electoral Violence (2007 - 2008)

The conflict emerged as post-election violence. After the incumbent President Kibaki was declared the winner of the Kenyan presidential elections in December 2007, complaints of fraud and a structural disadvantage affecting his competitor Raila Odinga lead to outbreaks of severe ethno-political violence. After the first incidents in the Rift Valley region, mainly directed against the Kikuyu ethnic group – the traditional powerbase of Kibaki – the fighting spread to the cities of Nairobi and Mombasa. After two months, Kibaki and Odinga agreed on a power-sharing agreement that granted Odinga the post as a Prime Minister and ended the violence.

Close

Kenyan Post-Electoral Violence (2007 - 2008)

Stage Framework/substantive - partial

Conflict nature Inter-group

Peace process Kenya Local Agreements

Parties Wajir South Elders

Mohamed Hassan Abdi Sarat, Mohamed

Garissa Elders

Osma Harel (signature unclear) Hamed Machter (signature unclear)

Third parties WITNESSED BY:

- 1. Hon. M.Y. HAJI Senator Garissa County
- 2. Hon. A. A. HASSAN Senator Wajir County
- 3. Hon. SHUKRAN H. GURE County MP Garissa
- 4. Hon. M.M SHIDIYE, MP Lagdera
- 5. Hon. A. DIRIYE, MP Wajir South

Description

An agreements between Wajir and Garissa communities to address inter-communal conflict. The agreement provides for a ceasefire and arms control, and other measures. It calls for the government to delineate the boundary between Wajir and Garissa.

Agreement document

KE_160615_Garissa-Wajir Community Resolutions.pdf (opens in new tab) | Download

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Local agreement properties

Process type Formal structured process

Rationale There is a tradition of signing local agreements in Garissa and Wajir, and this agreement

is supported by the National Cohesion and Integration Commission.

Is there a No documented link to a national peace process?

Link to national The agreement makes no reference to the national peace process, although the meting

process: articulated was supported and facilitated by the NCIC.

rationale

Name of Locale Garissa County, Wajir County

Nature of Locale Region

GPS Lat/Long (DD) 0.199042, 40.321344

Participant type Central state actor

Domestic religious organisation/leader or other elder

Regional state actor

Mediator, facilitator Mediator or similar referred to

or similar

Mediator Meeting held 'under the chairmanship of the Hon. Senator M.Y Haji' (Senator Garissa

(references) County)

Type of mediator/ Regional state actor

facilitator/similar

Local issues

Ritual/prayer and N

No specific mention.

process (including use of scripture)

Grievance List No specific mention.

Cattle rustling/ Page 1,

banditry 7. We encourage communities on both sides to continue collaborating in return of lost

livestock and support the resettlement of displaced persons and any other efforts

towards peaceful co-existence.

Social cover No specific mention.

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