

*In the name of Allah the Merciful*

Minutes of Agreement

Under the generous sponsorship of His Excellency Brother 'Abd Rabbu Mansur Hadi, President of the Republic, the Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces and Security, the signatories below agree to the following:

First (A): There will be a ceasefire in all of Dammaj, Haradh, Khiwan and Danan

(B): All the roads from Sana'a to Sa'ada, from Haradh to Sa'ada, from Jawf to Sa'ada and from Arhab to Sa'ada will be opened. The entry of all food and supplies products to Sa'ada and Dammaj will be allowed, except for combat support.

(C): Both sides will cease to dig for and remove artefacts in all of Dammaj, Haradh, Khiwan and Danan. Only the people of the country remain, according to a clear implementation plan.

Second: The committee headed by Sheikh Kahlan will implement peace between 'Adhar [Atar] and al-'Usaymat.<sup>1</sup>

Third: All prisoners and captives from both sides will be released.

Fourth: Everything that was taken from cars on the road and all possessions will be handed over.

Fifth: All media campaigns and sectarian invitations by any means - either through mosques, the media, forums or any other means – will stop from both sides.

Sixth: A team will be formed for the Presidential Committee, the Parliamentary Committee and the Tribal Committee to work on what has been mentioned.

Seventh: This agreement is a commitment to the previous agreements signed by both parties, whether from the Presidential Committee, the Parliamentary Committee or the Tribal Committee.

Eighth: All the minutes signed by the committees and the team that joined the committees will be elevated to His Excellency the President of the Republic for verification and to discipline the offenders from any side.

*God is the Arbiter of Guidance and Success...*

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<sup>1</sup> Atar and 'Usaymat are two Hashidi tribes located in Amran governorate.

**Source:** Yemen al-Saeed. "“Surprise”.. Agreement between Houthis and Salafists on ending the conflict with the approval of the President of the Republic did not include the closure of the Institute in Dammaj or the exodus of the students. 'Picture of the Agreement and its clauses', 12 January 2014, <https://yemensaeed.net/news12699.html> [accessed 12 January 2018]

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