Country/entity: Central African Republic  
Region: Africa (excl MENA)  
Agreement name: Political Agreement for Peace and Reconciliation in the Central African Republic (Khartoum Accord)  
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Agreement status: Multiparty signed/agreed  
Interim arrangement: No  
Stage: Framework/substantive - comprehensive (Agreement)  
Conflict nature: Government  
A process supported by the AU as the African Initiative, but later supplemented by Sudan-Russia mediated agreements.  
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Description  
This comprehensive agreements details commitments by both the government and armed groups with a view to ending the conflict. It is supported and signed by the conflict parties and international actors and provides detailed implementation and monitoring provisions.  

Agreement document  
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Agreement document  
CF_190205_Accord-pour-la-paix-et-la-réconciliation-en-Centrafricaine.pdf  

Main category  
Page 3, Preamble  
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Page 4, Section I, Article I  
(g) Rejection of violence against women and children;  

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(c) Recognition of cultural and religious diversity and appreciate for the contributions of all components of the society of the Central African Republic by promoting the inclusion, particularly of minorities, women and youth, in the management of the State and in the task of national reconstruction;  

Page 5, Section II, Article 4  
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Page 7, Section III, Article 5
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Women, girls and gender

**Participation**

Effective participation
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**Equality**

No specific mention.

**Particular groups of women**

No specific mention.

**International law**

No specific mention.

**New institutions**

No specific mention.
Violence against women

Sexual violence
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Transitional justice
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Institutional reform
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Development
Rehabilitation and reconstruction
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Implementation
Women's role and consideration in implementation of the agreement
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**Other**  No specific mention.