

Country/entity	Sudan Darfur
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Darfur Peace Agreement
Date	05/05/2006
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Agreement/conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Sudan Conflicts (1955 -))
Stage	Framework/substantive - comprehensive (Agreement)
Conflict nature	Government/territory
Peace process	21: Darfur-Sudan peace process
Parties	For the Government of Sudan: Dr. Magzoub Al Khalifa, Chairman of the Sudan Government Delegation; For the Sudan Liberation Movement/Army (SLM/A): Minni Arkou Minawi, Chairman;
Third parties	Witnessed by: Dr. Salim Ahmed Salim, AU Special Envoy and Chief Mediator; His Excellency, President Denis Sassou-Nguesso, Current Chairman of the African Union; His Excellency, President Olusegun Obasanjo, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria; His Excellency, Professor Alpha Oumar Konare, Chairperson of the African Union Commission; Dr. Ali Treki, Representative of the Leader of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya; Mr. Robert Zoellick, Deputy Secretary of State, United States of America; Mr. Hilary Benn, Secretary of State for International Development, United Kingdom; His Excellency, Jan Pronk, Special Representative of the Secretary-General of the United Nations in the Sudan; Pekka Haavisto, European Union; Counsellor Zeid Al Sabban, League of Arab States; Ambassador Ahmed A. Haggag, Special Envoy of the Arab Republic of Egypt; Ambassador Allan Rock, Representative of Canada; Dr. Kjell Hodnebo, Representative of Norway; Ambassador Henri de Coignac, Special Envoy, France; Mrs. Agnes Van Ardenne, Minister for Development Cooperation, Netherlands;
Description	Comprehensive agreement covering a wide range of issues. Agreement establishes democratic processes for the people of Darfur to choose their leaders and determine their final status as a region. A popular referendum is envisioned not later than July 2010 to decide whether to establish Darfour as a unitary region or to maintain the status quo of three states. The comprehensive agreement also addresses power sharing, wealth sharing, a final ceasefire and security arrangements, calls for a 'Darfur-Darfus' dialogue to address pending issues and provides implementation modalities. Agreement annexes six prior agreements.

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Page 22, CHAPTER ONE: POWER SHARING, ARTICLE 11. The National Civil Service

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Page 27, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 17

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Page 31, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 18

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Page 36, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 19

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Page 49, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 23

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Page 51, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 24

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Page 52, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 25

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Page 57, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 26

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(e) To provide special protection for women, children, the vulnerable and disabled persons.

Page 59, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS,
ARTICLE 26

Protection of Women and Children

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279. A significant number of GoS Police, Movements' Police Liaison Officers and AMIS Civilian Police officers shall be women; they shall have specialist gender units to work with women and children; and all their investigations and monitoring shall include at least one woman.

Page 60, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS,
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280. One hundred days after the signing of this Agreement, the JHFMU shall evaluate the effectiveness of the security measures presented in the previous sections on IDP camps and protection of women and children.

Page 65, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS,
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Page 74, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 28

379. The Movements may request non-military logistic support when they have undertaken the following activities to the satisfaction of the AMIS Force Commander:

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(c) Registered with AMIS their combatants and determined the number, age and gender of the combatants requiring support.

Page 76, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

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401. The GoS shall make positions available to former combatants on the basis of a rank structure, and senior positions shall be included as appropriate. Taking into account the availability of accelerated officer training, the TIC shall recommend a specific number of former combatants to fill senior and supporting positions at SAF General Staff HQ, SAF Western Command HQ, the Ministry of Defense, the Directorate of Military Intelligence, and equivalent police HQ on the basis of qualifications, experience, and institutional needs. Special attention shall be paid to the integration of female former combatants.

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416. The ICP shall take into account the special needs of female former combatants.

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428. The demobilization shall include former combatants, including female former combatants.

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438. Specific resources shall be mobilized and set aside to address the special reintegration needs of women, and these resources shall be administered separately by a mechanism capable of effectively performing this function.

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(e) They shall include women in all ranks and shall have specific sections to address the particular needs of women and children with respect to personal security and law enforcement.

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Women, girls and gender

Participation [Gender quotas](#)

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[Effective participation](#)

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Particular groups of women [Refugee/displaced women](#)

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[Pregnancy/maternity](#)

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International law

[General IHRL, IHL and IL](#)

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Page 60, 280. One hundred days after the signing of this Agreement, the JHFMU shall evaluate the effectiveness of the security measures presented in the previous sections on IDP camps and protection of women and children.

Other

Page 13, CHAPTER ONE: POWER SHARING, ARTICLE 3

30. (c) The death penalty shall not be executed upon pregnant or lactating women except after two years of lactation.

Transitional justice

Past and gender

Page 43, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 21

... 195. DRRC and the relevant authorities shall establish restitution procedures, which must be simple, accessible, transparent and enforceable. All aspects of the restitution claims process, including appeals procedures, shall be just, timely, accessible, free of charge, and age and gender sensitive. The procedures shall contain positive measures to ensure that women are able to participate on a fully equal basis in the process.

Page 45, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 21

205. Taking note of the suffering of the individual people of Darfur, and the customary practices of tribal restitution in Darfur, the Commission shall work out principles for appropriate restitution or other compensation. In doing so, the Commission shall take into account, among other considerations:

... (d) The needs of vulnerable groups such as women and children;

Prisons, prisoner release

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Other

Page 28, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 17

109. The women of Darfur are involved in all areas of activity and constitute the bulk of the labour force, especially in the agricultural and animal resource sectors. In addition, women are heads of households particularly among refugees, the internally displaced persons and migrants. Women's situation in all these areas has been worsened by the war, which has had a particularly deleterious impact on women and children, especially in relation to their means of livelihood. There is a need, therefore, for a special focus on the specific situation of women and for providing concrete measures to address their concerns, as well as ensuring their equal and effective participation in committees, commissions and bodies established pursuant to this Agreement.

Institutional reform

Emergency/criminal law/corruption reform

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Police

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... 278. AMIS Civilian Police together with GoS Police and Movements' Police Liaison Officers in their respective areas of control, shall establish separate police counters for the reporting of crimes committed against women, and women police personnel should staff these counters.

Page 60, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 26

... 279. A significant number of GoS Police, Movements' Police Liaison Officers and AMIS Civilian Police officers shall be women; they shall have specialist gender units to work with women and children; and all their investigations and monitoring shall include at least one woman.

Page 83, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

447. Reform of selected security institutions shall be in accordance with the following:

... (e) They shall include women in all ranks and shall have specific sections to address the particular needs of women and children with respect to personal security and law enforcement.

Page 84, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

451. Within 60 days of the signing of this Agreement, the DSAIC shall initiate a comprehensive review

of policing in Darfur, with the aim of making specific recommendations to the TDRA to improve the effectiveness and professionalism of the police, in particular their ability to respond to, take into account, and address the special needs of women.

[DDR, army, parastatal or rebel forces](#)

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Page 51, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 24
226.

... (m) Any recruitment or use of boys and girls under age 18 years by Parties.

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Page 74, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 28

379. The Movements may request non-military logistic support when they have undertaken the following activities to the satisfaction of the AMIS Force Commander:

(c) Registered with AMIS their combatants and determined the number, age and gender of the combatants requiring support.

Page 77, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

400. The integration process shall be designed and undertaken in a manner that contributes to the professionalism, inclusiveness, and capabilities of Sudan's security institutions, without discrimination on the basis of gender. The integration process shall be completed within sixteen months covering conventional training, but not post basic or upgrade training.

Page 77, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

401. The GoS shall make positions available to former combatants on the basis of a rank structure, and senior positions shall be included as appropriate. Taking into account the availability of accelerated officer training, the TIC shall recommend a specific number of former combatants to fill senior and supporting positions at SAF General Staff HQ, SAF Western Command HQ, the Ministry of Defense, the Directorate of Military Intelligence, and equivalent police HQ on the basis of qualifications, experience, and institutional needs. Special attention shall be paid to the integration of female former combatants.

Page 79, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

416. The ICP shall take into account the special needs of female former combatants.

Page 80, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

428. The demobilization shall include former combatants, including female former combatants.

Page 81, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

438. Specific resources shall be mobilized and set aside to address the special reintegration needs of women, and these resources shall be administered separately by a mechanism capable of effectively performing this function.

Page 82, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS, ARTICLE 29

442. The Reintegration Plan shall develop specific programs for former combatants under the age of 18; female former combatants; and disabled former combatants.

... 445. Specific programs shall be developed to address the particular reintegration needs of women, especially widows of former combatants.

[Public administration](#)

Page 22, CHAPTER ONE: POWER SHARING, ARTICLE 11. The National Civil Service

76.b.ii. Affirmative action on recruitment, training and promotion, including measures to promote gender balance;

77.b. Reserve certain posts in the NCS exclusively for qualified women, particularly those from the less developed areas such as Darfur.

78. Special measures shall be taken to ensure the participation of women in the civil service.

Development

[General](#)

Page 31, CHAPTER TWO: WEALTH SHARING, ARTICLE 18

128. The Parties agree that a system of specific purpose grants shall be developed with a view to achieving the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), poverty eradication goals and gender development.

[Education](#)

Page 12, CHAPTER ONE: POWER SHARING, ARTICLE 3

28. ... (f) The State shall provide access to education without discrimination as to religion, race, ethnicity, gender or disability, as well as access to free primary health care and free and compulsory primary education.

Page 73, CHAPTER THREE: COMPREHENSIVE CEASEFIRE AND FINAL SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS,

ARTICLE 27

369. GoS shall restore personnel and funding of governmental services in areas in which they have been interrupted due to the conflict, including education, health, water, veterinary services, agricultural extension, forestry, road maintenance and posts and telecommunications, with special attention to the specific needs of women. This shall be consistent with the provisions of the Chapter on Wealth Sharing. The Movements shall cooperate in the restoration of such services.

[Health \(general\)](#)

Page 12, CHAPTER ONE: POWER SHARING, ARTICLE 3

28. ... (d) The State shall provide maternity, child care and medical care for pregnant women, children in need, persons with special needs and the elderly, in line with regional and international instruments ratified by the GoS.

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[Other](#)

Page 89, CHAPTER FOUR: DARFUR-DARFUR DIALOGUE AND CONSULTATION, ARTICLE 31

484. Issues to be addressed by the DDDC shall include:

...(i) Measures to address the special issues and concerns of women.

Implementation No specific mention.

Other No specific mention.