

Country/entity	Burundi
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Déclaration du Directoire Politique du processus de paix au Burundi sur le processus de mise en oeuvre des décisions conjointes prises à Pretoria
Date	08/04/2009
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Agreement/conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Burundian Civil War (1993-2005))
Stage	Implementation/renegotiation (Implementation modalities)
Conflict nature	Government
Peace process	16: Burundi: Arusha and related peace process
Parties	<p>The Government of Burundi (Ambassador Dumisani Khumalo, Division General: Evariste Ndayishimiye) and the FNL (Front National de Liberation, General Secretary: Jonas Nshimirimana, FNL President: Agathon Rwasa)</p> <p>(The Political Directorate participated under the direction of its new president, Ambassador Dumisani Khumalo, as well as the tripartite high-level working group set up by the Facilitator last month (consisting of Division General Evarist Ndayishimiye, representing the Government of the Republic of Burundi, Mr Jonas Nshimirimana, FNL Secretary-General, and Lieutenant-General Derick Mgwebi of S. Africa who is president of the group); Mr Agathon Rwasa, President of the FNL, was also present.)</p>
Third parties	<p>Facilitator: Mr. Minister Charles Nqakula from South Africa President of Political Directory: Lieutenant-General Derick Mgwebi from South Africa</p> <p>(The Political Directorate participated under the direction of its new president, Ambassador Dumisani Khumalo, as well as the tripartite high-level working group set up by the Facilitator last month (consisting of Division General Evarist Ndayishimiye, representing the Government of the Republic of Burundi, Mr Jonas Nshimirimana, FNL Secretary-General, and Lieutenant-General Derick Mgwebi of S. Africa who is president of the group); Mr Agathon Rwasa, President of the FNL, was also present.)</p>
Description	<p>This document is about finally doing everything possible to implement the ceasefire of September 7, 2006. It includes a list of tasks for the FNL e.g. separate adults from children, reunite the people still in the safe zones, disarm and decommission, and making lists of who will be integrate into the national army and security forces (3500), who will simply disarm (5000), list of adult associates of the movement, list of up to 1000 women associates of FNL. Two associates' categories will be eligible for subsidies for their social and economic reinsertion. The document also includes tasks for the government: inter alia oversight of the children separated from the FNL.</p>
Agreement document	BI_090408_DeclarationDirectoirePolitiqueduProcessusdePaix_tr.pdf []
Agreement document (original language)	BI_090408_DeclarationDirectoirePolitiqueduProcessusdePaix.pdf []
Main category	<p>(p.1) 'Jusqu'à un maximum de 1.000 femmes dont les noms peuvent ne pas figurer sur la liste certifiée mais qui, conformément à la Résolution 1325 de l'an 2000 du Conseil de Sécurité sur les femmes, la paix et la sécurité, peuvent être considérées comme des « femmes associées » aux FNL.'</p> <p>(p.2) 'le gouvernement du Burundi et le FNL devront urgemment nommer, chacun, deux</p>

représentant, qui travailleront étroitement avec les Nations Unies et d'autres parties prenantes sur tous les aspects relatifs au genre.'

Page 1, para 6: The FNL, having separated their adult members from their children members, should: ... (b) proceed with the separation of their members and divide them up according to the four following categories:

...(4) Up to a maximum of 1000 women whose names may not appear on the certified list, but who, in compliance with UN Security Council Resolution 1325 on Women Peace and Security passed in 2000, could be considered as 'women associated with the FNL'.

People in categories (3) and (4) will be eligible to receive allowances of which a significant portion will be allocated for their socio-economic reintegration at the community level.

Page 2, para 9: The Government of Burundi and the FNL should each urgently appoint two representatives who will work directly with the United Nations and other stakeholders on all gender-related matters.

Marian's translation:

Page 1-2:

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The decisions taken in Pretoria have been transformed into the following specific actions which the Burundian parties must implement immediately:

- The FNL having separated their adult and child members must (a) within 3 days gather together all of their members whose names appear on the certified list and who are still in the pre-assembly zones, disarm them and hand over all their arms to the African Union Special Force, (b) separate the various elements and allocate them to the following four categories:

...

(4) A maximum of 1,000 women who do not appear on the certified list but who, in accordance with the year 2000 Security Council Resolution 1325 on women, peace and security, may be considered to be FNL "associated women".

Categories (3) and (4) will be eligible for subsidies, an important proportion of which will be aimed at their socio-economic reintegration in the community.

Women, girls and gender

Participation	No specific mention.
Equality	No specific mention.
Particular groups of women	No specific mention.
International law	References to UNSC 1325 itself Page 1, para 6 The FNL, having separated their adult members from their children members, should: ...(b) proceed with the separation of their members and divide them up according to the four following categories: ...(4) Up to a maximum of 1000 women whose names may not appear on the certified list, but who, in compliance with UN Security Council Resolution 1325 on Women Peace and Security passed in 2000, could be considered as 'women associated with the FNL'.

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New institutions [Infrastructure \(general\)](#)

Page 2, para 9

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Violence against women No specific mention.

Transitional justice No specific mention.

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

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Development No specific mention.

Implementation No specific mention.

Other No specific mention.