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| <b>Country/<br/>entity</b>           | South Sudan<br>Sudan<br>Southern Kordofan - Blue Nile - Abyei                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Region</b>                        | Africa (excl MENA)<br>Africa (excl MENA)<br>Africa (excl MENA)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Agreement<br/>name</b>            | The peaceful co-existence conference between the Dinka tribe of Pariang County in Unity State and the Misseriyya Tribe (Alfulita) of Kilek locality in Southern Kordofan State                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Date</b>                          | 22 Dec 2009                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Agreement<br/>status</b>          | Multiparty signed/agreed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Interim<br/>arrangement</b>       | Yes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Agreement/<br/>conflict level</b> | Intrastate/local conflict ( Sudan Conflicts (1955 - ) )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Stage</b>                         | Framework/substantive - partial                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Conflict<br/>nature</b>           | Inter-group                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Peace process</b>                 | Kordofan - Blue Nile - Abyei process                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Parties</b>                       | In behalf of Pariang County.<br>1. Chief Malual Menyiel Ayuel<br>2. Chief Mabil Thon Kech<br>3. Ustaz. William Wien Maker Bol<br>4. Lt Police. Yuahna Makuach Chol<br>5. Ustaz Salbano Nuoi Malek<br>6. Ustaz, John Mading Chan - Secretary<br><br>In Behalf of Kilek Locality<br><br>1. El-amiir Eissa Musa Rahma<br>2. El-omda Abubeker Dawood Yusif<br>3. El-amiir Amad Adam Amad<br>4. El-ammir Ismail Mani Ismail<br>5. El omda Musa Bahib Mukhtaar<br>6. El-omda Adam El-siad Adan<br>7. Capt. Police Adam Rabha Dum Secretary |
| <b>Third parties</b>                 | 1. Col Mabek Lang Mading Pariang County Commissioner<br>2. PSC Brig Bender Ibrahim Abu Bulul Locality Commissioner                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

**Description** Local conference aimed at promoting co-existence between the Dinka tribe of Pariang County and the Messiria tribe of Kilek Locality. Key Decisions from the conference was the establishment of a joint-Court for future incidents, assign a joint police force, to conduct monthly meetings between the two localities, to disarm the Merriria that enter Pariang, to establish a joint police station, to ensure the oil company funds the security of the Pariang-Kilek road, establish the tax rate for nomadic herders, among other aspects.

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## Groups

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| Children/<br>youth                      | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Disabled<br>persons                     | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Elderly/age                             | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Migrant<br>workers                      | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Racial/<br>ethnic/<br>national<br>group | Groups→Racial/ethnic/national group→Substantive<br>Summary: Conference and agreement in its entirety deals with the inter-group relationship between the nomadic (Arab) Messeria (Misseriyya) and the stationary agricultural (African) Dinka tribes. |
| Religious<br>groups                     | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Indigenous<br>people                    | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Other<br>groups                         | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

Refugees/  
displaced  
persons      No specific mention.

Social class      No specific mention.

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## **Gender**

Women,  
girls and  
gender      No specific mention.

Men and  
boys      No specific mention.

LGBTI      No specific mention.

Family      No specific mention.

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## **State definition**

Nature of  
state  
(general)      No specific mention.

State  
configuration      No specific mention.

Self  
determination      No specific mention.

Referendum      No specific mention.

State  
symbols      No specific mention.

Independence/  
secession No specific mention.

Accession/  
unification No specific mention.

Border  
delimitation No specific mention.

Cross-  
border  
provision No specific mention.

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## **Governance**

Political  
institutions  
(new or  
reformed) No specific mention.

Elections No specific mention.

Electoral  
commission No specific mention.

Political  
parties  
reform No specific mention.

Civil society No specific mention.

Traditional/  
religious  
leaders Page 1, Decisions  
1. To establish a joint court from the Dinka, Nuer chiefs and the Merriria El-  
Amara (chiefs) and that is for the purpose of judging of any future cases  
which may happen

Public  
administration No specific mention.

Constitution No specific mention.

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### **Power sharing**

Political power sharing No specific mention.

Territorial power sharing No specific mention.

Economic power sharing No specific mention.

Military power sharing No specific mention.

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### **Human rights and equality**

Human rights/RoL general No specific mention.

Bill of rights/similar No specific mention.

Treaty incorporation No specific mention.

Civil and political rights No specific mention.

Socio-economic rights      Human rights and equality→Socio-economic rights→Education  
Page 2, Decisions  
... 8. The Messiria children have right to continue education in Pariang area during their pasturing time

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## **Rights related issues**

Citizenship      No specific mention.

Democracy      No specific mention.

Detention procedures      No specific mention.

Media and communication      No specific mention.

Mobility/access      Page 2, Decisions  
... 11. To issue an ID card for each member of the joint committee in order help the move easier as they can.

Protection measures      No specific mention.

Other      No specific mention.

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## **Rights institutions**

NHRI      No specific mention.

Regional or international human rights institutions      No specific mention.

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## Justice sector reform

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| Criminal justice and emergency law | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| State of emergency provisions      | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Judiciary and courts               | Page 1, Decisions<br>1. To establish a joint court from the Dinka, Nuer chiefs and the Merriria El-Amara (chiefs) and that is for the purpose of judging of any future cases which may happen<br><br>Page 2, Decisions<br>... 4. To exchange the handing of criminal and be presented to the joint court in Dare-kuach |
| Prisons and detention              | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Traditional Laws                   | Page 2, Conference Resolutions:<br>... 2. Payment of blood compensations of the victims and returning of the loosed properties to the owners of the two parties from 2009 two month starting from the date of signatory.                                                                                               |

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## Socio-economic reconstruction

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| Development or socio-economic reconstruction | Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Socio-economic development<br><br>Page 2, Conference Resolutions:<br>... 3. To address the Unity support box (Sunduk dam el-wada) to assist for the project services for the two localities.<br><br>Page 2, Conference Resolutions:<br>... 4. To request from the oil company (GNPOC) to contribute toward the social development |
| National economic plan                       | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

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| Natural resources   | Page 2, Conference Resolutions:<br>1. To establish a joint committee between the two parties in purpose of designating and following up of the nomads (Messiria) pasturing location. |
| International funds | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Business            | Page 2, Conference Resolutions:<br>... 5. To request from the oil company (GNPOC) to designated a 60% from the company normal workers to Pariang and Kilek                           |
| Taxation            | Socio-economic reconstruction→Taxation→Reform of taxation<br>Page 2, Decisions<br>... 7. Yearly taxes for one herd is 5 SDG                                                          |
| Banks               | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                 |

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## Land, property and environment

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| Land reform/<br>rights             | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Pastoralist/<br>nomadism<br>rights | [Summary] Conference agrees to establish a joint commission to track and designate pasture for Messeria herdsmen.<br><br>Page 2, Conference Resolutions:<br>... 6. There shall be general meeting in August to discuss the routes of nomads (Messiria) to organize how to enter to Pariang and the second meeting shall be conduct in month of April for the same purpose. |
| Cultural heritage                  | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Environment                        | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Water or riparian rights or access | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |



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## Security sector

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| Security Guarantees   | <p>Page 2, Decisions</p> <p>... 5. To disarm the Messiria nomad when entering Pariang border and as such their properties security shall be the responsibility of Pariang county authorities.</p> <p>Page 2, Decisions</p> <p>... 6. It the responsibility of the oil company to fund for road security from Unity state to Kilek.</p> <p>Page 2, Decisions</p> <p>... 9. There should kindly treatment of the two sides constituencies from the security organ during their movement in the borders of two Localities (Counties)</p> <p>Page 2, Decisions</p> <p>...10. The JIUS forces are only unit which allow to wear a uniform in the area and it is provident to any other regular security organ to weak uniform outside their designated area.</p> |
| Ceasefire             | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Police                | <p>Page 1, Decisions</p> <p>... 2. To assign a joint police force from the two counties (Localities) to follow up reported cases between Pariang and Kilek and to exchange criminals from both side.</p> <p>Page 2, Decisions</p> <p>... 5. To establish a joint police station in El-teswiin (Pariang junction) to secure the Pariang Kilek road.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Armed forces          | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| DDR                   | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Intelligence services | No specific mention.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |

Parastatal/  
rebel and  
opposition  
group  
forces

No specific mention.

Withdrawal  
of foreign  
forces

No specific mention.

Corruption

No specific mention.

Crime/  
organised  
crime

No specific mention.

Drugs

No specific mention.

Terrorism

No specific mention.

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## **Transitional justice**

Transitional  
justice  
general

No specific mention.

Amnesty/  
pardon

No specific mention.

Courts

No specific mention.

Mechanism

No specific mention.

Prisoner  
release

No specific mention.

Vetting No specific mention.

Victims No specific mention.

Missing persons No specific mention.

Reparations No specific mention.

Reconciliation No specific mention.

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## **Implementation**

UN signatory No specific mention.

Other international signatory No specific mention.

Referendum for agreement No specific mention.

International mission/force/similar No specific mention.

Enforcement mechanism No specific mention.

Related cases No specific mention.

Source Sudan North-South Border Initiative; <https://www.scribd.com/doc/48104351/Dinka-Misseriya-Agreement-December-2009>

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