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Country/ entity	Burundi
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Proposition portant sur le reglement des conflits
Date	5 May 2017
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict ( Burundian Civil War (1993-2005) )
Stage	Pre-negotiation/process
Conflict nature	Government
Peace process	Burundi: 2015 onwards process
Parties	No signatures, but appears to be an agreement of the Inter-Burundian Dialogue as regards an agenda for agreement for the post-election period.
Third parties	-
Description	This agreement sets out agreed proposals for the post-electoral period post 2020.

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## Groups

Children/ youth	No specific mention.
Disabled persons	No specific mention.
Elderly/age	No specific mention.
Migrant workers	No specific mention.
Racial/ ethnic/ national group	No specific mention.
Religious groups	No specific mention.
Indigenous people	No specific mention.
Other groups	No specific mention.
Refugees/ displaced persons	Groups→Refugees/displaced persons→Rhetorical Page 2: 3. Socio-economic situation and humanitarian issues ...b. Return of refugees (spontaneous and organized); c. Reintegration of displaced persons into the country;...
Social class	No specific mention.

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## Gender

Women, girls and gender	No specific mention.
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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	Page 1: 2. Constitutional, legislative and electoral matters: ... c. Revision of the electoral law or electoral laws  d. Revision of the National Electoral Commission: i. Mandate  ii. Independence  iii. Composition  Page 2: f. Status of international and domestic election monitoring:  i. Intergovernmental (regional, international);  ii. Non-governmental
Electoral commission	Page 1: 2. Constitutional, legislative and electoral matters: ... c. Revision of the electoral law or electoral laws  d. Revision of the National Electoral Commission: i. Mandate  ii. Independence  iii. Composition

Political parties reform	<p>Governance→Political parties reform→Other political parties reform</p> <p>Page 2:</p> <p>e. Home Office:</p> <p>i. Respect for the principle of non-interference in party affairs (for example, procedures to allow for the registration and legal recognition of political parties);</p> <p>ii. respect for fundamental freedoms (see section 1a);</p> <p>iii. Reunification of political parties according to the plan of action agreed upon in 2013</p> <p>iv. Produce a comparative analysis of good practices in the region.</p>
Civil society	No specific mention.
Traditional/religious leaders	No specific mention.
Public administration	No specific mention.
Constitution	<p>Governance→Constitution→Constitutional reform/making</p> <p>Page 1:</p> <p>2. Constitutional, legislative and electoral matters:</p> <p>a. Constitutional issues</p>

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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      Page 1:  
1. Political Matters  
...  
d. Human rights  
e. Rule of Law and Good governance

Page 2:  
e. Home Office:

i. Respect for the principle of non-interference in party affairs (for example, procedures to allow for the registration and legal recognition of political parties);

ii. respect for fundamental freedoms (see section 1a);

Bill of rights/similar      No specific mention.

Treaty incorporation      No specific mention.

Civil and political rights	<p>Human rights and equality→Civil and political rights→Freedom of movement Page 1: 1. Political Matters a) Guarantee of fundamental freedoms ... ii. Freedom of movement</p> <p>Human rights and equality→Civil and political rights→Freedom of association Page 1: 1. Political Matters a) Guarantee of fundamental freedoms ... ii. Freedom of assembly</p> <p>Human rights and equality→Civil and political rights→Vote and take part Page 1: 1. Political Matters a) Guarantee of fundamental freedoms ... ii. Freedom of assembly</p>
Socio-economic rights	No specific mention.

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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	No specific mention.
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**

Criminal justice and emergency law No specific mention.

State of emergency provisions No specific mention.

Judiciary and courts No specific mention.

Prisons and detention No specific mention.

Traditional Laws No specific mention.

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## **Socio-economic reconstruction**

Development or socio-economic reconstruction    Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Socio-economic development  
Page 2:  
3. Socio-economic situation and humanitarian issues  
a. Impact of the crisis on the socio-economic situation;

National economic plan    No specific mention.

Natural resources    No specific mention.

International funds    No specific mention.

Business    No specific mention.

Taxation    No specific mention.

Banks    No specific mention.

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## **Land, property and environment**

Land reform/ rights    No specific mention.

Pastoralist/ nomadism rights    No specific mention.

Cultural heritage    No specific mention.

Environment    No specific mention.

Water or riparian rights or access

No specific mention.

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## Security sector

Security Guarantees

Page 1:  
1. Political Matters  
...  
c. Return of exiled political figures:  
  
i. Guarantees of personal security to facilitate their peaceful return to Burundi and free participation in social, political and economic activities

Page 2:  
4. Security  
  
a. Disarmament of armed youth groups allied to political parties;  
  
b. General and personal security (see section 1.c.i);  
  
c. Security sector reform / reform of the governance sector;  
  
d. Outside observers (EAC, AU, UN)

Ceasefire

No specific mention.

Police

No specific mention.

Armed forces

No specific mention.

DDR Security sector→DDR→DDR programmes  
Page 2:  
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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	Page 1: 1. Political Matters ... b. Goodwill-building measures: i. Release of political prisoners
Vetting	No specific mention.
Victims	No specific mention.
Missing persons	No specific mention.
Reparations	Transitional justice→Reparations→Material reparations Page 2: 3. Socio-economic situation and humanitarian issues ... b. Return of refugees (spontaneous and organized); c. Reintegration of displaced persons into the country; d. Repairs and restitutions: i. For damages caused during the period of April 2015 (declaration of the candidacy of President Nkurunziza) until the current period;
Reconciliation	Page 1: 1. Political Matters ... b. Goodwill-building measures:

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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	Page 2: 4. Security a. Disarmament of armed youth groups allied to political parties; b. General and personal security (see section 1.c.i); c. Security sector reform / reform of the governance sector; d. Outside observers (EAC, AU, UN)
Enforcement mechanism	No specific mention.
Related cases	No specific mention.
Source	University of Antwerp, Burundi, Dialogue-Negotiations website: <a href="https://www.uantwerpen.be/en/projects/centre-des-grands-lacs-afrique/droit-pouvoir-paix-burundi/conflit-2015-17/dialogue/">https://www.uantwerpen.be/en/projects/centre-des-grands-lacs-afrique/droit-pouvoir-paix-burundi/conflit-2015-17/dialogue/</a>

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