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<b>Country/ entity</b>	Yemen
<b>Region</b>	Middle East and North Africa
<b>Agreement name</b>	Document of Reconciliation between areas of al-Mahariq and al-Saliyah, Sheikh Othman, Aden
<b>Date</b>	26 Apr 2019
<b>Agreement status</b>	Multiparty signed/agreed
<b>Interim arrangement</b>	Yes
<b>Agreement/ conflict level</b>	Intrastate/local conflict ( Yemeni Civil Wars (1994) (2011 - ) )
<b>Stage</b>	Ceasefire/related
<b>Conflict nature</b>	Inter-group
<b>Peace process</b>	Yemen Inter-group Agreements
<b>Parties</b>	The brothers in the area of Al-Mahariq, and they are:  <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Muhammad Saeed Saleh Abdullah</li><li>2. Badr Ghaleb Ghaleb</li><li>3. Sheikh Ali Muhammad bin Muhammad Burahah</li></ol> And the brothers in the area of Al-Saliyah, and they are:  <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Shawi Hasan Abdoh</li><li>2. Mayal Muhammad Ahmad</li><li>3. Iyad Taha Noman</li></ol>
<b>Third parties</b>	Agreement witnessed by: Commander of the Sheikh Othman [ILLEGIBLE] Abu Jamal/ Nasser al-Hout [SIGNED] Commander of the 3rd Infantry Forces Sheikh Bassam al-Mihdhar [SIGNED]
<b>Description</b>	A short ceasefire agreement between two district level local armed groups to stop the conflict and violence between Muslims during the month of Ramadan.

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**Agreement  
document** [YE\\_190427\\_Lahj Agreement between al-Mahariq and al-Saliya\\_EN.pdf](#)  | [Download PDF](#)

## 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	Groups→Religious groups→Rhetorical Page 1, ... This agreement is put in place to stop bloodshed between Muslims.
Indigenous people	No specific mention.
Other 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, ... the attendees signed the agreement in the attendance of Sheikh Bassam Mihdhar and Sheikh Nasser Bin Huror based on the request from the sheriff of the district of Sheikh Othman, Sheikh Ahmad al-Mihdhar.

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 Page 1, ...Then, they will resort, after Allah, to the authorities to settle the dispute between them based on the law and using the secondary methods.

Bill of rights/similar No specific mention.

Treaty incorporation No specific mention.

Civil and political rights No specific mention.

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 No specific mention.

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	Land, property and environment→Cultural heritage→Intangible Page 1, ... stop the mutual violence between the two sides after signing the agreement and until after the Blessed Eid al-Fitr  Page 1, ... both sides adhere to not causing any violence or chaos after this agreement due to the coming of the blessed month of Ramadan and so as not to disturb the peace.
Environment	No specific mention.
Water or riparian rights or access	No specific mention.

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## Security sector

Security Guarantees	No specific mention.
Ceasefire	Security sector→Ceasefire→Ceasefire provision Page 1, The agreement was to stop the mutual violence between the two sides after signing the agreement and until after the Blessed Eid al-Fitr so that each side can prepare the complaints, evidence, and witnesses against the other side. Then, they will resort, after Allah, to the authorities to settle the dispute between them based on the law and using the secondary methods.  Page 1, So, both sides adhere to not causing any violence or chaos after this agreement due to the coming of the blessed month of Ramadan and so as not to disturb the peace. This agreement is put in place to stop bloodshed between Muslims. Out of the understanding of all of the parties of what was mentioned above, the attendees signed the agreement in the attendance of Sheikh Bassam Mihdhar and Sheikh Nasser Bin Huror based on the request from the sheriff of the district of Sheikh Othman, Sheikh Ahmad al-Mihdhar. This agreement aims to fix the relationship between everyone and help the people of the district avoid conflict and violence.



Police No specific mention.

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 Page 1, ...This agreement aims to fix the relationship between everyone and help the people of the district avoid conflict and violence.

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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 Alomanaa.net, 'After efforts of Hadur and al-Mihdhar ... Signing of a document of reconciliation between al-Muhariq and al-Saliyah in Aden', 27 April 2019, <https://www.alomanaa.net/news93184.html>

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