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**Country/
entity** Yemen

Region Middle East and North Africa

**Agreement
name** Agreement between Yafa'ai tribe security belt members and Lahj governorate officials to protect the roads

Date 22 Mar 2018

**Agreement
status** Multiparty signed/agreed

**Interim
arrangement** Yes

**Agreement/
conflict level** Intrastate/local conflict (Yemeni Civil Wars (1994) (2011 -))

Stage Framework/substantive - partial

**Conflict
nature** Inter-group

Peace process Yemen Inter-group Agreements

Parties Local Yafa'ai tribe as part of Security belt forces and Governorate officials in Lahj governorate.

Governor of the province [signature]

Director of Security for Lahij Governorate [signature]

Commander of the Security Belt, Lahij Governorate and Yafa' sector [signature]

Director General of Laabos Directorate [signature]

Director General of al- Hadd Directorate [signature]

Director General of Yahr Directorate [signature]

General Director of al-Maflahi Directorate [signature]

Commander of Laabos security [signature]

Commander of al-Hadd security [signature]

Commander of Yahr security [signature]

Commander of al-Maflahi Security [signature]

Director of Public Works and Roads Department, Laabos Directorate [signature]

Director of Public Works and Roads Department, al- Hadd Directorate [signature]

Director of Public Works and Roads Department, al-Maflahi Directorate [signature]

Director of Public Works and Roads Department, Yahr Directorate [signature]

Third parties -

Description Short agreement which provides for the protection of key roads in Lahj governorate, including acts of banditry and destruction of roads. The agreement provides for a range of detailed measures in the interest of preserving roads for public interests, setting out a system of public reporting and commensurate fines.

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Groups

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| 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 | No specific mention. |
| Social class | No specific mention. |

Gender

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| Women, girls and gender | No specific mention. |
| Men and boys | No specific mention. |
| LGBTI | No specific mention. |
| Family | No specific mention. |

State definition

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| 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. |

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| Cross-border provision | No specific mention. |
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Governance

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| Political institutions (new or reformed) | No specific mention. |
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| Elections | No specific mention. |
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| Electoral commission | No specific mention. |
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| Political parties reform | No specific mention. |
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| Civil society | No specific mention. |
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| Traditional/religious leaders | No specific mention. |
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Public administration Page 1, The Subject: Protection of public roads and the secondary roads of Yafa'

2 - All endorse the protection of the main four pass roads from each side based on previous decisions made by the local councils during construction (taking into account the geographical nature of the district of Yahr in the de facto places outside the asphalt line, according to the view of officials there, for the public interest.

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5- It is firmly prohibited to damage the asphalt line with random excavations to pass water, electricity, or other items. Also, it is prohibited to work or construct any hump or waterline except with an official license from the public works department and following the guidance of the director general of the directorate, and in an engineering and civilized manner, and ensuring the removal of random humps

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10 - The Works and Roads Department in the directorates, along with the security apparatus and the security belt, and in coordination with the directors of the general directorates, shall supervise and monitor all of the above, to control [future] violations, limit previous violations, and deal with them decisively and responsibly in a way that [help] achieve the safety of the general and secondary roads and [بالمخالفات التماثل وعدم] [and all citizens have to report any new violation.

Constitution No specific mention.

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.

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 No specific mention.

Rights related issues

Citizenship No specific mention.

Democracy No specific mention.

Detention procedures No specific mention.

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| Media and communication | No specific mention. |
| Mobility/ access | Page 1, The Subject: Protection of public roads and the secondary roads of Yafa' 1 - All acknowledges banning and outlawing all kind of attacks on the main and secondary roads, and no group or individual has the right to attack or disrupt them, for whatever the reason, because they are public routes that serve everyone and are a red line and it is forbidden to narrow or attack them from any party, group, or people. |
| Protection measures | No specific mention. |
| Other | No specific mention. |

Rights institutions

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| NHRI | No specific mention. |
| Regional or international human rights institutions | No specific mention. |

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 No specific mention.

Prisons and detention No specific mention.

Traditional Laws No specific mention.

Socio-economic reconstruction

Development or socio-economic reconstruction Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Infrastructure and reconstruction
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11- This letter and what has been agreed upon will be copied for the relevant authorities in the four directorates, local councils, notables, leaders of the movement, social figures, all concerned people, and citizens in general, and everyone is concerned to preserve the main and secondary road lines, and stop assaulting or damaging them, and to immediately report any attack to the concerned authorities to stop and hold any violator accountable, and applying fines and the appropriate penalty for each violation, removing any innovations or obstacles.

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.

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 Page 2, The Subject: Protection of public roads and the secondary roads of Yafa'

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Security sector

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Ceasefire No specific mention.

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 Page 1, The Subject: Protection of public roads and the secondary roads of Yafa'

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7 - It is firmly prohibited to assault roads and sub-gravel roads, or damage approved plans (the current existing roads), or prevent repairing, maintaining, paving, and asphaltting, and every directorate, region and village concerned, has to report damage or assaults [carried out] by any party or persons. The concerned authorities shall respond to any report quickly.

Drugs No specific mention.

Terrorism No specific mention.

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.

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 Page 2, The Subject: Protection of public roads and the secondary roads of Yafa'

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Related cases No specific mention.

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