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Country/ entity	Mali
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Peace Agreement between the Dogon & Peulh communities of Madougou and Barapirely
Date	24 Jan 2021
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/local conflict (Mali: Dogon-Fulani and other local conflicts (2015 -))
Stage	Framework/substantive - partial
Conflict nature	Inter-group
Peace process	Mali Local Processes
Parties	For the Dogon community: Atoye Doumbo, head of village of Materou Mamoudou Perou, counsellor at Bande Moussa Goro, head of village of Madougou Hamidou Kodio, counsellor at Madougou Souleymane Kodio, representative of the head of villahe of Kassawan Da Yessa Goro, head of village of Domino Sogou Mohamed Kodio, head of village of Anana Issa Dougnon, head of village of Barapirely Issiaka Poudiougou, head of village of Ourokoun Timothee Dougnon, head of village of Anakanda Hamidou Dougnon, head of village of Nagadourou For the Fulani community: Mamoudou Barry, head of village of Binedama Daouda Barry, head of village of Naye Hamidou Barry, head of village of Madougou Peulh Moussa Djoune Barry, head of village of Karakinde Aliou Kodjou Barry, counsellor at Naye Bangole Barry, counsellor at Madougou Peulh Aliou Hamadoun Barry, head of village of Bombou

Third parties Witnesses

First witness: Allaye Teme, first vice-president of Monobem

Second witness: Saidou Dama, representative of Haut Conseil Islamique (High Islamic Council of Mali)

Third witness: Nouh Djeme, first vice-president of Recotrade

[Unsigned: mediators from the HD Centre]

Description This is one of three agreements signed between the Fulani and Dogon with humanitarian objectives on 12, 22 and 24 January 2021, led by the Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue (HD) and the community association Monobèm. Through these agreements, the communities further commit to ensuring the physical integrity and free circulation of persons, goods, and livestock, while condemning the violence in the circle of Koro, in Central Mali. In this agreement, the representatives of the local communities agree to facilitate circulation of people and goods, access to lands and roads, attendance of markets, and access to NGOs, while at the same time committing to not carrying weapons.

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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	Groups→Religious groups→Rhetorical Page 4: Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...] l) Respect the habits and customs of the different communities and places of worship;
Indigenous people	No specific mention.
Other groups	No specific mention.
Refugees/ displaced persons	Groups→Refugees/displaced persons→Rhetorical Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...] d) Support and facilitate the return of all displaced persons;
Social class	No specific mention.

Gender

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

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.

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	Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...] k) Encourage the gradual return of basic social services and the movement of NGOs in the areas affected by the agreement,
Traditional/ religious leaders	Page 4: Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...] m) Respect the moral authority of traditional religious authorities who, before the crisis, preserved social cohesion and eased social tensions. Page 6: Chapter VI: Dispute management [...] Article 11: In the event of failure to apply the solution identified in a consensual manner with the Monitoring Committee, the Parties will jointly refer to traditional and religious dispute management mechanisms.
Public administration	No specific mention.
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.

Media and communication No specific mention.

Mobility/access Page 4:
Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to:
[...]
b) Facilitate the free movement of people and their goods throughout the two municipalities;

Page 4:
Chapter III: Commitments of the Parties

Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to:
[...]
e) Encourage and facilitate market attendance by all communities;
[...]
j) Facilitate the free use of natural and land resources by all communities (fields, pastures, passageways, travel stops, etc.);
k) Encourage the gradual return of basic social services and the movement of NGOs in the areas affected by the agreement,

Protection measures No specific mention.

Other No specific mention.

Rights institutions

NHRI No specific mention.

Regional or international human rights institutions No specific mention.

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	<p>Page 4: Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...] l) Respect the habits and customs of the different communities and places of worship; m) Respect the moral authority of traditional religious authorities who, before the crisis, preserved social cohesion and eased social tensions.</p> <p>Page 6: Chapter VI: Dispute management [...] Article 11: In the event of failure to apply the solution identified in a consensual manner with the Monitoring Committee, the Parties will jointly refer to traditional and religious dispute management mechanisms.</p>

Socio-economic reconstruction

Development or socio-economic reconstruction	No specific mention.
National economic plan	No specific mention.

Natural resources	<p>Page 4: Chapter III: Commitments of the Parties</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>j) Facilitate the free use of natural and land resources by all communities (fields, pastures, passageways, travel stops, etc.);</p>
International funds	No specific mention.
Business	<p>Page 4: Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>b) Facilitate the free movement of people and their goods throughout the two municipalities;</p> <p>Page 4: Chapter III: Commitments of the Parties</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>e) Encourage and facilitate market attendance by all communities;</p>
Taxation	No specific mention.
Banks	No specific mention.

Land, property and environment

Land reform/ rights	<p>Land, property and environment→Land reform/rights→Other land rights</p> <p>Page 4: Chapter III: Commitments of the Parties</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>j) Facilitate the free use of natural and land resources by all communities (fields, pastures, passageways, travel stops, etc.);</p>
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Pastoralist/ nomadism rights	<p>Page 4: Chapter III: Commitments of the Parties</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>j) Facilitate the free use of natural and land resources by all communities (fields, pastures, passageways, travel stops, etc.);</p> <p>Page 4: Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>h) Oppose cattle theft regardless of the owner's community and facilitate the search for stolen goods and animals so that they can be returned to their owner;</p> <p>i) Not claim animals and property removed or lost during the conflict ;</p>
Cultural heritage	<p>Land, property and environment→Cultural heritage→Intangible</p> <p>Page 4: Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: [...]</p> <p>l) Respect the habits and customs of the different communities and places of worship;</p> <p>m) Respect the moral authority of traditional religious authorities who, before the crisis, preserved social cohesion and eased social tensions.</p>
Environment	No specific mention.
Water or riparian rights or access	No specific mention.

Security sector

Security Guarantees	No specific mention.
Ceasefire	No specific mention.
Police	No specific mention.

Armed forces	No specific mention.
DDR	Security sector→DDR→Demilitarisation provisions Page 4, Chapter III: Commitments of the Parties Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to: ... f) Not carry weapons in villages and towns
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.

Transitional justice

Transitional justice general	No specific mention.
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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	<p>Transitional justice→Reparations→Material reparations</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to:</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>h) Oppose cattle theft regardless of the owner's community and facilitate the search for stolen goods and animals so that they can be returned to their owner;</p> <p>i) Not claim animals and property removed or lost during the conflict ;</p>
Reconciliation	<p>Article 4: The Parties jointly undertake to:</p> <p>a) Encourage community leaders to commit to peace by forgiving all past acts and by spreading messages of cohesion and appeasement;</p> <p>[...]</p> <p>c) Encourage the establishment of measures of reciprocal confidence between communities (restitution of animals, condemnation of thieves, etc.);</p> <p>d) Support and facilitate the return of all displaced persons;</p>

Implementation

UN signatory	No specific mention.
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Other No specific mention.
international
signatory

Referendum No specific mention.
for
agreement

International No specific mention.
mission/
force/similar

Enforcement mechanism Page 5-6:
Chapter V: Monitoring of implementation

Article 6: The Parties undertake to meet once a quarter during the first year following the signing of this Agreement to take stock of the implementation of the Agreement and, if necessary, renew and adjust the commitments.

Article 7: A Monitoring Committee will be set up, whose mission is to:

- a) Regularly update the Parties on the progress made in implementing the commitments made under this Agreement to strengthen its scope;
- b) Prevent and manage disputes between the Parties that may lead to non-compliance with this Agreement;
- c) Identify, if necessary, additional measures necessary for the inter-communal reconciliation process.
- d) Regularly update the State authorities on the progress made in implementing the commitments made under this Agreement to strengthen its scope;

Article 8: 15 members appointed by consensus to represent all of the Peulh and Dogon communities will make up the Monitoring Committee. There will be 5 Dogon representatives from the municipality of Madougou, 5 Dogon representatives from the municipality of Barapirely, and 5 representatives from the Peulh community across both municipalities.

Chapter VI: Dispute management

Article 9: The parties will do everything in their power to settle amicably and by negotiation any dispute arising between them, in the spirit of cooperation and friendship which underlies this peace agreement.

Article 10: In the event of a breach of the application of this Agreement or the event of a dispute relating to its interpretation, the Parties will refer the matter to the Monitoring Committee so that a consensual solution is identified and applied.

Article 11: In the event of failure to apply the solution identified in a consensual manner with the Monitoring Committee, the Parties will jointly refer to traditional and religious dispute management mechanisms.

Article 12: In the event of a serious breach of the application of this Agreement, and of a failure of all attempts at negotiation to remedy it, the Parties may terminate this Agreement. Such termination will take effect on a specified termination date. In this case, the Parties will take all necessary measures to minimize the impact of such a decision on the peace efforts already undertaken.

Related cases No specific mention.

Source The agreement was sourced from the HD Centre website, at <https://www.hdcentre.org/updates/three-peace-agreements-signed-between-the-fulani-and-dogon-of-the-area-circle-of-koro-in-central-mali/> (Accessed on 26/4/2021)