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**Country/ entity** Mali

**Region** Africa (excl MENA)

**Agreement name** Agreement between the Dogon, Dafing and Fulani communities in the communes of Diallassagou, Koulogon Habe, Lassagou Habe, Segue, Soubala, Sokoura and Tori

**Date** 7 Feb 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** Pour la communauté dogon

- 1- Dramane DAMANGO [signature] Chef de village de Diallassagou
- 2- Allaye GANA [signature] Chef de village de Lessagou
- 3- Christoph GUINDO [signature] Conseiller au chef de village de Ségue
- 4- Moussa TOGO [signature] Chef de village de Soubala
- 5- Elie DJIBO [signature] Conseiller au chef de village de Koulongon
- 6- Antimé YOSSI [signature] Représentant chef de village de Tori
- 7- Daouda TOGO [signature] Leader Jeunesse Diallassagou
- 8- Drissa GANA [signature] Chef de village Lessagou
- 9- Moumouni ARAMA [signature] Chef de village Koumé
- 10- Abdoulaye TOGO [signature] Leader communautaire Tori

Pour la communauté Dafing

- 1- Ousmane KOUMARE [signature] 1er adjoint au maire Sokoura
- 2- Mamadou BARRO [signature] Chef de village Bansé
- 3- Lassina KENDE [signature] Chef de village Tanga
- 4- Fodé SERY [signature] Chef de village Yira
- 5- Diakaridia ROME [signature] Chef de village Ganida
- 6- Yaya TRAORE [signature] Elu communal Sokoura
- 7- Seydou KOUAMARE [signature] Représentant RECOTRAD
- 8- Issouf SENOU [signature] Chef de village Sokoura
- 9- Adama BARRO [signature] Président de la jeunesse
- 10- Mamadou SERY [signature] Représentant des religieux

Pour la communauté peuhl

- 1- Amadou SANKARE [signature] Elu communal Lankanou
- 2- Mamoudou SANKARE [signature] Elu communal Boundou Eyourou
- 3- Bareïma SANKARE [signature] Leader communautaire Madina
- 4- Allaye SANKARE [signature] Leader communautaire Ouenkorowel
- 5- Aliou SANKARE [signature] Leader communautaire Ouro Boudou
- 6- Mody DIAGAYETE [signature] Elu communal Koumé Peul
- 7- Aliou DIAGAYETE [signature] Jeune leader Kourkanda Peuhl
- 8- Boukari DIAGAYETE [signature] Elu communal Ouandiana Peuhl
- 9- Allaye DIAGAYETE [signature] Jeune leader Sounfounou Peuhl
- 10- Housseini DIALLO [signature] Leader communautaire Koulougou Peuhl

**Third parties** 1st witness

Boubacar YOSSI [signature] Chef de village Tori

2nd witness

Nouhoum SANKARE [signature] Imam Mana

3rd witness

Timothée SOMBORO [signature] [stamp] Chef de village Ségue

4th witness

Idrissa SANKARE [signature] Ex député de Bankass

[unsigned mediator: HD Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue and Monobem association]

**Description** Agreement signed between the representatives of the Fulani, Dafing and Dogon communities of 7 of the 12 municipalities in the circle of Bankass. The signatories commit to ensuring the physical integrity and free circulation of persons, goods, and livestock, while condemning the violence in the circle of Bankass, in Central Mali.

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**Agreement document** [ML\\_210207\\_Accord-de-Diallassagou\\_EN.pdf](#) | Download PDF

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## Groups

Children/ youth	Groups→Children/youth→Rhetorical Page 4, Section IV: Recommendations to the State Article 5: The Parties ask the State to support their efforts to make peace in the Cercle of Bankass, and to: e) Enter into dialogue with armed groups in order to agree on a negotiated outcome for young people who have laid down arms;
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→Substantive Page 4, Section III: Agreements Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to: m) Respect the laws and customs, and places of worship of other communities;
Indigenous people	No specific mention.
Other groups	No specific mention.
Refugees/ displaced persons	Groups→Refugees/displaced persons→Rhetorical Page 4, Section III: Agreements Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to: Facilitate the return of displaced people;
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	<p>Page 4, Section III: Agreements Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to: n) Respect the authority of traditional and religious authorities which used to keep social order and ease social tensions before the crisis.</p> <p>Page 4, Section IV: Recommendations to the State Article 5: The Parties ask the State to support their efforts to make peace in the Cercle of Bankass, and to: h) Help reinforce the legitimacy of traditional and religious authority, to help achieve their peacekeeping and citizen oversight goals.</p>
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      Human rights and equality→Civil and political rights→Thought, opinion, conscience and religion  
Page 4,  
Section III: Agreements  
Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to:  
m) Respect the laws and customs, and places of worship of other communities;

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 Page 3,  
Section III: Agreements  
Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to:

c) Facilitate freedom of movement of people and goods throughout the communes;

Page 4,  
Section III: Agreements  
Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to:

k) Facilitating free use of natural and land resources by all communities (fields, pastures, passages, rest stops, etc.);

l) Foster socioeconomic development of the communes by encouraging the gradual return of services (health, education, hydraulic) and circulation of NGOs;

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	<p>Page 4, Section III: Agreements Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to: m) Respect the laws and customs, and places of worship of other communities; n) Respect the authority of traditional and religious authorities which used to keep social order and ease social tensions before the crisis.</p> <p>Page 5, Section VI: Resolving differences Article 11: If the solution found by the Oversight Committee should fail, the Parties shall jointly refer to traditional and religious dispute resolution methods.</p>

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## Socio-economic reconstruction

Development or socio-economic reconstruction	<p>Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Socio-economic development</p> <p>Page 4, Section III: Agreements</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to:</p> <p>l) Foster socioeconomic development of the communes by encouraging the gradual return of services (health, education, hydraulic) and circulation of NGOs;</p> <p>Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Humanitarian assistance</p> <p>Page 4, Section IV: Recommendations to the State</p> <p>Article 5: The Parties ask the State to support their efforts to make peace in the Cercle of Bankass, and to:</p> <p>d) Contribute humanitarian and economic assistance, and food to all communities which have suffered during the crisis to stimulate economic activity in the region;</p> <p>Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Infrastructure and reconstruction</p> <p>Page 4, Section IV: Recommendations to the State</p> <p>Article 5: The Parties ask the State to support their efforts to make peace in the Cercle of Bankass, and to:</p> <p>a) Encourage the restoration of destroyed villages; [...]</p> <p>f) Build, repair and equip communities with basic social infrastructure (water sources, health centre, seeds, schools, etc.);</p>
National economic plan	No specific mention.
Natural resources	<p>Page 4, Section III: Agreements</p> <p>Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to:</p> <p>k) Facilitating free use of natural and land resources by all communities (fields, pastures, passages, rest stops, etc.);</p>
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 3,  
Section III: Agreements  
Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to:  
b) Prohibiting any provocation or sentiments which are vexatious to the other  
community;  
  
[...]  
  
g) Not carrying weapons in villages and towns;

Ceasefire	No specific mention.
Police	No specific mention.
Armed forces	No specific mention.
DDR	Security sector→DDR→Demilitarisation provisions Page 4, Section III: Agreements Article 4: The Parties mutually agree to: Not carrying 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.

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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 2, Preamble:

In consideration of the results of previous reconciliation efforts led by our communities, the State, collectives, NGOs, and citizens' groups in the Bankass Cercle; and, further, in consideration of the signing of two peace agreements in the Cercle in 2019 (the Baye Agreement and the Ouenkoro Agreement) mediated by the Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue through engagement with all the communities in order to facilitate free movement of people and their goods.

Page 5, Article 7: An Oversight Committee is hereby put in place, whose mission is to:

c) Identify any additional measures necessary for the intercommunity reconciliation process, as needed;

**Implementation**

UN                    No specific mention.  
signatory

Other                No specific mention.  
international  
signatory

Referendum        No specific mention.  
for  
agreement

International      No specific mention.  
mission/  
force/similar

Enforcement Page 5,

mechanism Section V: Oversight of implementation

Article 6: The Parties agree to meet once every three months for the first year following signature of this Agreement in order to check in on performance of the Agreement and, if necessary, to renew and modify the agreements made herein.

Article 7: An Oversight Committee is hereby put in place, whose mission is to:

a) Check in regularly with the Parties regarding progress of performing the commitments made in this Agreement, in order to reinforce the scope of the same;

b) Prevent and manage differences between the Parties which might lead to breach of this Agreement;

c) Identify any additional measures necessary for the intercommunity reconciliation process, as needed;

d) Check in regularly with state authorities regarding progress of implementing the commitments made in this Agreement, in order to reinforce the scope of the same;

e) Share experiences with neighbouring communes and encourage them to work towards peace.

Article 8: The Oversight Committee will be comprised of 15 members appointed by consensus to represent all the Fulani, Dafing and Dogon communities. 5 representatives of the Fulani community, 5 representatives of the Dafing community, and 5 representatives of the Dogon community will be chosen by consensus.

Page 5,

Section VI: Resolving differences

Article 10: In the event of non-applicability of this Agreement or in case of dispute regarding its interpretation, the parties shall call upon the Oversight Committee so that a consensual solution can be found and implemented.

Article 11: If the solution found by the Oversight Committee should fail, the Parties shall jointly refer to traditional and religious dispute resolution methods.

Article 12: In the event that application of this Agreement should fail, and all negotiation attempts to remedy it should fail, the Parties may revoke this Agreement. Such revocation shall take effect on the date on which the various parties are notified of such revocation. In that event, the Parties shall take all necessary measures to minimise the impact of such a decision on existing peacemaking efforts.

Related cases

No specific mention.

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