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Country/ entity	Central African Republic
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Agreement from a verbal process between the Government, the guarantors, facilitators, and Mr Ali Darassa
Date	30 Jul 2020
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Central African Republic Conflicts (1996 -))
Stage	Framework/substantive - partial
Conflict nature	Government
Peace process	CAR: African Initiative (and related) Process

Parties	<p>Page 2,</p> <p>(SIGNATORIES)</p> <p>The Leader of the UPC</p> <p>Ali Darass</p> <p>The Special Representative of the President of the Commission of the African Union</p> <p>Mathias Bertino Matondo</p> <p>The Ambassador Representative of the Secretary General of CEEAC</p> <p>Adolphe Nahayo</p> <p>The Prime Minister (illegible) the Government</p> <p>Firmin N'grebada</p>
Third parties	<p>Listed on page 1 as present, but not signing:</p> <p>Ms. Denise Brown, Special Representative of the Secretary General of the United Nations;</p> <p>Ms. Laeticia Jeanne Marie Boukoro Amphy Wang, Leader of the Prime Minister's Cabinet.</p>
Description	<p>This is an agreement in which the government and the leader of UPC (Ali Darassa) agree on Darassa's status, and in return he commits to retreat of the UPC troops, not challenging the government, supporting the electoral process, and similar. The agreement is controversial as Darassa later claimed he was coerced into signing.</p>

Agreement document

[CF_200730-Agreement from a verbal process-TR.pdf](#)  | [Download PDF](#)

Agreement document (original language)

[CF_200730_Agreement from a verbal process between the Government the guarantors facilitators and Mr Ali Darassa.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	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

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 Page 2:

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Electoral commission Page 2:

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Political parties reform No specific mention.

Civil society No specific mention.

Traditional/religious leaders No specific mention.

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 1-2:

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Protection measures No specific mention.

Other No specific mention.

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.
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State of emergency provisions	No specific mention.
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Judiciary and courts	No specific mention.
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Prisons and detention	No specific mention.
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Traditional Laws	No specific mention.
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Socio-economic reconstruction

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

Security sector

Security Guarantees	Page 2: For its part, the Government shall create favourable conditions to: 1. Install Mr. Ali Darassa in Bambari in a position similar to that of Mr. Sidiki Abass. 2. Reinforce an effective and permanent communication and consultation mechanism between the Government and the leaders of former armed groups – the UPC in the instant case.
Ceasefire	No specific mention.
Police	No specific mention.
Armed forces	No specific mention.
DDR	Security sector→DDR→DDR programmes Page 1-2: Per the discussions, Mr. Ali Darassa agrees to: [...] 5. Create conditions to facilitate DDR processes with UPC
Intelligence services	No specific mention.

Parastatal/
rebel and
opposition
group
forces

Page 1-2:

Per the discussions, Mr. Ali Darassa agrees to:

1. Not infringe upon the authority of the State in all its components;
2. Immediately withdraw UPC troops from Bambouli;
3. Not have contact with the mercenary Moussa Assymeï;
4. Publish a press release canceling the declaration of friendship with 3R;
5. Create conditions to facilitate DDRR processes with UPC
6. Refrain from any act which comes under the sovereign jurisdiction of the Government;
7. Support the electoral process by ensuring free movement of agents from the National Election Authority and various actors.

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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.

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	<p>Page 2:</p> <p>The Special Representative of the President of the Commission of the African Union</p> <p>Mathias Bertino Matondo</p> <p>The Ambassador Representative of the Secretary General of CEEAC</p> <p>Adolphe Nahayo</p>
Referendum for agreement	No specific mention.
International mission/force/similar	No specific mention.
Enforcement mechanism	No specific mention.
Related cases	No specific mention.
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