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Country/ entity	Kosovo Serbia
Region	Europe and Eurasia Europe and Eurasia
Agreement name	Belgrade-Pristina Dialogue: Implementation Annex to the Agreement on the Path to Normalisation of Relations between Kosovo and Serbia
Date	18 Mar 2023
Agreement status	Status unclear
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Interstate/intrastate conflict(s) (Balkan Conflicts (1991 - 1995) (1998 - 2001))
Stage	Implementation/renegotiation
Conflict nature	Government/territory
Peace process	Kosovo-Serbia Normalisation Process
Parties	Albin Kurti, Kosovo Prime; Aleksandar Vucic, Serbian President
Third parties	Josep Borrell, EU Foreign Policy Chief; France; Germany; United States
Description	Short EU-sponsored implementation annex of an agreement to normalize ties between Kosovo and Serbia. The plan outlines the practical steps required for normalisation, including avenues for both nations to pursue EU membership, as well as preventing Serbia from obstructing Kosovo's bid for membership in international organizations. Status of agreement is listed as 'unclear' due to post-hoc dispute as to whether this was actually agreed and accepted by all parties.

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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	Groups→Racial/ethnic/national group→Substantive IMPLEMENTATION ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT ON THE PATH TO NORMALISATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN KOSOVO AND SERBIA ... To implement Article 7, Kosovo launches immediately negotiations within the EU-facilitated Dialogue on establishing specific arrangements and guarantees to ensure an appropriate level of self-management for the Serbian community in Kosovo, in compliance with relevant previous Dialogue agreements as determined by the EU Facilitator. (📄 Locate in agreement)
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 No specific mention.

Electoral commission No specific mention.

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	Power sharing→Territorial power sharing→Local/municipal government IMPLEMENTATION ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT ON THE PATH TO NORMALISATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN KOSOVO AND SERBIA ... To implement Article 7, Kosovo launches immediately negotiations within the EU-facilitated Dialogue on establishing specific arrangements and guarantees to ensure an appropriate level of self-management for the Serbian community in Kosovo, in compliance with relevant previous Dialogue agreements as determined by the EU Facilitator. (📄 Locate in agreement)
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 No specific mention.

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 No specific mention.

Socio-economic reconstruction

Development or socio-economic reconstruction No specific mention.

National economic plan No specific mention.

Natural resources No specific mention.

International funds **IMPLEMENTATION ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT ON THE PATH TO NORMALISATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN KOSOVO AND SERBIA**
...
To implement Article 9, the EU will organise a donor conference within 150 days to set up an investment and financial aid package for Kosovo and Serbia. (📄 Locate in agreement)
No disbursement will happen before the EU determines that all provisions of the Agreement have been fully implemented. (📄 Locate in agreement)
...
Kosovo and Serbia recognise that any failure to honour their obligations from the Agreement, this Annex or the past Dialogue Agreements may have direct negative consequences for their respective EU accession processes and the financial aid they receive from the EU. (📄 Locate in agreement)

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 No specific mention.

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 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 **IMPLEMENTATION ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT ON THE PATH TO NORMALISATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN KOSOVO AND SERBIA**
...
The Parties agree to endorse the Declaration on Missing Persons, as negotiated under the EU-facilitated Dialogue, as a matter of urgency. (🔒
Locate in agreement)

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 **IMPLEMENTATION ANNEX TO THE AGREEMENT ON THE PATH TO NORMALISATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN KOSOVO AND SERBIA**

...

The Parties agree to set up a Joint Monitoring Committee, chaired by the EU, within 30 days. (📄 Locate in agreement)

The implementation of all provisions shall be ensured and supervised by the Joint Monitoring Committee. (📄 Locate in agreement)

To implement Article 9, the EU will organise a donor conference within 150 days to set up an investment and financial aid package for Kosovo and Serbia. (📄 Locate in agreement)

No disbursement will happen before the EU determines that all provisions of the Agreement have been fully implemented. (📄 Locate in agreement)

Kosovo and Serbia agree that all Articles will be implemented independently of each other. (📄 Locate in agreement)

The order of the paragraphs of this Annex is without prejudice to the order of their implementation. (📄 Locate in agreement)

Kosovo and Serbia agree not to block implementation of any of the Articles. (📄 Locate in agreement)

All discussions related to implementation of the Agreement will take place under the EU-facilitated Dialogue. (📄 Locate in agreement)

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Related cases No specific mention.

Source No specific mention.
