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Agreement Ceasefire Agreement between the Transitional Government of Burundi and

name the Conseil National pour la Defence de la Democratie-Forces pour la Defense

de la Democratie

Date 2 Dec 2002

Agreement Multiparty signed/agreed

status

Interim Yes arrangement

Agreement/ Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Burundian Civil War (1993-2005))

conflict level

Stage Ceasefire/related

Conflict Government

nature

Peace process Burundi: Arusha and related peace process

Parties Signatories:

- For the Transitional Government of Burundi: (Signed) Pierre Buyoya President of the Republic of Burundi

- For CNDD-FDD:

(Signed) Pierre Nkurunziza Legal representative

Third parties Guarantors: - Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda

(Chairman of the Regional Initiative) Witnesses: - Benjamin Mkapa, President of the United Republic of Tanzania (Vice-Chairman of the Regional Initiative) -Ambassador Bah, Special Representative of the African Union in Burundi -Ambassador Dinka, Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary-General in Burundi - Deputy President Zuma Facilitator of the Burundi peace

process

Description The Agreement delineates the different stages of the ceasefire including

disarmament, demobilisation and reintegration, restructuring of the security

sector and establishing a new defence and security force for Burundi.

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Groups

Children/ youth Groups→Children/youth→Substantive

Page 1, Article 2:

1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

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1.7 The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Page 8-9, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions: 2. "Ceasefire" means:

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2.1.6 The cessation of all acts of violence against the civilian population, acts of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Page 8, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, D. Challenges to be faced:

1. A forces technical agreement will have to be negotiated and concluded as soon as possible in order to find solutions for the following:

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1.4 Child soldiers;

Disabled persons

Groups→Disabled persons→Substantive

Page 6, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.14 Burundi's Transitional Government and the African mission shall ensure the welfare of assembled combatants and determine the amounts to be paid to those who are not to be integrated into the new Burundian army. Particular attention shall be paid to combatants and civilians disabled or maimed in the war.

Page 9, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, D. Challenges to be faced:

1. A forces technical agreement will have to be negotiated and concluded as soon as possible in order to find solutions for the following:

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1.2 The war wounded and disabled;

Elderly/age No specific mention.

Migrant

No specific mention.

workers

Racial/

Groups→Racial/ethnic/national group→Substantive

ethnic/

Page 1, Article 2:

national group

1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

- 1.6 The cessation of all propaganda between the parties and of incitement to ethnic hatred both inside and outside the country;
- 1.7 The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Page 8, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions:

2. "Ceasefire" means:

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2.1.5 The cessation of all propaganda between the parties and of incitement to ethnic hatred both inside and outside the country;

Page 8-9, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions:

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2.1.6 The cessation of all acts of violence against the civilian population, acts of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Religious

Groups→Religious groups→Substantive

groups

Page 1, Article 2:

1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

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1.7 The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Indigenous

No specific mention.

people

Other groups

No specific mention.

Refugees/ displaced persons

No specific mention.

Social class No specific mention.

Gender

Women, girls and gender

Page 2-3, Article II:

1.7 The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Page 10, E. Definitions:

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2.1.6. The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Men and boys

No specific mention.

LGBTI No specific mention.

Family No specific mention.

State definition

Nature of

No specific mention.

state (general)

State

No specific mention.

configuration

Self No specific mention.

determination

Referendum No specific mention.

State

No specific mention.

symbols

Independence/ No specific mention.

secession

Accession/

No specific mention.

unification

Border

No specific mention.

delimitation

Cross-

No specific mention.

border provision

Governance

Political Governance→Political institutions (new or reformed)→Temporary new

institutions institutions (new or

Page 12, Annex 2:

reformed)

1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:

1.1 The return to constitutional legitimacy

1.11 Transitional institutions

Elections No specific mention.

Electoral

No specific mention.

commission

Political parties reform

Governance→Political parties reform→Rebels transitioning to political parties

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the

ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.17 Upon signing the Ceasefire Agreement, CNDD-FDD shall become a political party under the terms of the new law on political parties to be promulgated by the Transitional Government.

1.1.19 The Facilitator of the Burundi peace process shall ensure that all political issues and pending security issues are resolved during the interim period.

Civil society No specific mention.

Traditional/ No specific mention. religious leaders

Public Page 11, Annex 2:

administration 1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:

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1.14 Civil service reform

Constitution Governance→Constitution→Constitution affirmation/renewal

Page 11, Annex 2:

- 1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:
- 1.1 The return to constitutional legitimacy

...

1.7 Questions relating to the return to constitutional legitimacy

Power sharing

Political Power sharing→Political power sharing→General

power State level

sharing Page 2, Article VI:

1. The signatories to this Agreement agree to the following principles, the procedures for the implementation of which are specified in the Arusha Peace and Reconciliation Agreement for Burundi:

...

1.3 The establishment of a power-sharing system within the framework of an inclusive Transitional Government.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

...

1.1.12 CNDD-FDD shall take part in the Transitional Government's power-sharing arrangements. The details shall be negotiated between the parties concerned.

Territorial

No specific mention.

power sharing

Economic No specific mention.

power sharing

Military power sharing Power sharing→Military power sharing→Merger of forces

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.15 The integration programme shall concern the Burundian army, the police and the information services, as provided for in the Arusha Agreement.

Page 2, Article VI:

1. The signatories to this Agreement agree to the following principles, the procedures for the implementation of which are specified in the Arusha Peace and Reconciliation Agreement for Burundi:

...

1.2 The training of new defence and security forces, composed of government forces and combatants of the armed political parties;

. . .

- 1.1.8 In view of the security situation in Burundi, some troops of the Burundian army shall be excluded from the application of subparagraph 1.1.7 to enable them to perform the necessary security functions.
- 1.1.9 The Transitional Government of Burundi and CNDD-FDD shall set up joint military units, as a prelude to the establishment of the new army, to perform certain functions.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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- 1.1.14 Burundi's Transitional Government and the African mission shall ensure the welfare of assembled combatants and determine the amounts to be paid to those who are not to be integrated into the new Burundian army. Particular attention shall be paid to combatants and civilians disabled or maimed in the war.
- 1.1.15 The integration programme shall concern the Burundian army, the police and the information services, as provided for in the Arusha Agreement. 1.1.16 Burundi's Transitional Government shall ensure that new, integrated units are created, comprising troops of the Burundian army and combatants of the armed groups, according to the agreed procedures;

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 2. Second stage, 2.1 Phase I:

- 2.1.1 Restructuring and definition of the structure of the new defence and security forces of Burundi.
- 2.1.2 Selection of personnel for Burundi's new defence and security forces.
- 2.1.3 Officer training.
- 2.1.4 Training of soldiers.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 2. Second stage, 2.2 Phase II:

2.2.1 Establishment of Burundi's new defence and security forces.

Page 6-7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

...

1.10 The parties shall hand 80er to the African mission a certified list of their combatants and their weapons and an inventory of their equipment.

Human rights and equality

Human

Page 2, Article VI:

rights/RoL general 1. The signatories to this Agreement agree to the following principles, the procedures for the implementation of which are specified in the Arusha Peace

and Reconciliation Agreement for Burundi:

1.1 The founding of a State governed by the rule of law, based on national

unity, democracy, pluralism and respect for human rights;

Bill of

No specific mention.

rights/ similar

Treaty

No specific mention.

incorporation

Civil and

No specific mention.

political rights

Socio-

No specific mention.

economic rights

Rights related issues

Citizenship No specific mention.

Democracy

Page 2, Article VI:

1. The signatories to this Agreement agree to the following principles, the procedures for the implementation of which are specified in the Arusha Peace and Reconciliation Agreement for Burundi:

1.1 The founding of a State governed by the rule of law, based on national unity, democracy, pluralism and respect for human rights;

Page 11, Annex 2:

1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:

...

1.15 Democracy and good governance.

Detention procedures No specific mention.

Media and

Rights related issues→Media and communication→Governance of media communication Page 9, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions:

10. "Joint liaison teams" means:

10.1 Teams set up by the parties to the conflict and headed by observers whose role is to share information and facilitate communication between the parties at the working level in order to help reduce the number of ceasefire violations, clarify alleged violations of the Agreement and thus build confidence in the peace process among the public and the signatories.

Rights related issues→Media and communication→Media roles Page 6, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

1.2 Upon signing the Ceasefire Agreement, the parties shall cease all acts of violence and shall desist from public campaigns against the other parties. In other words, the media and public forums, among others, shall not be used to incite hostility.

Rights related issues→Media and communication→Media logistics Page 7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 2. Additional obligations of the Transitional Government of Burundi:

2.3 The Transitional Government undertakes to sign a status-of-forces agreement with the African peacekeeping mission, which shall provide for, inter alia:

2.3.2 Access to Burundi's radio frequencies;

Mobility/ access

Page 7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 2. Additional obligations of the Transitional Government of Burundi:

2.3 The Transitional Government undertakes to sign a status-of-forces agreement with the African peacekeeping mission, which shall provide for, inter alia:

2.3.3 Unimpeded use of Burundi's airspace.

Protection

Rights related issues→Protection measures→Other

measures Page 8, B. Obligations

- 2. Additional obligations of the Transitional Government of Burundi
- 2.3.1 Legal protection of members of the mission;

Rights institutions

NHRI No specific mention.

Regional or No specific mention. international human rights institutions

Justice sector reform

Criminal No specific mention.

justice and emergency law

State of No specific mention.

emergency provisions

Judiciary No specific mention.

and courts

Prisons and No specific mention.

detention

Traditional No specific mention.

Laws

Socio-economic reconstruction

Development No specific mention. or socioeconomic reconstruction

National

No specific mention.

economic

plan

Natural

No specific mention.

resources

International No specific mention.

funds

Business No specific mention.

Taxation No specific mention.

Banks No specific mention.

Land, property and environment

Land

reform/ rights

No specific mention.

Pastoralist/

No specific mention.

nomadism

rights

Cultural

No specific mention.

heritage

Environment No specific mention.

Water or	No specific mention.
riparian	
rights or	
access	

Security sector

Security

Page 1, Article 2:

Guarantees

1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

...

1.5 The total prohibition of mine-laying operations and of operations to obstruct defining;

..

1.7 The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.19 The Facilitator of the Burundi peace process shall ensure that all political issues and pending security issues are resolved during the interim period.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.2 Phase II:

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1.2.2 Demining and destruction of surplus weapons.

Page 6, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

...

1.6 Before proceeding to disengagement areas, the parties shall mark or indicate all dangerous areas where there are mines or booby traps or shall deactivate such mines or booby traps.

. . .

1.12 The parties shall indicate on maps the areas where there are minefields.

Page 8-9, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions: 2. "Ceasefire" means:

2.1.4 The prohibition of mine-laying operations and of operations to obstruct defining;

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2.1.6 The cessation of all acts of violence against the civilian population, acts of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

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- 6. "Security zones" refers to:
- 6.1 Zones where there are no armed personnel other than members of international peacekeeping operations.

Ceasefire Security sector→Ceasefire→Ceasefire provision

The agreement in its entirety provides for a ceasefire.

Police Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the

ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.15 The integration programme shall concern the Burundian army, the police and the information services, as provided for in the Arusha Agreement.

Armed forces

Page 2, Article VI:

1. The signatories to this Agreement agree to the following principles, the procedures for the implementation of which are specified in the Arusha Peace and Reconciliation Agreement for Burundi:

...

1.2 The training of new defence and security forces, composed of government forces and combatants of the armed political parties;

Page 4, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

1.1.3 Establishment of a Joint Ceasefire Commission and of joint liaison teams, one of which shall deal particularly with the forces technical agreement for Burundi's new defence and security forces;

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- 1.1.7 Troops of the Burundian armed forces and other combatants shall be confined to other areas to be agreed. The African mission's military observers shall monitor the Burundian army's heavy equipment in order to dispel the fears of opposition former combatants. Heavy equipment shall mean tanks, infantry, combat vehicles, artillery pieces of a calibre larger than 82-mm mortars, aircraft, etc.
- 1.1.8 In view of the security situation in Burundi, some troops of the Burundian army shall be excluded from the application of subparagraph 1.1.7 to enable them to perform the necessary security functions.
- 1.1.9 The Transitional Government of Burundi and CNDD-FDD shall set up joint military units, as a prelude to the establishment of the new army, to perform certain functions.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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- 1.1.14 Burundi's Transitional Government and the African mission shall ensure the welfare of assembled combatants and determine the amounts to be paid to those who are not to be integrated into the new Burundian army. Particular attention shall be paid to combatants and civilians disabled or maimed in the war.
- 1.1.15 The integration programme shall concern the Burundian army, the police and the information services, as provided for in the Arusha Agreement. 1.1.16 Burundi's Transitional Government shall ensure that new, integrated units are created, comprising troops of the Burundian army and combatants of the armed groups, according to the agreed procedures;

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- 2.1.3 Officer training.
- 2.1.4 Training of soldiers.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 2. Second stage, 2.2 Phase II:

2.2.1 Establishment of Burundi's new defence and security forces.
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Page 6-7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1.

DDR Security sector→DDR→DDR programmes

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.14 Burundi's Transitional Government and the African mission shall ensure the welfare of assembled combatants and determine the amounts to be paid to those who are not to be integrated into the new Burundian army. Particular attention shall be paid to combatants and civilians disabled or maimed in the war.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.2 Phase II:

..

1.2.1 Implementation of disarmament, demobilization and reintegration programmes.

Page 6, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 2. Additional obligations of the Transitional Government of Burundi: 2.1 At the time of signing the Ceasefire Agreement, Burundi's Transitional Government shall submit to the African mission projects and programmes for ensuring disarmament and the disbanding of all militias. These shall include programmes for collecting up all weapons, ammunition, communications equipment and other lethal equipment, meaning that all such objects will be handed in to the authorities, as well as disarmament, demobilization and repatriation programmes.

Page 10, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions:

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11. "Cessation of hostilities" means:

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11.2 "Disarmament, demobilization and reintegration programmes" are:

11.3 Programmes based on the assumption that demobilization and reintegration will not occur spontaneously and that, unless these processes are put in place, their absence might derail or undermine the achievements of a peace process. They are normally divided into short-, medium- and long-term programmes and generally focus on the transition from a state of war to a state of peace and normal civilian life. They usually address food problems and seek to ensure substantial daily supplies until long-term programmes ensure self-sufficiency.

Page 10, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions:

12. "Integration" means:

12.1 The process whereby various groups and/or individuals belonging to military units are put together to form a new entity. This process must be carried out at all levels of the forces system.

Page 12, Annex 2:

- 1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:
- 1.1 The return to constitutional legitimacy

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1.4 The social welfare of combatants after the ceasefire

Intelligence Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the services ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

...

1.1.15 The integration programme shall concern the Burundian army, the police and the information services, as provided for in the Arusha Agreement.

Parastatal/ rebel and opposition group forces Page 2, Article VI:

1. The signatories to this Agreement agree to the following principles, the procedures for the implementation of which are specified in the Arusha Peace and Reconciliation Agreement for Burundi:

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1.2 The training of new defence and security forces, composed of government forces and combatants of the armed political parties;

Page 4-5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

...

1.1.5 Establishment by the two parties of a neutral, negotiated commission responsible for investigating the presence of foreign troops in Burundi and the presence of foreign troops within the ranks of CNDD-FDD, as well as the presence of Burundian forces in other countries.

Withdrawal of such forces, if there were any.

1.1.6 The belligerents shall move to assembly areas, with their weapons, under the supervision of the African mission. CNDD-FDD combatants shall be quartered in areas to be determined by the joint military commission.

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1.1.9 The Transitional Government of Burundi and CNDD-FDD shall set up joint military units, as a prelude to the establishment of the new army, to perform certain functions.

...

1.1.12 CNDD-FDD shall take part in the Transitional Government's power-sharing arrangements. The details shall be negotiated between the parties concerned.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

...

- 1.1.16 Burundi's Transitional Government shall ensure that new, integrated units are created, comprising troops of the Burundian army and combatants of the armed groups, according to the agreed procedures;
- 1.1.17 Upon signing the Ceasefire Agreement, CNDD-FDD shall become a political party under the terms of the new law on political parties to be promulgated by the Transitional Government.

Page 6-7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

...

- 1.10 The parties shall hand over to the African mission a certified list of their combatants and their weapons and an inventory of their equipment.
- 1.11 The parties shall declare to the African mission the situation and location of their forces and all military equipment in their possession.
- 1.14 The parties shall ensure that all foreign troops within their ranks are declared and handed over to the African mission and are not included on the certified list for integration purposes.

Page 6, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 2.
Additional obligations of the Transitional Government of Burundi:
2.1 At the time of signing the Ceasefire Agreement, Burundi's Transitional Government shall submit to the African mission projects and programmes for ensuring disarmament and the disbanding of all militias. These shall include

Withdrawal

Page 1, Article 2:

of foreign forces

1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

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1.4 The withdrawal of all foreign troops after the findings of the Commission of Inquiry which will investigate their presence within both the Burundian armed forces and the ranks of CNDD-FDD;

Page 4, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

•••

1.1.5 Establishment by the two parties of a neutral, negotiated commission responsible for investigating the presence of foreign troops in Burundi and the presence of foreign troops within the ranks of CNDD-FDD, as well as the presence of Burundian forces in other countries. Withdrawal of such forces, if there were any.

Page 7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

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1.14 The parties shall ensure that all foreign troops within their ranks are declared and handed over to the African mission and are not included on the certified list for integration purposes.

Corruption No specific mention.

Crime/ organised crime No specific mention.

Drugs No specific mention.

Terrorism

Page 1, Article 2:

1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

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1.7 The cessation of all acts of violence against the population, any act of vengeance, summary executions, torture, harassment, detention or persecution of civilians based on their ethnic origin, religious beliefs or political affiliation, arming of civilians, use of child soldiers, sexual violence and sponsoring and encouraging terrorists or genocidal ideologies;

Transitional justice

Transitional Page 11, Annex 2:

justice 1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:

general

1.2 Questions relating to the management of the post-war situation

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1.6 The reasons why the various groups took up arms

Amnesty/ pardon No specific mention.

Courts No specific mention.

Mechanism No specific mention.

Prisoner Page 1, Article 2:

release 1. The Ceasefire Agreement shall entail:

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1.3 The release of all political prisoners;

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

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1.1.13 After the signing of the ceasefire agreement, the parties shall address the issue of prisoners of war and political prisoners.

Page 8, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, E. Definitions:

2. "Ceasefire" means:

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2.1.3 That, after the signing of the Ceasefire Agreement, the parties will address the issue of prisoners of war and political prisoners;

Vetting No specific mention.

Victims No specific mention.

Missing No specific mention. persons

Reparations No specific mention.

Reconciliation Page 11, Annex 2:

1. The parties agree to enter into negotiations on the following questions:

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1.13 National reconciliation

Implementation

UN Witnesses:

signatory - Ambassador Dinka, Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary-

General in Burundi

Other Guarantors:

international - Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda (Chairman of

signatory the Regional Initiative)

Witnesses:

- Benjamin Mkapa, President of the United Republic of Tanzania (Vice-Chairman of the Regional Initiative)

- Ambassador Bah, Special Representative of the African Union in Burundi

- Deputy President Zuma Facilitator of the Burundi peace process

Referendum No specific mention.

for

agreement

International Page 2, Article III:

mission/

- 1. The African mission shall be responsible for monitoring and verifying the force/similar ceasefire. Prior to this process, joint liaison teams shall be set up which shall function at the national, provincial and local levels.
 - 2. The African mission shall create the organs and mechanisms for monitoring and verifying the ceasefire. It shall draw up its own rules of procedure.

Page 2, Article IV:

1. The joint liaison teams shall comprise representatives of all the signatories and of the African mission. The teams shall report to the African mission through the Joint Ceasefire Commission.

Page 4, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

1.1.4 Deployment of the African mission.

1.1.10 An international monitoring mechanism shall be established in cooperation with the Democratic Republic of the Congo to monitor the security situation in the eastern part of that country on an ongoing basis, in order to prevent "negative forces" from adversely affecting security inside Burundi.

Page 5, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, A. Stages of the ceasefire, 1. First stage, 1.1 Phase I:

1.1.14 Burundi's Transitional Government and the African mission shall ensure the welfare of assembled combatants and determine the amounts to be paid to those who are not to be integrated into the new Burundian army. Particular attention shall be paid to combatants and civilians disabled or maimed in the war.

Page 6, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

1.10 The parties shall hand over to the African mission a certified list of their combatants and their weapons and an inventory of their equipment. 1.11 The parties shall declare to the African mission the situation and location of their forces and all military equipment in their possession.

Page 7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 2. Additional obligations of the Transitional Government of Burundi: 2.1 At the time of signing the Ceasefire Agreement, Burundi's Transitional Government shall submit to the African mission projects and programmes for ensuring disarmament and the disbanding of all militias. These shall include programmes for collecting up all weapons, ammunition, communications equipment and other lethal equipment, meaning that all such objects will be handed in to the authorities, as well as disarmament, demobilization and repatriation programmes.

- 2.2 These programmes shall be put into effect as soon as the Ceasefire Agreement is signed. All weapons collected up shall be handed over to the African mission for immediate destruction.
- 2.3 The Transitional Government undertakes to sign a status-of-forces

Enforcement Page 2, Article III:

mechanism

- 1. The African mission shall be responsible for monitoring and verifying the ceasefire. Prior to this process, joint liaison teams shall be set up which shall function at the national, provincial and local levels.
- 2. The African mission shall create the organs and mechanisms for monitoring and verifying the ceasefire. It shall draw up its own rules of procedure.

Page 6-7, Annex 1 to the Burundi Ceasefire Agreement, B. Obligations, 1. Obligations of all the parties:

- 1.5 The parties agree to participate and cooperate with the joint liaison teams and with the other ceasefire monitoring and verification mechanisms to be established pursuant to the Ceasefire Agreement.
- 1.14 The parties shall ensure that all foreign troops within their ranks are declared and handed over to the African mission and are not included on the certified list for integration purposes.

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