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Country/ entity	Sudan Darfur
Region	Africa (excl MENA) Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Agreement of Goodwill and Confidence Building for the Settlement of the Problem in Darfur
Date	17 Feb 2009
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Sudan Conflicts (1955 -))
Stage	Pre-negotiation/process
Conflict nature	Government/territory
Peace process	Darfur-Sudan peace process
Parties	For the Sudan Government of National Unity, Dr. Amin Hassan Omer, Minister of State, Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sports; For the Justice and Equality Movement Sudan (JEM), Dr. Gebreil Ibrahim Mohamed, Head of the JEM delegation to the Doha talks;
Third parties	Witnessed by: Ahmed bin Abdulla Al-Mahmoud Minister of State for Foreign Affairs and Member of the Cabinet, State of Qatar; Djbrill Yipene Bassole, AU-UN Joint Chief Mediator for Darfur;
Description	Short agreement committing the parties to resolving the conflict in Darfur, including working towards a framework agreement.

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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	No specific mention.
Indigenous people	No specific mention.
Other groups	No specific mention.
Refugees/displaced persons	Groups→Refugees/displaced persons→Rhetorical Page 1, The two Parties hereby: Fourthly: Declare their intent to work towards ending the ongoing conflict between them, as follows: ... 3. Agree to take all necessary measures to create a conducive environment for reaching a lasting settlement of the conflict, including: a) Refrain from all kinds of harassment of IDPs.
Social class	No specific mention.

Gender

Women, girls and gender	No specific mention.
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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	Page 1, The two Parties hereby: Fourthly: Declare their intent to work towards ending the ongoing conflict between them, as follows: ... 3. Agree to take all necessary measures to create a conducive environment for reaching a lasting settlement of the conflict, including: ... b) Guarantee the smooth and unobstructed flow of relief assistance to the needy people without any obstacles or constraints.
Traditional/religious leaders	No specific mention.
Public administration	No specific mention.
Constitution	No specific mention.

Power sharing

Political power sharing	No specific mention.
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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, The two Parties hereby:
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...
b) Guarantee the smooth and unobstructed flow of relief assistance to the needy people without any obstacles or constraints.

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 Socio-economic reconstruction→Development or socio-economic reconstruction→Humanitarian assistance
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National economic plan No specific mention.

Natural resources No specific mention.

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 1, The two Parties hereby:
Fourthly: Declare their intent to work towards ending the ongoing conflict between them, as follows:
...
1. Give the peace process a strategic priority over other issues to settle the conflict in Darfur;
2. Agree to adopt a comprehensive approach which addresses the root-causes of the problem and realizes a lasting peace in the country.

Page 2, The two Parties hereby:
4. Work towards an early framework agreement that leads to cessation of hostilities and lay down the basis for detailed issues.

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5. Undertake to follow the framework agreement with serious talks to end the conflict in the shortest possible time, not to exceed three months.

Ceasefire	Security sector→Ceasefire→General commitments Page 2, The two Parties hereby: 4. Work towards an early framework agreement that leads to cessation of hostilities and lay down the basis for detailed issues.
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	Page 2, The two Parties hereby: Fourthly: Declare their intent to work towards ending the ongoing conflict between them, as follows: ... 3. Agree to take all necessary measures to create a conducive environment for reaching a lasting settlement of the conflict, including: ... c) Commit to exchange prisoners and release imprisoned, convicted, detained and arrested persons in relation to the conflict between them with a view to building confidence and accelerating the peace process. The State of Qatar and the AU-UN Joint Chief Mediator will maintain contacts with both parties to workout a time-line for concluding the release of the above-mentioned.
Vetting	No specific mention.
Victims	No specific mention.
Missing persons	No specific mention.
Reparations	No specific mention.

Reconciliation Page 1, The two Parties hereby:
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Implementation

UN
signatory Witnessed by:
Djibrill Yipene Bassole, AU-UN Joint Chief Mediator for Darfur;

Other
international
signatory No specific mention.

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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