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Country/

Kenya

entity

Region Africa (excl MENA)

Agreement

Kenyan National Dialogue and Reconciliation: Commission of Inquiry on Post-

name

**Election Violence** 

Date

4 Mar 2008

Agreement

Multiparty signed/agreed

status

Interim Yes

arrangement

Agreement/ Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Kenyan Post-Electoral Violence (2007 - 2008))

conflict level

Framework/substantive - partial Stage

Conflict

Government

nature

Peace

Kenya peace process

process

**Parties** On behalf of Government/PNU:

> - Hon. Martha Karua - Hon. Sam Ongeri - Hon. Mutula Kilonzo

- Hon. Moses Wetang'ula

On behalf of ODM:

- Hon. Musalia Mudavadi - Hon. William Ruto - Hon. Sally Kosgei

- Hon. James Orengo

Third

Witnessed by:

parties

For the Panel of Eminent African Personalities, H.E. Oluyemi Adeniji, Session

Chair

Description

The agreement provides for the establishment of a Commission of Inquiry on Post-Election Violence (Commission of Inquiry). Specifically, it defines its background, key activities, national cooperation, composition, methodology,

outputs and timeline, financing and logistics.

Agreement document

KE\_080304\_Agreement Commission on Post Election Violence.pdf Download PDF

### **Groups**

Children/

No specific mention.

Disabled

youth

No specific mention.

persons

Elderly/age No specific mention.

Migrant workers No specific mention.

Racial/ Groups→Racial/ethnic/national group→Other

ethnic/

Page 2, Composition:

national group

The Commission of Inquiry will be composed of three impartial, experienced, and internationally respected jurists, or experts in addressing communal

conflict or ethnic violence.

Religious

groups

No specific mention.

Indigenous people

No specific mention.

No specific mention.

Other groups

Refugees/ displaced

persons

No specific mention.

Social class No specific mention.

### Gender

Women, girls and gender

No specific mention.

Men and

No specific mention.

boys

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** 

No specific mention.

institutions (new or reformed)

**Elections** 

Page 1, Key Activities:

The activities of the Commission shall be:

To investigate the facts and circumstances related to the violence following the 2007 Presidential election, between December 28, 2007 and February 28,

2008.

Electoral commission No specific mention.

No specific mention.

**Political** parties reform

Civil society Page 2, National Cooperation:

The Parties call upon States, relevant UN and AU bodies and, as appropriate, national and international humanitarian or other nongovernmental organizations to provide information to the Commission of Inquiry related to post-election violence, to make such information available as soon as possible and to provide appropriate assistance to the Commission.

Traditional/

No specific mention.

religious leaders

Public

No specific mention.

administration

Constitution No specific mention.

# **Power sharing**

Political

No specific mention.

power sharing

Territorial

No specific mention.

power sharing

Economic

No specific mention.

power sharing

Military

No specific mention.

power sharing

# **Human rights and equality**

Human

No specific mention.

rights/RoL general

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 No specific mention.

Detention

No specific mention.

procedures

Media and No specific mention.

communication

Mobility/

access

No specific mention.

Protection

No specific mention.

measures

Other No specific mention.

# **Rights institutions**

NHRI No specific mention.

Regional or Rights institutions→Regional or international human rights

international institutions→Monitoring calls human Page 2, National Cooperation:

rights ...

institutions The Parties call upon States, relevant UN and AU bodies and, as appropriate,

national and international humanitarian or other nongovernmental

organizations to provide information to the Commission of Inquiry related to

post-election violence, to make such information available as soon as possible and to provide appropriate assistance to the Commission.

#### Justice sector reform

Criminal justice and

emergency

law

No specific mention.

State of

emergency provisions

No specific mention.

Judiciary

No specific mention.

and courts

Prisons and detention

Prisons and No specific mention.

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 Page 2, Financing/Logistics:

funds The Commission of Inquiry will be funded by the Kenyan Government and

the Trust Fund for National Dialogue and Reconciliation, including support from donor states or foundations. it will receive logistical support from the

AU and the UN.

Business No specific mention.

Taxation No specific mention.

Banks No specific mention.

# Land, property and environment

Land

No specific mention.

reform/ rights

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, Key Activities:

Guarantees The activities of the Commission shall be:

To investigate the facts and circumstances related to the violence following the 2007 Presidential election, between December 28, 2007 and February 28, 2008.

Page 1-2, National Cooperation:

Kenyan authorities, institutions, parties, and others shall fully cooperate with the Commission of Inquiry in the accomplishment of its mandate, in response to requests for information, security, assistance or access in pursuing investigations, including:

• Adoption by the Government of Kenya of any measures needed for the Commission and its personnel to carry out their functions throughout the national territory with full freedom, independence and security;

...

• Guarantee by the Government of Kenya of full respect for the integrity, security and freedom of witnesses, experts and any other persons who help in its work;

Ceasefire

No specific mention.

Police

No specific mention.

Armed

Page 1, Background:

forces

Recalling that the Parties have previously agreed to:

...

And have expressed a commitment to:

 $\bullet$  Identification and prosecution of perpetrators of violence, including State

security agents

DDR

No specific mention.

Intelligence

No specific mention.

services

Parastatal/

No specific mention.

rebel and opposition group forces

Withdrawal No specific mention.

of foreign forces

Corruption

No specific mention.

Crime/

No specific mention.

organised crime

Drugs No specific mention.

Terrorism

No specific mention.

## **Transitional justice**

Transitional No specific mention.

justice general

Amnesty/

No specific mention.

pardon Courts

Transitional justice→Courts→National courts

Page 1, Background:

This Commission of Inquiry will be a non-judicial body mandated

(iii) to recommend measures of a legal, political or administrative nature, as appropriate, including measures with regard to bringing to justice those persons responsible for criminal acts. The Commission of Inquiry aims to prevent any repetition of similar deeds and, in general, to eradicate impunity

and promote national reconciliation in Kenya.

Mechanism

[Summary: The whole agreement provides for the establishment of a

Commission of Inquiry on Post-election violence.]

Prisoner release

No specific mention.

Vetting No specific mention.

Victims No specific mention.

Missing

No specific mention.

persons

Reparations No specific mention.

Reconciliation Page 1, Background:

The Parties to the National Dialogue and Reconciliation, together with the

Panel of Eminent African Personalities (The Panel), agree to the establishment of a Commission of Inquiry on Post-Election Violence

(Commission of Inquiry).

## **Implementation**

UN No specific mention.

signatory

Other Witnessed by:

international For the Panel of Eminent African Personalities, H.E. Oluyemi Adeniji, Session

signatory Chair

Referendum No specific mention.

for

agreement

International No specific mention.

mission/ force/similar

Enforcement No specific mention.

mechanism

Related No specific mention.

cases

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