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Country/ entity	Nepal
Region	Asia and Pacific
Agreement name	Agreement between the GoN and Nepal Pichchada Varga Mahasangha
Date	24 Mar 2009
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/local conflict ( Nepalese Insurgency (1996 - 2006) )
Stage	Implementation/renegotiation
Conflict nature	Government
Peace process	Nepal related-local processes
Parties	-
Third parties	On behalf of Nepal Nepal Pichchada Varga (OBC) Mahasangha: Bharat Prasad Mahato, Talks Team Coordinator  On behalf of GoN Talks Team : Janardhan Sharma ‘Prabhakar’: Talks Team Coordinator and Minister for Peace and Reconstruction
Description	Agreement between the Government of Nepal and Nepal Pichchada Varga Mahasangha to implement some inclusion measures for 'backward regons'

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**Local agreement properties**

Process type Formal structured process

Rationale	A dialogue team was set up by the Maoist-led government, which won the elections in April 2008. This dialogue team was again led/coordinated by the Minister for Peace and Reconstruction, Mr Janardhan Sharma. This team pursued dialogue with the team of Nepal Pichchada Varga Mahasangha, climaxing into this agreement.
Is there a documented link to a national peace process?	Yes
Link to national process: articulated rationale	The agreement is anchored to the inclusion related provisions of the CPA. The agreement sought guarantees for Pichchada Varga or Other Backward Caste groups, through formation of Backward Community Uplift Development Committee, as well as promotion of Magahi language.
Name of Locale	Nepal - various regions
Nature Of Locale	Other
GPS Lat/ Long (DD)	0.000000, 0.000000
Participant type	Central state actor Other
Mediator, facilitator or similar	No mention of mediator or similar

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## Local issues

Ritual/ prayer and process (including use of scripture)	No specific mention.
Grievance List	No specific mention.

Cattle            No specific mention.  
rustling/  
banditry

Social cover    No specific mention.

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