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| <b>Country/<br/>entity</b>           | Yemen  |
| <b>Region</b>                        | Middle East and North Africa   |
| <b>Agreement<br/>name</b>            | Statement on Security in Governorate of Ibb  |
| <b>Date</b>                          | 2 Jun 2015   |
| <b>Agreement<br/>status</b>          | Multiparty signed/agreed   |
| <b>Interim<br/>arrangement</b>       | Yes  |
| <b>Agreement/<br/>conflict level</b> | Intrastate/local conflict ( Yemeni Civil Wars (1994) (2011 - ) )   |
| <b>Stage</b>                         | Pre-negotiation/process  |
| <b>Conflict<br/>nature</b>           | Government/territory   |
| <b>Peace process</b>                 | Yemen peace process  |
| <b>Parties</b>                       | 63 Imams and preachers   |
| <b>Third parties</b>                 | -  |
| <b>Description</b>                   | Short statement calling for Ibb Governorate to remain in peace and not allow the war in neighbouring provinces spill over. |

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### Local agreement properties

**Process type** Informal but persistent process

**Rationale** As in many other local examples, this text reflects a persistent practice of religious figures making a call or plea for peace. In some cases this involves a direct invitation to talks among certain parties, in this instance the text is a general statement encouraging peace in the governorate, and a call to all groups in the province to help ensure this.

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| <b>Is there a documented link to a national peace process?</b> | T   |
| <b>Link to national process: articulated rationale</b>         | The wider peace process is not specifically mentioned in the text. There is also no further research which indicates a clear structural link to the national peace process. |
| <b>Name of Locale</b>  | Ibb governorate   |
| <b>Nature Of Locale</b>  | Region  |
| <b>GPS Lat/Long (DD)</b>                                       | 13.972798, 44.161822  |
| <b>Participant type</b>  | Domestic religious organisation/leader or other elder   |
| <b>Mediator, facilitator or similar</b>                        | Mediator or similar referred to   |
| <b>Mediator (references)</b>                                   | No mention of a mediator.   |
| <b>Type of mediator/facilitator/similar</b>                    |   |

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## Local issues

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| Ritual/prayer and process (including use of scripture) | <p>Page 1, Praise be to God: (And whoever kills a believer intentionally, his recompense is hell, wherein he will abide eternally, and the wrath and curse of Allah are upon him and has cursed him and prepared for him a great punishment), Surah "the women", verse 93.</p> <p>Page 1, Prayer and peace over our prophet Mohamed and his family, friends, and wives, and those who walked his course and traced his influence [...] to the day of judgement.</p> <p>Page 1, Paragraph 5...(c) [We ask God to raise from our country these tribulations and misfortunes and to guide those advocates of murder, sedition, war, and hatred, and unite the word of the people of Yemen in general, and the people of Ibb particularly, on what is good and righteous]</p> |
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Grievance List [Summary] (1) A general call for stability in the province to continue and the ending of any further existing or potential violence between all groups in the governorate (2) broad reference is made to the wider war in Yemen and the conditions in other provinces which have forced displaced people to move into Ibb, furthering the cause of the first point; encouraging peace and stability in the governorate.

Page 1, Paragraph 4...(c) [with the call to prohibit and criminalize the killing and fighting...The ongoing wars in some governorates and what is happening there are a lesson and a warning, with the killing of innocent people, the displacement of the population, and the destruction of public and private property.]

Cattle rustling/  
banditry No specific mention.

Social cover No specific mention.

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