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Country/ entity	Sudan
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Agreement between the Government of Sudan and the National Democratic Alliance (NDA) (Cairo Agreement)
Date	18 Jun 2005
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Sudan Conflicts (1955 -))
Stage	Framework/substantive - comprehensive
Conflict nature	Government/territory
Peace process	Sudanese (North-South) peace process
Parties	[Uploaded document does not include signatures] The Government of Sudan (GoS) and the National Democratic Alliance (NDA).
Third parties	[Uploaded document does not include signatures, but the below provision indicates the Government of Egypt mediated] Page 1, Untitled Preamble, Whereas the GoS and the NDA (the Parties to the Agreement) have held a series of rounds of negotiation in Jeddah and Cairo culminating in the Cairo Meeting held from 14-16th June 2005 under the auspices of the Government of Egypt;
Description	A short agreement revolving around calls for transitioning Sudan towards an inclusive democratic state. In doing so the agreement focuses on the issues of democratic and decentralized governance, preparations for elections, the unity of Sudan, and the need for non-partisan institutions. The agreement also contains provisions dealing with the human and economic costs of conflict and bringing the NDA into the political arena.

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Women, girls and gender

Participation Participation→Effective participation

Page 2, 1. General Principles,

1.4. The Two Parties acknowledge that the woman in Sudan play a basic role in the realization of peace, democracy and development in the country and confirm her participation at all levels of decision-making.

Participation→Citizenship

Page 1, 1. General Principles,

1.2 That citizenship shall be the basis for fundamental rights and public obligations, establishment of the right to citizenship that guarantees equality between citizens and respect for their beliefs and traditions and non-discrimination between citizens on the basis of religion, belief, race, gender, culture or any other reason.

Page 4, 4. Constitutional Issues:,

4.3.3. The law shall guarantee total equality between citizens in establishment of the rights of the citizen, respect for belief and traditions and non-discrimination on the basis of religion, belief, race, gender, culture or any other reason.

Equality Equality→Equality (general)

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Particular groups of women No specific mention.

International law No specific mention.

New institutions	New institutions→Reconciliation and peace Page 2, 1. General Principles, 1.4. The Two Parties acknowledge that the woman in Sudan play a basic role in the realization of peace, democracy and development in the country and confirm her participation at all levels of decision-making.
Violence against women	No specific mention.
Transitional justice	No specific mention.
Institutional reform	No specific mention.
Development	Development→General Page 2, 1. General Principles, 1.4. The Two Parties acknowledge that the woman in Sudan play a basic role in the realization of peace, democracy and development in the country and confirm her participation at all levels of decision-making.
Implementation	No specific mention.
Other	No specific mention.
