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Colombia

Region **Americas**

Agreement

Agreement on the Bilateral and Final Ceasefire, End of Hostilities, and the

name

Laying down of Weapons

Date 23 Jun 2016

Agreement

Multiparty signed/agreed

status

Interim

arrangement

Agreement/ Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Colombian Conflict (1964 -))

conflict level

Ceasefire/related Stage

Yes

Conflict

Government

nature

Peace

Colombia V - Santos

process

Parties By the National Government:

Humberto de la Calle

Head of the National Government Peace Delegation

By the FARC -EP: Iván Márquez

Head of the FARC-EP Peace Delegation

Third parties By the Guarantor Countries: By the Republic of Cuba

By the Kingdom of Norway

By the accompanying countries:

By the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

By the Republic of Chile

Description

This agreement provides for a final ceasefire, end of hostilities, and laying down of weapons between the national government and the FARC-EP. It defines bilateral and definitive ceasefire and end of hostilities as the "end the offensive actions between the Security Forces and the FARC-EP, as well as hostilities and any behaviour that is forbidden by the annexe of the rules" defined in this agreement. It defines the laying down of weapons (DA, Dejación de Armas) as "a traceable, technical and verifiable procedure through which the United Nations (UN) will receive the entirety of the FARC-EP's arsenal so it can be used to build monuments." Specially, it defines how information should be provided to relevant authorities and commissions, broadcasting and communication of the progress of the implementation to national and international public, and the implementation time table. It further defines rules governing the CFHBD and DA, and provides for a Monitoring and Verification mechanism, dispute settlements procedures, territory-based and area-based mechanisms, transitional (Veredales) Zones of Normalisation, security zone (around the zones of normalisation), encampment zones and transit routes, and procedure to lay down weapons.

Agreement document

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Agreement document (original language)

CO_160623_borrador-conjunto-cfhbd-y-da.pdf | Download PDF

Women, girls and gender

Participation No specific mention.

Equality No specific mention.

Particular groups of women

No specific mention.

International No specific mention. law

New No specific mention. institutions

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Violence against

women

No specific mention.

Transitional No specific mention.

justice

reform

Institutional Institutional reform→DDR, army, parastatal or rebel forces Page 6-7, Transitional (Veredales) Zones of Normalisation:

> [...] During the term of the Agreement on CFHBD and DA, the FARC-EP will designate a group of 60 of its members (men and women) that can be mobilised at a national level to perform duties related to the Peace Agreement. Likewise, for each ZVTN, FARC-EP will designate a group of 10 of its members that can be mobilised at a municipal and departmental level, to fulfil tasks related to the Peace Agreement. For these offsets, members of the FARC-EP will agree on security measures with the National Government, which will make available two protection teams per zone for the movement.

The exit from ZVTNs will be under the responsibility of FARC-EP orders.

Development No specific mention.

Implementation No specific mention.

Other No specific mention.