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Country/ entity	Philippines Mindanao
Region	Asia and Pacific Asia and Pacific
Agreement name	Government of the Philippines-MILF Decision Points on Principles as of April 2012
Date	24 Apr 2012
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/intrastate conflict (Philippine Insurgencies (1968 -))
Stage	Framework/substantive - partial
Conflict nature	Government/territory
Peace process	Philippines - Mindanao process
Parties	Marvic M.V.F. Leonen, Panel Chair on behalf of the Government of the Philippines Mohagher Iqbal, Panel Chair on behalf of the Moro Islamic Liberation Front
Third parties	Tengku Dato' Ab Ghafar Tengku Mohamed, Facilitator and Representative of Malaysia
Description	Agreement on principles that will guide discussion on the future substantive agenda of the negotiations, though not exhaustive. Principles include, recognition of the Bangsamoro identity and that a political entity, set up with a transition period, should be established with power-sharing and wealth-sharing between the National Government and the new entity. Agreement also includes a list of rights for citizens in the new political entity.

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Women, girls and gender

Participation Participation→Effective participation

Page 2, 10. In addition to basic rights already enjoyed, the following rights of all citizens residing in the new political entity bind the legislature, executive and judiciary as directly enforceable law and are guaranteed:

10.g. Right of women to meaningful political participation, and protection for all forms of violence;

Equality Equality→Social equality

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... 10.i. Right to equal opportunity and non-discrimination in social and economic activity and public service, regardless of class, creed, disability, gender or ethnicity;

Particular groups of women No specific mention.

International law No specific mention.

New institutions No specific mention.

Violence against women No specific mention.

Transitional justice No specific mention.

Institutional reform No specific mention.

Development No specific mention.

Implementation No specific mention.

Other No specific mention.
