

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

BETWEEN

SUDAN PEOPLE'S LIBERATION MOVEMENT/ ARMY – IN
OPPOSITION (SPLM/A – IO)

AND

NATIONAL SALVATION FRONT/ARMY (NAS)

6/03/2026

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into this 06/03/2026 subsequent to the consultative meeting between the representatives of Sudan People's Liberation Movement / Army – In Opposition (SPLM/A–IO); and National Salvation Front/Army (NAS/A), hereinafter referred to as the Parties.

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS, the Parties enter into this MOU with an aim towards the resolution of the Root Causes of the Conflict in the Republic of South Sudan in light of the ongoing political situation in the country;

COGNIZANT of the Parties shared political objectives and principles namely; federal system of governance, rule of law, democracy, peace, liberty, stability for South Sudan, as enshrined in their respective Manifesto and Vision for an Inclusive Modern South Sudan;

ACKNOWLEDGING the need to work in cooperation to usher in a new era of rights, freedom, dignity and rule of law;

EXPRESSING and REAFFIRMING the Parties' willingness for cooperation in order to achieve durable and sustainable peace and stability in the Republic of South Sudan;

CONCERNED of the political, security and dire humanitarian situation in South Sudan;

DETERMINED to salvage the country from disintegration and collapse due to the oppressive policies of President Salva Kiir and the Sudan People's Liberation Movement in Government (SPLM-IG);

COMMITTED to enter into a cooperation to restore power and dignity to the people and usher South Sudan into sustainable peace and prosperity; and that

WE, the Parties, recognize that this cooperation requires agreement of procedures and processes that shall guide its operation.

THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

ARTICLE I: POLITICAL/MILITARY OBJECTIVES AND PRINCIPLES

1. To end the current oppressive system of government in South Sudan and usher in a Federal Democratic Governance based on the will of the people;
2. To work towards sustainable peace in South Sudan through a comprehensive and inclusive new peace plan;
3. To install a new inclusive transitional government;
4. To work for a people's based permanent constitution whose processes shall be led and owned by the people;
5. To cease political and military hostilities between forces of the Parties and resolve to work together; and expedite military cooperation;
6. To promote and strengthen the unity of the opposition in South Sudan;
7. Affirmation of South Sudan as an independent and sovereign state where sovereignty is vested in the people and is exercised by the state in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution;
8. Uphold citizenship, human rights and duties without discrimination on the basis of race, tribe, religion, gender, sex, origin or region;

9. That inclusivity in governance is paramount for promoting unity, security and stability in the country;

ARTICLE II: INTER-PARTY COOPERATION

1. Maintain and promote friendly relations and cooperation in areas of mutual interest at all levels;
2. Develop/coordinate unified political messages and positions in forums such as peace talks or engagement;
3. Render mutual support to advance shared political objectives;
4. Form a joint High-Level Committee for the purpose of developing framework for long-term cooperation and resolution of disputes;
5. Develop a comprehensive and common peace plan for South Sudan;
6. Continuous consultations on matters related to peace, stability, and security in South Sudan;
7. Engage the international community to support South Sudanese stakeholders in the resolution of the Root Causes of the Conflict;
8. Engage with other genuine political forces and civil societies in and outside the country in search for peace and stability.

ARTICLE III: DISPUTE RESOLUTION MECHANISM

1. The Parties shall use the joint High-Level Committee to resolve, in good faith, any dispute that may arise in the course of the execution of the MOU. In the event the Committee fails to resolve

a dispute, the matter shall be referred to the leadership of the respective parties.

ARTICLE IV: AMENDMENT AND PROCEDURE FOR TERMINATION

1. This MOU may only be amended or terminated by a prior written notice signed by the Party concerned within two weeks (14 days).
2. Notwithstanding the provision of sub article (1) above, in the event of termination, the Parties, through the High-Level Committee, agree to settle within one month, all outstanding matters such as shared assets, logistics, or liabilities related to the execution of the MOU or Cooperation.

SIGNATURES OF THE PARTIES:

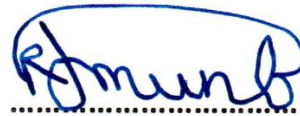
The representatives of the Parties have hereunto set their signatures on this 06/03/2026.

**NATIONAL SALVATION
FRONT/ARMY**



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Secretary General

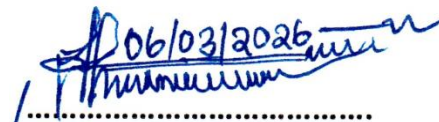
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