

# THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN



**Agreement on the Roadmap to a Peaceful and Democratic end of the Transitional Period of the Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in the Republic of South Sudan (R-ARCSS).**

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## 1. Introduction:

- 1.1 The Revitalized Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in the Republic of South Sudan (R-ARCSS) was concluded and signed on the 12<sup>th</sup> September 2018 and was scheduled to end after a total of forty-four (44) months: eight (8) months of a Pre-Transitional Period and thirty-six (36) months of a Transitional Period.
- 1.2 The schedule for the implementation of the provisions of the Agreement was not met due to a number of genuine challenges. Thus, the 8-month Pre-Transition Period started on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2018, and ended on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2019 without the establishment of the R-TGoNU as per article 1.1.2 of the R-ARCSS.
- 1.3 If the R-TGoNU was established by 12<sup>th</sup> May 2019, elections would have had to be carried out as from 12<sup>th</sup> March 2022, two (2) months before the end of the transitional period and the elected government established would have had to be formed by 12<sup>th</sup> May 2022.
- 1.4 Unfortunately, the pre-transitional period activities could not be completed according to plan. A six (6) months extension had to be agreed, pushing the Transitional Period by fourteen (14) months to 12<sup>th</sup> November 2019.
- 1.5 Elections process would start from the 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 i. e two (2) months before the end of the transitional period and the establishment of the elected government by 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2022.
- 1.6 Again, the pre-transitional period of fourteen (14) months had to be extended by one-hundred (100) days to make seventeen (17) months and ten (10) days, ending on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019.
  - (i) That one-hundred (100) days extension pushed the establishment of the R-TGoNU to 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2020, to end by 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2023.
  - (ii) Accordingly, elections are set to be conducted as from 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2022, ***just four (4) months from now.***
- 1.7 The purpose of this report is to analyze the status of the R-ARCSS implementation, assess the possibility of starting the process of conducting elections from 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2022, or propose an alternative timetable, a Road Map, for the parties to the Agreement to consider.

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## **2. The Status of Implementation**

**2.1 Chapter-1 (Annex-1, Items 1 to 13):** This Chapter of the R-ARCSS comprises twenty (20) Articles and two-hundred and eighty-three (283) sub-articles/Actions.

- (i) The 283 activities are grouped into thirty-five (35) strategic objectives/actions, contained within the 20 Articles of the R-ARCSS Implementation Matrix (Pages 86-92), which all must be carried out.

**2.1.1 Completed Provisions:** With long delays, eighteen (18) Articles and most of their respective activities have been implemented.

**2.1.2 Provisions in Progress/ongoing:** Three (3) Articles and two (2) sub-articles are in progress as indicated below:

- (i) Article 1.17 on Judicial Reform and sub-Article 1.17.2 to 1.17.7.
- (ii) Sub-articles 1.18.1.2 on review of security laws, 1.18.3 on enactment of proposed laws, 1.18.6 on NCAC amended laws and their presentation to the MOJ&CA Council of Ministers and the TNLA for ratification and subsequent assent by the President of the Republic.
- (iii) Article 1.19 on Transitional Institutions and Mechanisms, which are the subject of restructuring and reconstitution.
- (iv) Article 1.20.1 on review of the Political Parties Act 2022 have to be reviewed to conform to the permanent constitution of the Republic of South Sudan and adoption by the constituent assembly prior to its dissolution.

**2.1.3 Outstanding/Pending Provisions:** One (1) Article and two (2) sub-articles are outstanding.

- (i) A total of forty (40) activities of this section are pending: Eighteen (18) on governance structures and bills (Annex-1, Items 1 to 18), six (6) on pre-elections (Annex-2a, 1 to 6), nine (9) on Elections and Post-Election issues (Annex-2b, Items 1 to 9) and seven (7) on Dissemination (Annex-3, Items 1 to 7)

- (ii) Article 1.4.3.1 on dissemination (**Annex-3, Items 1 to 7**) of the Revitalized ARCSS to South Sudanese people inside the country, in different cities and refugee camps in neighboring countries and generally in the diaspora, so that the people can understand, support and own it.
- (iii) Article 1.4.3.3 on National Healing and Reconciliation Process.
- (iv) Article 1.20 (inclusive of sub-articles/activities 1.20.2 to 1.20.12) on National Elections, Pre-election (**Annex-2a Items 1 to 9**), **Elections and Post-Elections Annex-2b, Items 1 to 5**).

**2.2 Chapter-2 (Annex-4, items 1 to 7):** The Permanent Ceasefire and Transitional Security Arrangements comprises five (5) Articles and one-hundred fourteen (114) sub-articles/Actions.

The one-hundred and fourteen (114) actions are grouped into 37 strategic objectives/actions, which are to be implemented as outlined in the R-ARCSS Implementation Matrix (Pages 93-98).

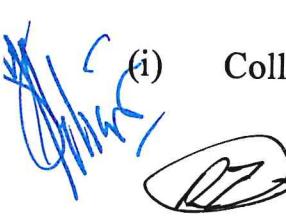
**2.1.1 Completed Provisions:** All the pre-transitional period activities (Article 2:2, sub-articles 2.2.1 to 2.2.11 and related activities) are implemented albeit asymmetrically but with delay.

**2.1.2 Ongoing/In-progress Provisions:** The five (5) transitional period activities (sub-articles 2.2.1 to 2.3.5) delayed by seventeen (17) months, but are nevertheless in progress.

- (i) The unification of the command structure is now completed. The parade of co-trained unified forces has been compiled and graduation is planned during August, 2022.
- (ii) De-militarization of civilian centers.
- (iii) Article 2.5 on the Strategic Defense and Security Review Board (SDSR), is in progress and it is a continuous process.

### **2.2.1 Outstanding/Pending Provisions:**

- (i) Collection of long range and medium range heavy weapons.

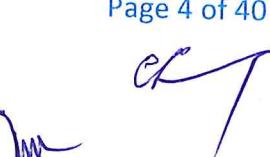


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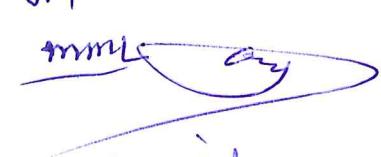
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- (ii) Redeployment commences after graduation by 30<sup>th</sup> August 2022 for two (2) months ending on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022.
- (iii) Phase-2, on the cantonment, screening, training, re-organization, unification, graduation and redeployment of the forces currently assembled starts from 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

**2.3 Humanitarian Assistance and Reconstruction Chapter-3 (Annex-5, Items 19):** This Chapter of the R-ARCSS comprises twenty-nine (29) actions. The twenty-nine (29) activities in R-ARCSS Implementation Matrix (pages 99-103) are to be carried out.

#### **2.3.1 Completed Provisions/Actions:**

- (i) Two (2) out of the twenty-nine (29) actions have been implemented successfully, albeit after long delays.
- (ii) Article 2.1.10.3 on ceasing recruitment and/or use of child soldiers.
- (iii) Article 3.1.2.4 on ensuring issuance of visas for humanitarian personnel are not delayed.

**2.3.2 Provisions/Actions in Progress/Ongoing:** Eighteen (18) actions are in progress:

- (i) Article 2.1.10.1 on refraining from actions that may impede or delay the provision of humanitarian aid, protection of civilians, and free movement of people.
- (ii) Article 2.1.10.2 on ceasing all forms of SGBV, including sexual exploitation and harassment.
- (iii) Article 2.1.10.5 on ceasing all attacks against civilian population, including IDPs, returnees and media personnel; UNMISS/RPF personnel, installations and equipment; international humanitarian organizations' personnel or installations.

**2.3.3 Outstanding/Pending Provisions/Activities:** There are nine (9) outstanding/pending actions, including:

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- (i) Article 3.1.2.2 on offering special consideration to conflict-affected persons (children, orphans, women, widows, war wounded, people with special needs, etc.) in the delivery of public services including access to health, education services and granting host communities the same benefit, protection and humanitarian services.
- (ii) Article 3.1.2.5 on reviewing the 2016 NGO Act as per international best practice.
- (iii) Article 3.2.1 on establishing a Special Fund for Reconstruction (SRF) and its Board (BSRF).
- (iv) Article 3.2.5 on assessing and determining priorities for the Special Reconstruction Fund (SRF).
- (v) Article 3.2.6 on preparing SRF programme and a detailed action plan for the reconstruction of conflict-affected states and other areas.
- (vi) Article 3.2.7 on providing SRF with initial funding of not less than USD 100 million per annum.
- (vii) Article 3.2.8 on convening a South Sudan pledging conference to raise money to resource the SRF.
- (viii) Article 3.2.9 on developing and submitting reports on the SRF income, expenditure and implemented projects to the RTNLA.

## **2.4 Chapter 4; Resource, Economic and Financial Management (Annex-6 Items 1 to 66):** This Chapter of the R-ARCSS comprises of sixteen (16) Articles and one-hundred forty-five activities all of which must be executed.

- (i) Although the Implementation Matrix (pages 104 to 115) show eighty-six (86), practically only sixty-six (66) Items are Resource, Economic and Finance Management related. Items sixty-five (65) activities. The other (10) are governance/structural in nature.

**2.4.1 Completed provision:** Only two (2) activities are completed after long delay. Article 4.3.1.1 on Strategic Economic Roadmap (National Development Plan) and Article 4.8.1.14.10 on reviewing and auditing of all revenues due to the National Government and their allocation in the budget since 2011.

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**2.4.2 In progress/Ongoing provisions:** Only 9 are in progress.

**2.4.3 Outstanding/Pending Provisions:** The remaining fifty-seven are outstanding.

**2.5 Chapter-5 Status of Implementation (Annex-7, Items 1 to 18):** The institutions to be established under this chapter have impact on the democratic transformation of South Sudan in that they will build truth, reconciliation and healing, and compensation and reparation.

The combination of these processes addresses the legacy of conflict, promoting peace, national reconciliation and healing to create a conducive environment for the return of refugees and preparations for democratic elections. The Status of implementation:

**2.5.1 Commission for Truth, Reconciliation, and Healing (CTRH-Annex-5, Items 2 to 6):** The process for its establishment commenced on 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2022.

- (i) The legal framework is due to be passed by the RTNLA by September 2022 at the latest. Once established, the CTRH will then implement all the eleven (11) outstanding sub-article/activities.
- (ii) The technical Committee formed to engage in the process of establishing the CTRH was launched on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2021. It has submitted the report on the Public Consultation to the Minister of Justice and Constitutional Affairs. The Minister will upon consideration of the report direct further action.
- (iii) The eligible members of the taskforce have been trained and the President launched public consultation on 5<sup>th</sup> April 2022.
- (iv) The Taskforce has completed internal consultations and planned to carry out consultation with South Sudanese in refugee camps in the neighboring countries and in the diaspora.
- (v) The Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs (MOJ&CA) and partners have planned a two (2) weeks study tour to gather experiences of the Commission of truth, reconciliation and healing in South African and the Gambia.

## **2.5.2 Compensation and Reparation Authority-CRA (Annex-5, Article 5.4, Annex-6, Item 17).**

- (i) The Max Plank Foundation provided comparative material to assist the (MOJ&CA) to prepare the draft legislation for its establishment.
- (ii) The Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs will be drafting the legislation for its establishment and operation in consultation with RJMEC and IGAD taking into account the process of establishing the CTRH.

## **2.5.3 The Hybrid Court for South Sudan (HCSS, Article 5.3):**

- (i) The initiative for the establishment of the HCSS is with the African Union. Although its terms shall conform to the agreement, responsibility for the provision of broad guidelines related to its full establishment lies with the AUC.
- (ii) Generally, the R-TGoNU is only called upon to support and facilitate its operation (sub-articles .5.1.4) and to fully cooperate and seek assistance of the AU, UN and AUC on Human Rights (sub-article 5.1.5).

## **2.6 Chapter-6 Status of Implementation (Annex-8, Items 1 to 21)**

**2.6.1** The significance of this chapter is that the election law that will guide elections at the end of the thirty-six (36) months transitional period is to be reviewed based on the permanent constitution of the Republic of South Sudan.

- (i) The legislation to govern the permanent constitution making process was ratified by the RTNLA in July 2022.
- (ii) There are seventeen (17) activities (Road Map, annex-6, Items 2 to 21), Item 5 to 17) that must be accomplished.

## **3.0 The Roadmap/Way-forward on the Implementation of the Road Map for Peaceful and Democratic Elections**

- (i) The Revitalized Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in the Republic of South Sudan (R-ARCSS) does not provide critical timelines neither for the Permanent Constitution Making Process nor the Elections.

- (ii) For the purpose of developing this Road Map Chapter-1, Chapter-2, Chapter-3, Chapter-4, Chapters-5 and 6 are considered appropriate for the determination of critical timelines because they contain provisions that are critical for the conduct of elections directly or indirectly.
- (iii) The Road Map assesses the implementation status of the provisions of each chapter, identifying provisions/activities that are either completed, in progress/ongoing or outstanding/Pending.
- (iv) Those in progress or outstanding are recorded and tabulated with implementation timeframe, start and finish dates to provide a schedule for the implementation. Note that the finish dates of the activities in progress or outstanding are not in any chronological order.
- (v) The objective is to ensure the full and peaceful end of the R-ARCSS with elections held and a democratically elected government for the Republic of South Sudan installed.

### **3.1 Part-1, Roadmap for Chapter-1:** There are eighteen (18) items to be implemented in order to complete this chapter. **The critical dates are:**

- (i) The review of the new National Elections Act to conform with the permanent constitution upon its ratification by the constituent assembly by the 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2023.
- (ii) This review follows six (6) months after the National Constitutional Review Commission (NCRC) conducts civic education on the permanent constitution from 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 to 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2024, and continues for two (2) from 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 to 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.
- (iii) The enactment of the Political Parties Act, 2022, on the establishment of the Political Parties, their registration and the establishment of the Political Parties Council if impacted upon by the permanent constitution.
- (iv) The National Election Commission (NEC) commences the electoral process starting from 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2022 in order to be fully established (Annex-2a showing 5 Pillars each with a set of strategic objectives/actions).
- (v) The Judicial Reform Committee (JRC) shall study and recommend Judicial reforms for the Judiciary of South Sudan to be implemented by the Judicial

Service Commission to improve on justice and the rule of law prior to the conduct of elections.

- (vi) The restructured and reconstituted NEC commences its pre-election activities (Annex-2a, Items 1 to 6), from 30<sup>th</sup> August to 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2023 ready for electoral and post-elections processes (Annex-2b, Items 9).

**3.2 Part-2, Roadmap for Chapter-2:** There are seven (7) Items to be implemented for orderly graduation and redeployment: Four during 2022 and 2 in 2023 (Annex-2, Items 1 to 7)

- (i) The graduation and deployment process of the forces of phase-1 commence in August, 2022.
- (ii) Phase 2: Cantonment/barracking, screening, reorganization and training of the remaining forces is proposed to commence after the graduation and redeployment of their forces by 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2022, to continue for 6 Months with their graduation and redeployment by 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2022.

**3.3 Part-3, Roadmap for Chapter-3:** This Chapter has nineteen (19) items to be carried out (Annex-3, Items 1 to 19). Implementation started on the 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2019 and set to continue till 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2025, beyond elections.

- (i) To date two (2) activities have been carried out in 2021 and the other (1) in 2022.
- (ii) The rest are either in progress or outstanding. Out of those, four (4) are due in 2023, nine (9) in 2024 and four (4) in 2025.

**3.4 Part-4, Roadmap for Chapter-4 (Annex-6, Items 1 to 66).** All the items in progress and outstanding have to be implemented. Twelve (12) items are due in 2022, Fifty-two (52) in 2023, one (1) in 2024 and one (1) in 2025.

**3.5 Part-5, Roadmap for Chapter-5:** Eighteen (18) items are to be executed under this Chapter, two having been completed in 2021 and four (4) due to finish in 2022.

- (i) The process of establishing the CTRH commenced on 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2020 and shall be completed by the 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2022.

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- (ii) Apart from the HCSS which awaits guidelines from the AU, the CRA which was initiated on 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2022, should be established by 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2022.

**3.6 Part-6, Roadmap for Chapter-6:** Under this Chapter, there are Twenty-one (21) actions to be undertaken (Annex-1, Item 1 to 21).

- (i) Two (2) actions were completed in 2021 and six (6) will finish in 2022, seven (7) will finish in 2023 and four (4) in 2024.
- (ii) The establishment of the Constitutional Drafting Committee (CDC) shall be after the restructuring and reconstitution of the NCRC.
- (iii) The CDC then begins its work of drafting the permanent constitutional text and follow the due processes.

**4.0 In Conclusion:**

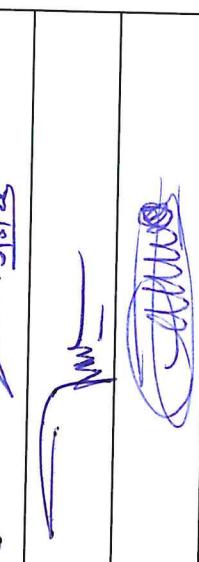
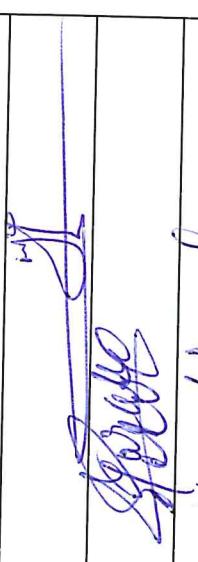
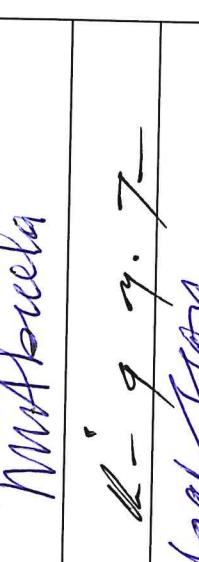
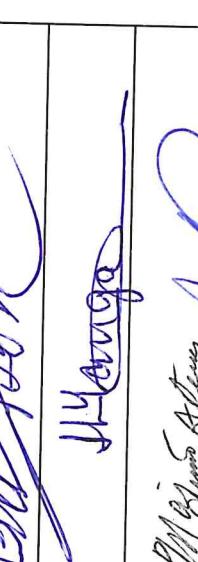
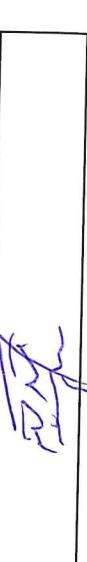
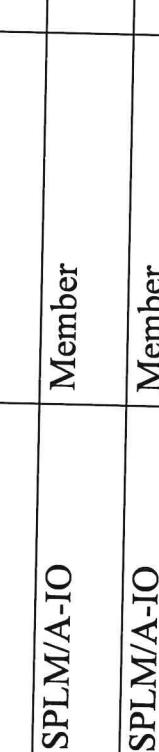
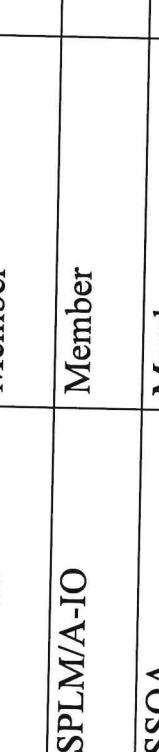
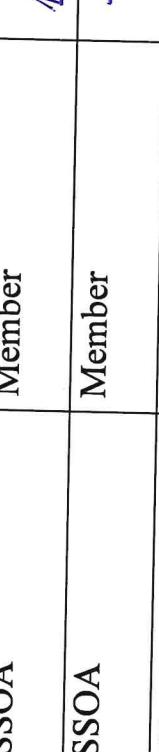
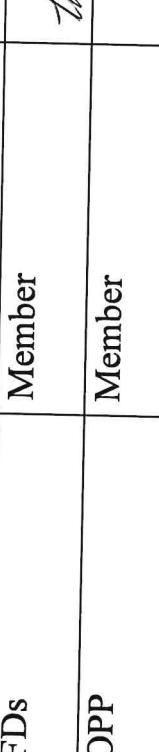
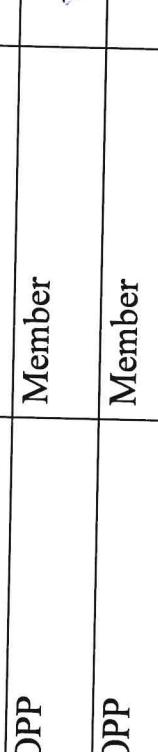
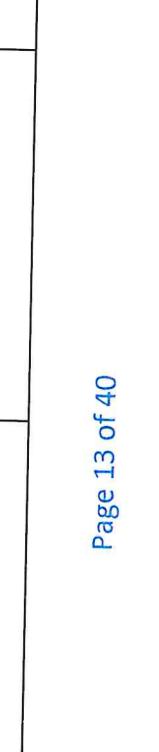
- 4.1 The extended meeting of the Presidency of 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022, which was attended by the representatives of the parties to the Agreement, endorsed the Roadmap proposal of H.E. President Salva Kiir Mayardit on peaceful transition to democratic elections.
- 4.2 The meeting resolved to extend the transitional period of the R-ARCSS and directed the High-Level Standing Committee to receive the contributions of the other parties to the Agreement and incorporate them into the President's Roadmap proposal.
- 4.3 The Committee considered the contributions of the other parties to the Agreement and further deliberated on the extension period.
- 4.4 After lengthy deliberations, the committee agreed to extend the transitional period by twenty-four months from the end of the transitional period on the 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2023, to 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2025. That means elections will be held in December 2024.
- 4.5 The harmonized Roadmap was re-submitted to a second extended meeting of the Presidency in which article 8.4 of the R-ARCSS was evoked to approve the amendment by extending the transition period from 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2023, to 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2025, with elections held in December, 2024. **In that regard the extended meeting of the Presidency:**

  
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- (i) Directed the High-Level Standing Committee of the Parties to present the harmonized Roadmap to the Council of Ministers, then to an extra-ordinary meeting of RJMEC and subsequently to the RTNL for ratification as per the operational requirement of article 8.4.
- (ii) Directed the High-Level Standing Committee to engage the concerned Ministries, Institutions and other stakeholders to ensure the timely implementation of the roadmap and report progress on a monthly basis to the Presidency.
- (iii) Directed the Ministry of Finance and Planning to release funds regularly from the FY 2022/2023 budget allocated for peace implementation to enable the High-Level Standing Committee enforce the prompt and timely implementation of the roadmap.
- (iv) Calls upon RJMEC, IGAD, AU, all the Parties signatory to the R-ARCSS, all Stakeholders, Guarantors and International Partners to support the roadmap morally, politically, diplomatically and financially.

  
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**Annex-1: Roadmap for the Implementation of the R-ARCSS (Chapter-1).**

S/N	Reference Article(s) and Activities	Responsibility	Time-frame	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1	Article 1.17.3; Establishment of R-TGoNU the Ad-Hoc Judicial Reforms Committee (JRC) to study and make the Reform recommendations.		3	17 May 2022	17 August 2022	MOJ&CA contacted the Parties to the agreement for representatives on 20/4/2022 and the Parties submitted names on the 17/5/2022 and launched.
2	Article 1.17.2; Review of the JRC Judiciary Act, 2008.		2	17 July 2022	17 September 2022	Upon establishment of the JRC in ongoing.
3	Reconstitution of the Judicial R_TGoNU and the Service Commission, which shall Parties to the agreement implement the judicial reforms (Article 1.19.1.9) recommended by the JRC.		3	12 May 2022	12 August 2022	Pending completion of the JRC task by the R-TGoNU to implement the reform recommendations.
4	Article 1.18.3; Enactment of the NCAC, MoJCA, Council amendments required in the of Ministers, TNLA laws enumerated under article 1.18.1.2.		20	24 October 2020	24 June 2022	Done: SPLA Act, 2019; NSS Act, 2014; Polices Act, 2009; Prison Act, 2011; Wildlife Act, 2001; FireBrigade Act, 2009.
5	Article 1.18.6; Presentation of the draft amendment Bills to the Council of Ministers and TNLA for adoption.	R-TGoNU, Executive	11	24 September 2021	24 August 2022	Ongoing: Bills are in the final stages of Parliamentary process.
6	Article 1.19.1; Restructuring NCAC, MOJ&CA, and reconstitution of various TNLA Commissions and Institutions at the national level.	NCAC, MOJ&CA,	3	21 May 2022	21 August 2022	Upon final agreement of the Parties to the agreement on allocation.

## Annex-1: Roadmap for the Implementation of the R-ARCSS (Chapter-1, Cont)

7	Article 1.20.1; Review of the Political Parties Act 2012 and adoption by the TNLA.		6	29 December 2021	29 June 2022	Submitted to the Council of Minister on the 19/10/2021 and Approved on the 29/12/2021 for ratification by the TNLA. Now completed.
8	Article 1.20.2; Reconstitution of NCAC, TNLA, the Political Parties Council (PPC).		6	21 February 2022	21 August 2022	Upon enactment of the Political Parties Act.
9	Article 1.20.4; Reconstitution of R-TGoNU President in the National Election Commission as per its Act, 2008, Parties, TNLA and into a competent and Impartial Stakeholders body for conduct of the Elections.		2	21 August 2022	21 October 2022	Upon parties agreement on the Restructuring and Reconstitution of the Commissions as above. Upon enactment of the law.
10	The Permanent Constitution Making process commence (Chapter-5, Sub-article 6.4) upon enactment of the Permanent Constitutional-Making law.	CDC	24	30 August 2022	30 August 2024	Upon enactment of the Permanent Constitution-making Bill by the R_TNLA. Pending assent.
11	Article 1.17.7; Establishment of TNLA, President, an independent and Credible Constitutional Court.		1	30 August 2024	30 September 2024	Upon enactment of the Permanent Constitution.
12	Article 1.20.6.; Amendment of RTIGoNU and the NEC, the National Elections Act to conform with the terms of the Permanent Constitution.		2	30 August 2024	30 October 2024	Upon assent of the Permanent Constitution.
13	The NEC takes-over the process NEC to prepare for Elections including the below processes.		6	30 August 2024	28 February 2025	Elections conducted and new government formed 2 months after the enactment of the Elections Law formulated to conform with the Permanent Constitution.

**Annex-1: Roadmap for the Implementation of the R-ARCSS (Chapter-1, Cont)**

13.1	<i>Article 1.20.7; Addressing the challenges of reconstruction, repatriation, resettlement, rehabilitation, and reintegration of IDPs and returnees as critical factors affecting peacebuilding</i>	NEC	-	-	-	Depending on the establishment and continuously through the election process. Timetable of the Elections Commission.
13.2	<i>Article 1.20.7, 1.19.8; NEC requests assistance and other technical support from AU, UN and other regional or</i>	NEC	-	-	-	Depending on the establishment and continuously through the election process. Timetable
13.3	<i>Article 1.20.9; Publishing of the Voter Register.</i>	NEC	-	-	-	Depending on the establishment and continuously through the election process. Timetable
13.4	<i>Article 1.20.10; Invitation and accreditation of national, regional and international observers to monitor the elections.</i>	Relevant Courts of Judicature and bodies as provided by law.	-	-	-	Depending on the establishment and continuously through the election process. Timetable of the Elections Commission.
13.5	<i>Article 1.20.11; Addressing disputes arising from the elections.</i>	NEC	-	-	-	Depending on the establishment and continuously through the election process. Timetable of the Elections Commission.

## Annex-2a: Roadmap for the Implementation of Pre-Elections Activities of the R-ARCSS (Chapter-1)

S/N	Strategic Goals/Activites	Strategic Objectives	Time frame	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1.1	Pillar 1: Institutional Development. Strategic Goal 1: Infra-structure Development for a Competent NEC.	Three (3) strategic Objectives to be implemented	6	30 July 2022	30 January 2023	Fenced Plot for the HQs in Juba available. Need Plots to be fenced in the ten (10) States or NEC to hire premises. Prefabs are not good for storage of perishable election materials. Thus warehouses must be established within the 6 months.
1.2	Strategic Goal 2: Purchase of NEC Vehicles and Trucks for transport of Electoral Materials.	Two (2) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	30 July 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of the Construction Works.
1.3	Strategic Goal 3: Purchase of Office Furniture, Equipment and Materials.	Two (2) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	30 July 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of the Construction Works.
1.4	Strategic Goal 4: Recruitment and Capacity Building.	Thirteen (13) strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	30 July 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of furnishing of Offices and availability of all facilities in the HQs and States.
1.5	Strategic Goal 5: Development of Capable and Efficient ITC System.	Three (3) strategic Objectives to be implemented	3	30 October 2022	30 January 2023	Upon completion of recruitment and Capacity building of staff.
1.6	Strategic Goal 6: Research and Documentation (Data Centres).	Two (2) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	1	30 January 2023	28 February 2023	Upon completion of the full establishment of the NEC (Infra-Structure, Equipment and Materials and ICT system installation. It is a continuous process.

  
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**Annex-2a: Roadmap for the Implementation of Pre-Elections Activities of the R-ARCSS (Chapter-1, Cont)**

S/N	Strategic Goals/Activities	Strategic Objectives	Time frame (months)	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1.1	Pillar 1; <i>Institutional Development. Strategic Goal 1: Infrastructure Development for a Competent NEC.</i>	Three (3) strategic Objectives to be implemented	6	30 August 2022	28 February 2023	Fenced Plot for the HQs in Juba available. Need Plots to be fenced in the ten (10) States or NEC to hire premises. Pre-fabs are not good for storage of perishable election materials. Thus warehouses must be established with the 6 months.
1.2	<i>Strategic Goal 2: Purchase of NEC Vehicles and Trucks for Transport of Electoral Materials.</i>	Two (2) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	30 July 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of the Construction Works.
1.3	<i>Strategic Goal 3: Purchase of Office Furniture , Equipment and Materials.</i>	Two (2) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	30 July 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of the Construction Works.
1.4	<i>Strategic Goal 4: Recruitment and Capacity Building.</i>	Thirteen (13) strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	30 July 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of furnishing of Offices and availability of all facilities in the HQs and States.
1.5	<i>Strategic Goal 5: Development of Capable and Efficient ITC System.</i>	Three (3) strategic Objectives to be implemented	3	30 October 2022	30 January 2023	Upon completion of recruitment and Capacity building of staff.
1.6	<i>Strategic Goal 6: Research and Documentation (Data Centres).</i>	Two (2) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	1	30 January 2023	28 February 2023	Upon completion of the full establishment of the NEC (Infra-Structure, Equipment and Materials and ICT system installation. It is a continuous process.

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## Annex-2b: Roadmap for Implementation of Elections and Post-Elections Activities (Chapter-1)

S/N	Strategic Goals/Activities	Strategic Objectives	Time frame (months)	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1.1	Pillar 2; Conduct of Free and Fair Elections, <i>Strategic Goal 1: Conduct and Administer Free, Fair, Transparent and Credible Elections.</i>	Four (4) strategic Objectives to be implemented	6	02 March 2023	02 September 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
2.2	<i>Strategic Goal 2: Boundary Delimitation.</i>	Five (5) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	02 March 2023	02 June 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
2.3	<i>Strategic Goal 3: Development, Procurement, Transportation and Distribution of electoral equipment and materials.</i>	Eight (8) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	6	02 March 2023	02 September 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
3.1	Pillar 3: Registration of Eligible Voters; Strategic Goal 1: Wide Coverage of Eligible, Comprehensive and Extensive Communication to Support the	Four (4) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	6	02 March 2023	02 September 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
3.2	Strategic Goal 2: Ensure the credibility, Security, accuracy and accessibility of the vote registry.	Six (6) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	02 March 2023	02 June 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
4.1	Pillar 4: <i>Wide Civic and Voter Education and Awareness Raising Campaign: Strategic Goal 1: Conduct Comprehensive and Extensive Information Campaign to Support all phases of Election Process.</i>	Six (6) Strategic Objectives to be implemented.	3	02 March 2023	02 June 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
4.2	<i>Strategic Goal 2: Strengthen and Enhance the Electoral Process.</i>	Three (3) strategic Objectives to be implemented	3	02 March 2023	02 June 2023	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
4.3	<i>Strategic Goal 3: Conduct Research, Documentation and Archive the Electoral Material.</i>	Two (2) strategic Objectives to be implemented	3	02 March 2024	02 June 2024	Upon the full establishment of the NEC as above.
5	<i>Pillar 5: Partnership and Networking; Strategic Goal 1: To Build Working Relationship with Electoral Management Bodies and Stakeholders.</i>	Six (6) strategic Objectives to be implemented	3	30 September 2023	30 December 2023	Post-Elections Activity and it is a Continious process.

  
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### Annex-3: Roadmap for the Implementation of Dissemination of the R-ARCSS (Chapter-1).

S/N	Activity	Responsible Body	Timeframe	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1	Dissemination coordinated with all Partners and stakeholders.	Ministry of Peace and related partners Institutions, and civil society.	1	30 August 2022	30 September 2022	All relevant NGOs and Agencies and Partners.
2	Disseminated to IDPs in various PoCs – in Arabic, English and various national Languages.	Ministry of Economic Planning, Finance and National Security and Interior, Presidential and Parliamentary Affairs and related Institutions as well as stakeholders.	3	30 September 2022	30 December 2022	IDPs and PoCs
3	Several campaigns aired through Radio, TVs and other media outlets in English, Arabic, and various South Sudanese.	Peace Building, Finance, Presidential, Cabinet Affairs and Partners	12	30 July 2022	30 July 2023	The general public
4	-	Information, Comm, and Postal Services; Justices and Const. Affairs, Youth and Sports, Peace Partners and all other Stakeholders.	As above	As above	As above	-
5	Disseminated to South Sudanese Refugees in the neighbouring countries.	Peace Building, Finance and Economic Planning, Presidency, Foreign Affairs, Information and all stakeholders.	6	30 July 2022	30 January 2023	Refugees
6	Dissemination to South Sudaanese in the Diaspora	Peace Building, Finance and Economic Planning, Presidency, Foreign Affairs, Information and all stakeholders.	6	30 June 2022	30 December 2022	Diaspora Population
7	Dissemination to all forces in the barracks, cantonment sites and training sites.	Presidency, Foreign Affairs and Intern. Cooperation, Defence and Veterans Affairs, Interior, National Security, Wildlife, Conservation and Tourism.	6	30 June 2022	30 December 2022	Regular forces.

#### Annex-4: Roadmap for the Implementation of Chapter-2 of the R-ARCSS

S/N	Description of Action/Activity	Responsible Mechanisms	Time-Frame	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1	Preposition of food, medicines and uniforms.	NTC/JDB	1	30 August 2022	30 September 2022	Ensuring all the requirements are available to attract the deserters back to training centers.
2	Final administrative and medical screening (Target of the entire 53,000 forces).	Graduation Committee/ JTSC Medical Team	As above	As above	As above	Final organization into military formations and medical fitness.
3	Rehearsals in the training centers (No. depending on screening results).	JTSC	As above	As above	As above	Foot drills & moral orientation.
4	Final joint graduation parade (No. depending on screening results).	From respective units in the training centers	As above	As above	As above	Selected companies.
5	Graduation Plan (No. depending on screening results).	Presidency, JDB & JTSC	As above	As above	As above	Graduation of NUFFS in the regional centers simultaneously or phases.
6	Deployment (No. depending on screening results).	Presidency, M.o.D, Interior, Wildlife, JDB CD, NS	1	30 August 2022	30 September 2022	Movement of NUFFS from training centers to duty places.
7	Phase-2 of Opposition Forces currently in Assembly areas.	Presidency, M.o.D, Interior, Wildlife, JDB, CD and NS.	2	30 September 2022	30 November 2022	Cantonment, training, graduation and Redeployment of Forces, Phase-2.

**Annex-5: Roadmap for Implementation of Chapter-3 of the R-ARCSS.**

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		All Parties , RTGenu	72	30-Mar-2019	30-Mar-2025	In-progress.
1	Article 3.1.1; Create an enabling political, administrative, operational and legal environment for delivery of humanitarian assistance and protection.					
	Article 3.1.1.1; Secure humanitarian access and establish safe humanitarian corridors.	All Parties and RTGenu	72	30-Mar-2019	30-Mar-2025	In-progress.
3	Article 3.1.1.2; Guarantee the rights of refugees and IDPs to return in safety and dignity, and to be afforded physical, legal and psychological protection.	All Parties, RTGenu	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	In-progress.
4	Article 3.1.1.3; Guarantee the rights of returnees as per amended TCRSS, and assist in reunification of separated families.	RTGenu	72	1-Apr-2019	1-Apr-2025	In-progress.
5	Article 3.1.1.4; Guarantee refugees and IDPs citizenship and ensure identification and/or documentation of their children and spouses, property and land and other possession which might have been lost during the conflict.	All Parties, RTGenu	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.
6	Article 3.1.1.5; Guarantee the rights of refugees and IDPs to return to their places of origin and/or live in areas of their choice in safety and dignity.	All Parties, RTGenu	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.
7	Article 3.1.2.1; Institute programmes for relief, protection repatriation, resettlement, reintegration and rehabilitation of IDPs and returnees in coordination with UN - and other relief and humanitarian agencies.	RTGenu	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.

### Annex-5: Road Map for the Implementation of Chapter-3 of the R-ARCSS (Cont).

				22-Mar-2019	22-Mar-2021	During the Transition
9	Article 3.1.2.3; Fast-track procedures and institutions for the import and customs clearances of relief materials.	RTGoNU, NCAC, RTNLA	24			
10	Article 3.1.2.4; Fast track procedures and institutions for the granting and renewal of visas required by international personnel participating in the humanitarian and relief efforts.	RTGoNU	24	22-Mar-2019	22-Mar-2021	In progress
11	Article 3.1.2.5; Review the 2016 NGO Act as per international best practices.	NCAC, RTNLA, RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Suppose to be within 12 months of the Transitional Period.
12	Article 3.2.1; Establish a Special Fund for Reconstruction (SRF) and its Board (BSRF).	RTGoNU, International Partners and Friends of South Sudan.	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.
13	Article 3.2.3; Nominate Chairperson (International Member to be selected by international members) and Deputy from the Ministry of Finance and Planning.	International Members of BSRF and Ministry of Finance and Planning	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.
14	Article 3.2.4; Draft Terms of Reference for the BSRF.	BSRF	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.
15	Article 3.2.5; Assess and determine priorities for the SRF.	BSRF in collaboration with the RTGoNU, relevant national Ministries, States and Local Governments.	24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Outstanding.

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			24	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2024	Suppose to have been Within 6 months of Establishment.
16	Article 3.2.6; Prepare an SRF programme and a detailed action plan for the reconstruction of conflict-affected States and other areas.	RTGoNU, BSRF				
17	Article 3.2.7; Provide SRF with initial funding of not less than USD 100 million per annum.	RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Suppose to be annually from establishment to the end of the Transitional Period.
18	Article 3.2.8; Convene a South Sudan Pledging Conference to raise money to resource the SRF.	BSRF in collaboration with Chairpersons of IGAD and AUC, and the UNSG.	6	30-Sep-2022	30-Mar-2023	Suppose to be within 9 months of Establishment.
19	Article 3.2.9; Develop and submit reports on the SRF income, expenditure and implemented projects to the TNLAs.	RTGoNU, BSRF	36	30-Oct-2022	30-Oct-2025	Quarterly.

## Annex-6: Roadmap for the Implementation of Chapter 4 of the R-ARCSS on Resource Management

S/N	Activity	Responsible Body	Time-Frame	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1	Article 4.1 General Principles Commitment to the General Principles of Resource, Economic and Financial Management (Articles 4.1.1 to 4.1.7)	All Parties, Stakeholders and the RTGoNU	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	In progress
2	Article 4.2 Institutional Reforms Review legislation governing the Bank of South Sudan (BoSS) (Article 4.2.1.1)	NCAC, Revitalized TGoNU & TNLA	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	In progress
3	Decision in the Nomenclature of the Bank of South Sudan (BoSS), (Article 4.2.1.2)	Revitalized TGoNU and the TNLA	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding. Awjiars the promulgation of the Permanent Constitution.
4	Ensuring the statutory and supervisory independence of the Bank of South Sudan, its leadership, and composition and appointment of the Board (Articles 4.2.2.1 to 4.2.2.5)	Presidency	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding. Pending the review and enactment of the legislation
5	Appointment of the Governor of the Bank of South Sudan (Article 4.2.3)	Presidency	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding. Pending the review and enactment of the legislation.
6	Article 4.3 Ministry of Finance and Planning. Review and implement the Strategic Economic Development Roadmap (national development plan). ( Article 4.3.1.1)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	In progress.
7	Review the Constituency Development Fund (CDF) programme. ( Article 4.3.1.5)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and TNLA	9	30-Aug-2022	30-May-2023	Outstanding.

## Annex-6: Roadmap for the Implementation of Chapter 4 of the R-ARCSS on Resource Management (Cont)

8	Monitor and evaluate issues of importance, including review of the New Deal Compact (Articles 4.3.1.6 to 4.3.1.8)	Ministry of Finance and Planning, partners and stakeholders	9	30-Aug-2022	30-May-2023	In progress. Revitalized Development Strategy launched 21/6/2022 and used to development of FY 2022/2023.
9	Article 4.4 Anti-Corruption Commission. Review the Anti-Corruption Commission Act 2009, to guarantee its independence and enable the Commission to perform its functions effectively (Articles 4.4.1.1 to 4.4.1.5)	NCAC, RTGoNU, TNLA	9	30-Aug-2022	30-May-2023	<b>Outstanding.</b>
10	Accede to regional and international conventions on fighting corruption, particularly to the African Convention on Preventing and Combating Corruption (AUCPC) and the UN Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC), and coordinate with their respective implementation mechanisms and other institutions to recover and return misappropriated funds and assets. (Article 4.4.1.6)	RTGoNU, TNLA	5	30-Aug-2022	30-Jan-2023	<b>Outstanding.</b>
11	Nominate the head of the Anti-Corruption Commission and forward to the TNLA for approval. (Article 4.4.1.7)	Presidency	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	<b>Outstanding.</b>
12	Article 4.5 National Audit Chamber. Review the National Audit Chamber Act 2011 and guarantee its independence (Article 4.5.1 and 4.5.2)	NCAC, RTGoNU, RTNLA	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	<b>Outstanding.</b>
13	Nominate a National Auditor-General and forward to TNLA for approval, after the review of the law. (Article 4.5.4)	Presidency and TNLA	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	<b>Outstanding.</b> Pending review of the law.
14	Article 4.6 New Institutions (total of 6). Enact law for their establishment and formation of the following new institutions:	RTGoNU and TNLA	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	<b>Outstanding.</b>

## Annex-6: Roadmap for the Implementation of Chapter 4 of the R-ARCSS on Resource Management (Cont)

15	Article 4.7 Review of National Legislations (total of 14 laws) Review all national legislations in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.	RTGoNU and RTNLA	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	In progress.
16	Article 4.8 on Rees. Management; Article 4.8.1: Oil and Petroleum Implement the provisions of the Petroleum Revenue Management Act (PRMA), 2012. (Article 4.8.1.1)	RTGoNU, Ministries of Petroleum, Finance and Planning	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	In progress. Act, 2012 reviewed and ready for MOJ&CA consideration. Oil revenue performance reviewed and JOCs audit for \$3.3 Billion cost recovery being undertaken.
17	Close any petroleum revenue accounts other than those approved by law. (Article 4.8.1.2)	RTGoNU, Minister of Finance and Planning, Minister of Petroleum, Governor BoSS.	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	In progress. Petroleum Accounts closure started as part. Of the PFM.
18	Identify, check and record all loans and contracts collateralised against oil. (Article 4.8.1.3)	Ministry of Petroleum, Audit Chambers, RTGoNU,	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
19	Review all current employment in the oil sector. (Article 4.8.1.4)	Ministries of Petroleum and Public Service, RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	In progress
20	Review, vet and take corrective measures on all contracts awarded to service companies operating in the oil fields. (Article 4.8.1.5)	MoP, MoL, MoPSHRD, MoJCA and Anti-Corruption Commission.	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	Outstanding.
21	Adhere to the provisions of the revised Petroleum legislation in awarding oil concessions and the role of the National Petroleum and Gas Commission; adhering to the framework for sharing wealth from the extraction of natural resources (Article 4.8.1.8 and 4.8.1.9)	Ministry of Petroleum and NPGC	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	Outstanding.

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22	Enforce the law and procedures of the Ministry of Finance and Planning on the remittal of oil revenue including surface rentals, training fees, bonuses, etc. (Article 4.8.1.10)	Ministry of Petroleum, Ministry of Finance and BoSS	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	In progress. PFM Act, 2021 submitted for NCAC to finalize. Also, orsa and fgf started with FY 2022/2023.
23	Ensure prudent management of the Oil Stabilization Account (OSA) and Future Generations' Fund (FGF) in accordance with the revised Petroleum Act and the revised Public Finance Management and Accountability Act (Article 4.8.1.11)	Ministry of Finance and Planning, Ministry of Petroleum and Anti-Corruption Commission	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	In progress. PFM Act, 2021 submitted for NCAC to finalize. Also, orsa and fgf started with FY 2022/2023.
24	Ensure community participation in the decision-making process regarding the awarding of contracts and use of natural resources; and ensuring the community's right to compensation for land acquisition relating to the extraction of natural resources. (Articles 4.8.1.12 and 4.8.1.13)	Ministry of Petroleum, Ministry of Mining, RTGoNU and Stakeholders	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
25	Ensure transparency in the management of the oil industry and the strict adherence to provisions of the Petroleum Act, 2012 and the revised Mining Act, 2012; dealing with illegal petroleum revenue accounts and deposits; empowering appropriate level of government in the management of oil and petroleum development; ensuring strict adherence to provisions of the revised Petroleum Act, 2012, and the Mining Act, 2012 (Articles 4.8.1.14.1 to 4.8.1.14.4)	Ministry of Petroleum, Ministry of Mining, RTGoNU and Stakeholders	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
26	Carry out, an urgent audit of the Petroleum Sector and empower the National Petroleum and Gas Commission to oversee negotiations with oil companies as well as the award of concessions and licenses (Article 4.8.1.14.5)	Ministry of Petroleum, NPGC, RTGoNU, Audit Chamber	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.

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27	Review the Petroleum Act, 2012 to broaden the mandate and composition of the National Petroleum and Gas Commission and in accordance with articles 4.8.1.14.7- 4.8.1.14.13. (Articles 4.8.1.14.6)	NCAC, RTGoNU, TNLA	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	Outstanding.
28	Expedite the operationalization of the FGf and Oil Revenue Stabilization Account that shall manage oil price volatility. (Article 4.8.1.14.7)	Ministry of Finance and Planning, BoSS, RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
29	Regular publishing of records of payments made to the oil producing states by the Ministry of Finance and Planning for public scrutiny and accountability (Article 4.8.1.14.8)	Ministry of Finance and Planning, R-TGoNU,	36	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2025	Outstanding.
30	Reviewing and auditing the previous allocation and transfer of the 2% and 3% made to oil Producing States since 2011 (Article 4.8.1.14.9)	Audit Chamber, RTGoNU, RTNLA	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
31	Reviewing and auditing all oil revenues due to the National Government and their allocation in the budget since 2011 (Article 4.8.1.14.10)	Audit Chamber, R-TGoNU, TNLA	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
32	Expediting the process of joining the Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI) (Article 4.8.1.14.11)	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, R-TGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.

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33	Review and transform the national oil company - Nile Petroleum Corporation (NPC) - and the National Petroleum and Gas Commission (NPGC) in accordance with the Amended Constitution and law. (Articles 4.8.1.14.14)	Ministry of Petroleum, RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
34	Honour all national and international commitments, including agreements with the Republic of Sudan on oil / petroleum agreements in accordance with the law.	RTGoNU	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	Outstanding.
35	Article 4.8.2 Land. Initiate an in-depth national debate to review the current national land policy and the Land Act, 2008. (Article 4.8.2.1.1)	Ministry of Land, Housing and Urban Development, National Land Commission, RTGoNU, TNLA	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
36	Establish an independent registry of Lands at all levels of government for issuance of Title Deeds. (Article 4.8.2.1.2)	RTGoNU, State and Local Government	18	30-Aug-2022	29-Feb-2024	Outstanding.
37	Empower the Land Commissions at different levels of Government to develop and interpret legislation. (Article 4.8.2.1.3)	RTGoNU, State and Local Government	18	30-Aug-2022	29-Feb-2024	Outstanding.
38	Assist in the mediation of conflicts arising from land. (Article 4.8.2.1.4)	R-TGoNU, State and Local Government, Land Commission.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.

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39	Article 4.8.3 The Nile and Other Water Resources. Develop a comprehensive policy for the use and management of South Sudan's water bodies, including but not limited to River Nile. (Article 4.8.3.1).	Ministry of Water Resource and Irrigation, RTGoNU	2	30-Aug-2022	30-Oct-2022 Outstanding.
40	<b>Initiate policies, strategies and Article 4.8.4 Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries, Wildlife and Tourism.</b> programmes for the management and development of Agriculture, Livestock, Wildlife, Tourism and Fisheries. (Article 4.8.4.1)	RTGoNU, Line Ministries	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023 Outstanding.
41	<b>Article 4.9 Environmental Protections.</b> Develop comprehensive policies and legal and institutional frameworks for the preservation, conservation and sustainable use of the environment. (Article 4.9.1)	Ministry of Environment and Forestry, RTGoNU and Stakeholders	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023 Outstanding.
42	Ensure Feasibility study of any project includes an environmental impact certificate from the Ministry of Environment and Forestry. (Article 4.9.2)	Ministry of Environment and Forestry, RTGoNU	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022 Outstanding.
43	<b>Article 4.10 Public Finance and Economic Management; Article 4.10.1 Revenue Collection.</b> Establish an effective, transparent and accountable management of oil and non-oil revenues in accordance with (articles 4.10.1.2 to 4.10.1.6).	RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023 Outstanding.
44	<b>Article 4.11 Wealth Sharing and Revenue Allocation. Review and reinvigorate the independent Fiscal and Financial Allocation Monitoring Commission (FFAMC). (Article 4.11.2)</b>	RTGoNU, TNLA, FFAMC	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022 Outstanding.

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45	Work out wealth sharing and revenue allocation in line with the agreement on the devolution of more powers and resources to the States and Counties. ( Article 4.11.4)	RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
46	<b>Article 4.12 Public Expenditure.</b> Review and implement the Public Financial Management and Accountability Act, 2011, including establishing effective public procurement and payroll systems, granting public service concessions, public borrowing and debt management. (Article 4.12.1, 4.12.1.1 to 4.12.1.8)	RTGoNU, TNLA	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
47	<b>Article 4.13: Borrowing Initiate.</b> Legislation prescribing the terms on which the RTGoNU and the States may borrow. (Article 4.13.1 - 4.13.5)	RTGoNU, TNLA	3	30-Aug-2022	30-Nov-2022	Outstanding.
48	<b>Article 4.14: Public Finance Management.</b>	RTGoNU, National Audit-Chamber, TNLA.	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
49	Ensure that government finances are managed responsibly, budget execution is enforced in accordance with the law, all government transactions and regularly audited and published. (Article 4.14.1 - 4.14.5)	Ministry of Finance and Planning, Audit Chamber.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
50	Receipt of pending audit reports by the TNLA. (Article 4.14.6)	Audit-Chamber	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
51	Debate and consider the report and take appropriate action. (Article 4.14.7)	TNLA, State Legislative Assembly	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.

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58	Establish a Youth Enterprise Development Fund Article 4.15.1.4 ()	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
59	Establish a Women Enterprise Development Fund for provision of subsidized credit for women-based enterprise development and capacity building of women entrepreneurs. (Article 4.15.1.5)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
60	Establish micro-finance institutions (Article 4.15.1.6)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
61	Promote social welfare and development policy (Article 4.15.1.7)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
62	Establish Social Security Fund (Article 4.15.1.8)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	In progress. Legal frame being developed.
63	Provide subsidised credit and capacity building for vulnerable members of society (Article 4.15.1.9)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
64	Coordinate enterprise related skills and technology transfer (Article 4.15.1.10)	Ministry of Finance and Planning and RTGoNU line Ministries.	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding.
65	<b>Article 4.16 Economic and Financial Management Authority (EFMA).</b> Establish an EFMA and BEFMA through legislation. (Article 4.16.1 – 4.16.2)	Ministry of Finance and Planning, RTGoNU	6	30-Aug-2022	28-Feb-2023	Outstanding.
66	Appointment of the Head of the Authority and establishment of the Advisory Committee (Article 4.16.3 – 4.16.7)	BEFMA, Transitional National Legislative Assembly (TNLA).	12	30-Aug-2022	30-Aug-2023	Outstanding. Pending enactment of the law.

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**Annex-7: Roadmap for the Implementation of Chapter V of the R-ARCSS on Transitional Justice,  
Accountability and RH**

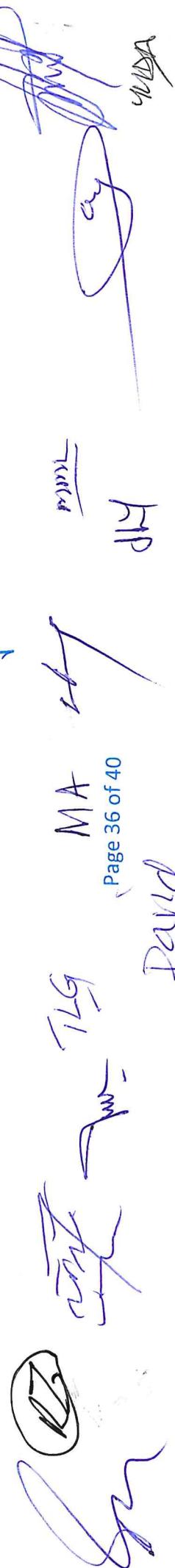
S/N	Description of Actions/Activities	Responsible Body	Timeline (months)	Start Date	Finish Date	Comments
1	Initiate legislation to establish the CTRH, HCSS and CRA and stipulate their mandate and jurisdiction.	R_TGoNU, AUC, MOJ&CA	28	22-May-2020	22-Sep-2022	Transitional Justice Institutions established and Operationalized.
2	RTGoNU will seek assistance and cooperate with AU, UN, ACPHR to design, implement and facilitate CTRH, HCSS and CRA. Articles 5.1.5 & 5.1.4.	RTGoNU, AUMISS and ACHPR	Jan-00	Jan-21	24-Jan-2021	Funds made available for the work of the CTRH.
3	RTGoNU shall initiate Legislation for the CTRH per Articles 5.1.1 & 5.2.	RTGoNU and TNLA	20	24-Jan-2021	24-Sep-2022	Legal framework provided for the work of the CTRH.
4	The MOJCA in collaboration with other stakeholders shall conduct public consultations for a period not less than 1 month prior to the establishment of the CTRH. Articles 5.2.1.3.	MOJCA, Stakeholders and CSOs	6	5-Apr-2022	5-Oct-2022	Internal consultations conducted. Consultations in Refugee Camps planned. Also, 14 days study tour planned in South Africa and Gambia sponsored by the UNDP.
5	The CTRH established via legislation promulgated by TNLA and the Presidency to establish. Articles 5.2.1.2 & 5.1.3	MOLCA and TNLA	2	30-Aug-2022	30-Oct-2022	CTRH established upon TNLA passage of the bill.
6	Appointment of CTRH Commissioners & Operationalization. Article 5.2.3.	RTGoNU, TNLA, AUC-Chair, UNSG.	1	Oct-22	30-Nov-2022	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization
7	Once established CTRH shall independently pursue the common objective of promoting truth, healing, compensation, reconciliation. Articles 5.1.3, 5.2.2.3.10 & 5.2.3.1.	CTRH	4	Nov-22	30-Mar-2023	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization

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8	CNPHR & NPPR transfer all files, records & documentation to CTRH within 15 days of establishment. Article 5.2.1.4	CNPHR, NPPPR, CTRH	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization				
9	CTRH establishes a Secretariat & prepare guideline & procedures for proper functioning. Secretariat shall be persons of high moral character, impartiality. Articles 5.2.2.3.10 & 5.2.3.1 independence & integrity.	CTRH	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization				
10	CTRH to issue quarterly reports and end report Articles 5.2.2.4 & 7.8.	CTRH, RTG0NU, RJMEC.	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization				
11	CTRH shall implement measures to protect victims and witnesses (Article 5.2.4).	CTRH, RTG0NU.	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization				
12	CTRH where appropriate supervises proceeding traditional dispute resolution, reconciliation and healing mechanisms Article 5.2.2.3.9	CTRH, RTG0NU	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization				
13	CTRH leads efforts to facilitate local and national reconciliation and healing.	CTRH, RTG0NU	As above	After operationalization of the CTRH				
14	CTRH shall inquire into all forms of human rights violations, abuses breaches of the law, excessive abuse of power committed against all persons in SS by State and non-state actors Articles 5.2.2 & 5.2.2.3.	CTRH	As above	After operationalization of the CTRH				

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15	The CTRH shall recommend processes and mechanisms for the full enjoyment by victims of rights and remedies including reparation measures. Articles 5.2.1.5 & 5.2.2.3.4	CTRHI	As above	As above	As above	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization
16	The CTRH shall issue a public report (Article 5.2.2.5).	CTRHI	As above	As above	As above	As above	Upon establishment of the CTRH and its Operationalization
17	RTGoNU shall initiate legislation for the CRA per 5.1.1.3 and Article 5.1.1.	RTGoNU and TNLA to included 5 related provisions.	6	9-May-2022	9-Nov-2022	MOJ&CA taskforce preparing draft legislation in collaboration with RJMEC and IGAD. Max Plank provided comparative analysis for initiation of the	
18	The AUC establishes the HCSS through Statute with concurrence of RTGoNU and to decide the seat of HCSS. Articles 5.3.3.1, 5.3.1 & 5.3.3.3.	AUC with the Cooperation of R_TGoNU. A total of 12 provisions are to be implemented under the HCSS.	Depends on AU	Depends on AU	Depends on AU	HCSS to be established and carry out its Transitional Justice Duties and functions as per the agreement.	


  
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**Annex-8: Roadmap on the Implementation of Chapter-6 of the R-ARCSS on the Parameters for the Permanent Constitutional.**

S/N	Activities per R-ARCSS	Institution	time frame	Start Date	Finish	Comments
1	The permanent Constitutional-Making Process must be completed within 24 months (Article 6.4 and Article 6.5) from the D-Day (12/09/2018).	MojCA, NCRC, NCC, Partners, R-TNL.	24	30 July 2022	30 July 2024	Starting from the date the R-TNL ratifies const. making Bill at the end of June, 2022, to its assent into law by the President within the same timeframe.
2	R-JMEC to identify and engage a renowned institute to facilitate and moderate the Permanent Constitution process workshop (Article 6.8).	R-JMEC	1	02 September 2021	02 October 2021	Done (Max Planck Institute)
3	R-JMEC to convene a workshop for the Parties to Agree on Permanent Constitution Making process (Article 6.7).	R-JMEC and Parties to R-ARCSS	1	27 May 2021	27 June 2021	Done (Parties attended the workshop).
4	Preparation of a draft legislation based on the outcome of workshop to guide the permanent constitution making process (Article 6.9).	NCAC, MoJCA	6	20 January 2022	20 July 2022	Starting 30th Jan. 2020, 2022, by NCAC upon completion of the Workshop on Const. making Process.
5	Reconstitution of the National Constitutional Review Commission (NCRC), (Articles 6; and 6.14).	R-TGoNU	1	30 July 2022	30 August 2022	Upon restructuring and reconstitution of the Commissions and new institution by the 30, July, 2022.
6	The Establishment of the Constitutional Drafting Committee (CDC).	R-TGoNU and the Parties, In consultation with the NCRC.	2	30 August 2022	30 October 2022	Upon completion of restructuring and reconstitution of the of National Commissions 30, July, 2022.
7	Stage 1: The CDC to conduct first Civic Education and collect data to establish public views on the Permanent Constitutional Making process.	CDC and the R-TGoNU for funding.	3	30 October 2022	30 January 2023	3 months after establishment of the CDC by the 30th Oct. 2022.

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			2	30 January 2023	30 March 2023	
8	Stage 2: The CDC to prepare first report on the Civic Education and Public consultation data for validation of Public Views.	CDC and R-TGoNU for funding.				2months after the CDC collects public consultation data by the 30/11/2022.
9	Recruitment of members to form the National Constitutional Conference.	R-TGoNU and the Parties to the agreement.	2	30 October 2022	30 December 2022	After the establishment of the CDC by the 30/9/2022.
10	The Establishment of the Preparatory Sub-committee that will later Convene the National Constitutional Conference.	R-TGoNU and the Parties, in consultation with the NCRC.	1	30 December 2022	30 January 2023	Upon the establishment of the National Constitutional Conference by the 30/12/2022.
11	The National Constitutional Conference to convene to consider the draft CDC report of the Permanent Constitution and make amendments (2nd draft).		2	30 January 2023	30 March 2023	Upon establishment of the Preparatory Sub-committee by the 01/30/2023.
12	CDC distributes the 2nd Draft report of the Permanent Constitution to the Public to collect their views.	CDC	2	30 March 2023	30 May 2023	Upon National Constitutional Conference consideration of the first CDC report.
13	CDC publishes the 2nd Permanent Constitution Text/Report to solicit Public Views.	CDC	2	30 May 2023	30 July 2023	Upon National Constitutional Conference consideration of the first CDC report by 30th, May, 2023.
14	R-TGoNU to initiate and oversee the a Permanent Constitutional Making Process (Article 6.1).	R-TGoNU and the Presidency.	2	30 July 2023	30 September 2023	Upon National Constitutional Conference consideration of the first CDC report by 30th, July, 2023.

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15	R-TGoNU to budget for the adequate funding for Constitution-making process (Article 6.15).	R-TGoNU Ministry of Finance and Planning.	2	30 June 2022	30 August 2022	During the presentation of the 2022/2023 budget to its approval by the R-TNLA.
16	NCRC to seek assistance from regional and international experts (Article 6.16).	NCRC	1	30 August 2022	30 September 2022	Upon its establishment and continuously till the end of the process.
17	Adoption of the CDC drafted Permanent Constitutional Text by the Constitutional Conference (Article 6.10).	Constitutional Conference	3	30 July 2023	30 October 2023	3 Month after the approval of the Permanent Constitutional text by the Constitutional Conference by the 30th Sept. 2023.
18	Transformation of the Transitional National Legislature (TNL) into a Constituent Assembly (3rd Stage) to adopt the Permanent Constitution. (Article 6.11).	R-TNLA, CDC and the NCRC.	2	30 October 2023	30 December 2023	2 Month upon adoption of the Permanent Constitutional text by the Constitutional Conference by the 30th Dec. 2023.
19	CDC and the NEC conducts Civic Education on the Permanent Constitution.	CDC, NEC	6	30 December 2023	30 June 2024	2 Month upon TNLA ratification of the Permanent Constitutional by the 1st Jan. 2023.
20	Review of the Election Act, 2022, to conform with the Permanent Constitution.	R-TGoNU, MOJ&CA	2	30 June 2024	30 August 2024	2 Month upon Completion of Civic Education on the Permanent Constitutional by the 30th March. 2024.
21	The Transitional National Conference, the TNLA dissolves and NEC takes-over to prepare the elections process.	R-TGoNU, NEC	1	30 August 2024	30 September 2024	2 Month upon ratification of the new Elections Act by the 30th May, 2024.

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