

Republic of Sudan
Ministry of foreign Affairs
Press Statement

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs welcomes the return of South Sudanese Vice President Dr. Riek Machar, in application of the peace agreement signed in Addis Ababa in August 2015.

The Ministry seizes this opportunity to call upon the two parties to the agreement to implement the agreement in good faith; place the interests of the people of South Sudan State on top of their agendas; and to take into consideration the promotion of security and stability in the region. The Ministry encourages regional and international partners to continue their efforts to support all parties in South Sudan during all stages of the implementation of the agreement.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs affirms Sudan's commitment to continue its efforts with its partners in IGAD , AU, and others to guarantee the implementation of August 2015 Agreement, which is expected to bring benefits to Sudan South, to the Sudan and the whole region. The Ministry expresses Sudan aspirations that these steps will have positive impact in consolidating and strengthening the bilateral relations between Sudan and South Sudan through the implementation of the Agreements of Cooperation signed on 27th September 2015, which serve the interests of the peoples of the two countries.

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