Third Party Peacekeeping Missions, 1946-2014 (Version 3.1)

Coding Manual

VARIABLE 1 (OBSNUM) – What is the Observation Number?

VARIABLE 2 (STATE) – What is the name of the Target State (Colony or Secessionist Group)?

VARIABLE 3 (CCODE1) – What is the Country Code of the Target State?

VARIABLE 4 (DISTYPE) – What is the Intrastate Dispute Type?

1-National Liberation/Independence Dispute

2-Secessionist/Separatist Dispute

3-Civil/Political Dispute

VARIABLE 5 (REGNUM) – What is the Region Number?

1-Asia/Pacific Region

2-Europe/Former Soviet Union Region

3-Middle East/North Africa/Persian Gulf Region

4-Sub-Saharan Africa Region

5-Western Hemisphere Region

VARIABLE 6 (DISNUM) – What is the number of the intrastate dispute narrative corresponding to the peacekeeping mission?

Intrastate Dispute Narratives: http://uca.edu/politicalscience/dadm-project/dadm-intratstate-dispute-narratives/.

VARIABLE 7 (TPTYPE) – What is the Third Party Type?

1-United Nations

2-Regional Inter-Governmental Organization

3-State or *ad hoc* Group of States

VARIABLE 8 (UNMANDATE) – Did the peacekeeping mission have formal authorization or a formal mandate from the UN Security Council, UN General Assembly, or UN Secretary-General?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 10 (UNRESOL) – What is the number (and year) of the UN resolution(s) and/or other document(s) that initially authorized the peacekeeping mission and/or provided a mandate for the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 9 (PKMNAME) – What is the name of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 10 (PURPOSE1) – What is the primary purpose of the peacekeeping mission?

1-Maintaining Law and Order/Protection of Civilians (military troops or civilian police).

2-Monitoring/Verifying Ceasefire Agreement (military observation).

3-Monitoring/Verifying Disarmament, Demobilization, or Disengagement of Combatants.

4-Protecting/Delivering Humanitarian Assistance (humanitarian protection).

5-Providing Security (refugee camps, airports, elections, government buildings, UN facilities, etc.).

6-Maintaining Buffer Zone (interpositionary deployment)

7-Other

8-None

VARIABLE 11 (PURPOSE2) – What is the second purpose of the peacekeeping mission?

1 - Maintaining Law and Order/Protection of Civilians (military troops or civilian police).

2 - Monitoring/Verifying Ceasefire Agreement (military observation).

3 - Monitoring/Verifying Disarmament, Demobilization, or Disengagement of Combatants.

4 - Protecting/Delivering Humanitarian Assistance (humanitarian protection).

5 - Providing Security (refugee camps, airports, elections, government buildings, UN facilities, etc.).

6 - Maintaining Buffer Zone (interpositionary deployment)

7 - Other

8-None

VARIABLE 12 (PURPOSE3) – What is the third purpose of the peacekeeping mission?

1-Maintaining Law and Order/Protection of Civilians (military troops or civilian police).

2-Monitoring/Verifying Ceasefire Agreement (military observation).

3-Monitoring/Verifying Disarmament, Demobilization, or Disengagement of Combatants.

4-Protecting/Delivering Humanitarian Assistance (humanitarian protection).

5-Providing Security (refugee camps, airports, elections, government buildings, UN facilities, etc.).

6-Maintaining Buffer Zone (interpositionary deployment)

7-Other

8-None

VARIABLE 13 (PURPOSE4) – What is the fourth purpose of the peacekeeping mission?

1-Maintaining Law and Order/Protection of Civilians (military troops or civilian police).

2-Monitoring/Verifying Ceasefire Agreement (military observation).

3-Monitoring/Verifying Disarmament, Demobilization, or Disengagement of Combatants.

4-Protecting/Delivering Humanitarian Assistance (humanitarian protection).

5-Providing Security (refugee camps, airports, elections, government buildings, UN facilities, etc.).

6-Maintaining Buffer Zone (interpositionary deployment)

7-Other

8-None

VARIABLE 14 (LEADSTATE) – What is the name of the state that contributed the most personnel to the peacekeeping mission (or, when one state did not substantially contribute more troops than the other participating states, what is the name of the state that contributed the Force Commander of the peacekeeping troops or the head of the mission)?

Note: In the case of many UN, EU, NATO, AU and other peacekeeping missions that had more than one commander during the period of the mission, the "Lead State" may be coded as the state of the first Force Commander of the participating peacekeeping troops.

VARIABLE 15 (CCODE2) – What is the country code of the state that contributed the most personnel to the peacekeeping mission (or, when one state did not substantially contribute more troops than the other participating states, what is the name of the state that contributed the commander of the peacekeeping troops or the head of the mission)?

Note: In the case of many UN, EU, NATO, AU and other peacekeeping missions that had more than one commander during the period of the mission, the "Lead State" may be coded as the state of the first Operation Commander and/or Force Commander of the participating peacekeeping troops.

VARIABLE 16 (STARTDAY) – What is the beginning day of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 17 (STARTMON) – What is the beginning month of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 18 (STARTYR) – What is the beginning year of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 19 (ENDDAY) – What is the ending day of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 20 (ENDMON) – What is the ending month of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 21 (ENDYR) – What is the ending year of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 22 (CEASE) – Was there a formal ceasefire agreement prior to the deployment of peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 24 (PEACE) – Did the parties sign a formal peace agreement (beyond a ceasefire agreement) prior to the deployment of peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 25 (PKMNUM1) – What is the approximate number of international peacekeeping personnel (civilian police, civilian/military observers, and military troops) deployed at maximum strength during the mission?

VARIABLE 26 (PKMNUM2) – What is the approximate number of international civilian staff, if any, supporting the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 27 (STATENUM) – What is the approximate number of states that contributed international peacekeeping personnel (civilian police, civilian/military observers, and military troops) at maximum strength during the mission?

VARIABLE 28 (FATAL1) – What is the approximate number of fatalities to international peacekeeping personnel (civilian police, civilian/military observers, and military troops) during the mission?

VARIABLE 29 (FATAL2) – What is the approximate number of fatalities to international civilian staff supporting the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 30 (DURATION) – What is the approximate number of months of the peacekeeping mission?

VARIABLE 31 (ONGOING) – Is the peacekeeping mission ongoing on December 31, 2014?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 32 (MILHOST1) – Was there a resumption (or continuation) of military hostilities between the parties during the deployment of the peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 33 (MILHOST2) – Was there a resumption (or continuation) of military hostilities between the parties within one year of the withdrawal of peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 34 (TREATY) – Did the parties sign a formal peace agreement/treaty (or did the parties fulfill the terms of a previously-signed peace agreement) during the deployment of peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 35 (MEDIATE1) – Did one or more third parties attempt to facilitate or mediate negotiations between the parties during the deployment of peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

VARIABLE 36 (MEDIATE2) – Did one or more third parties (major powers) attempt to facilitate or mediate negotiations between the parties during the deployment of peacekeeping personnel?

1-Yes

0-No

Note: The major powers (1946-2014) include Britain, China, France, Russia/USSR, and U.S.