List of Acronyms

ALF  Afar Liberation Front
ANDM  Amhara National Democratic Movement
ANDP  Afar National Democratic Party
ANLM  Afar National Liberation Movement
APDO  Afar People’s Democratic Organisation
ARCSS  Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in South Sudan
ARDUF  Afar Revolutionary Democratic United Front
AU  African Union
AVA  Awash Valley Authority
CPA  Comprehensive Peace Agreement
CPSU  Communist Party of the Soviet Union
CVE  Countering Violent Extremism
DDR  Disarmament, demobilization and reintegration
DIU  Dams Implementation Unit
DUP  Democratic Unionist Party
EIJM  Eritrean Islamic Jihad Movement
ELF  Eritrean Liberation Front
EPDM  Ethiopian People’s Democratic Movement
EPLF  Eritrean People’s Liberation Front
EPRDF  Ethiopian People’s Revolutionary Democratic Front
EPRP  Ethiopian People’s Revolutionary Party
ESC  Ethiopian Sugar Corporation
ESM  Ethiopian Student Movement
FLCS  Front de la Libération de la Côte Somalie
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**FRUD**  Front for the Restoration of Unity and Democracy

**GNU**  Government of National Unity

**GoSS**  Government of South Sudan

**GTP**  Growth and Transformation Plan

**GWOT**  Global War on Terror

**IDPs**  internally displaced persons

**IGAD**  Inter-Governmental Authority for Development

**IMF**  International Monetary Fund

**ISEN**  Institute for the Study of Ethiopian Nationalities

**JIC**  Joint Islamic Courts

**MLLT**  Marxist-Leninist League of Tigray

**MOARD**  Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development

**NCP**  National Congress Party

**NDA**  National Democratic Alliance

**NGO**  Non-Governmental Organization

**NIF**  National Islamic Front

**OLF**  Oromo Liberation Front

**OPDO**  Oromo People’s Democratic Organisation

**OTI**  Office of Transitional Initiatives

**PDRE**  People’s Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

**SAF**  Sudanese Armed Forces

**SAPs**  Structural Adjustment Programs

**SCP**  Sudanese Communist Party

**SEPDF**  Southern Ethiopia People’s Democratic Front

**SNL**  Somali National League

**SNM**  Somali National Movement

**SNNP**  Southern Nations, Nationalities and Peoples

**SPLA**  Sudan People’s Liberation Army
List of Acronyms

*SPLA-N*  Sudan People’s Liberation Army-North

*SPLM*  Sudan People’s Liberation Movement

*SPLM/A*  Sudan People’s Liberation Movement/Army

*SPLM-IO*  Sudan People’s Liberation Movement-in-Opposition

*SPLM-N*  Sudan People’s Liberation Movement-North

*SPRP*  Somali People’s Revolutionary Party

*SRC*  Somali Revolutionary Council

*SSDF*  South Sudan Defense Forces

*SSLA*  South Sudan Liberation Army

*SSR*  Soviet Socialist Republic

*SSU*  Sudanese Socialist Union

*SYL*  Somali Youth League

*TFG*  Transitional Federal Government

*TPLF*  Tigray People’s Liberation Front

*UN*  United Nations

*UPDF*  Ugandan People’s Defense Force

*USSR*  Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

*WPE*  Workers Party of Ethiopia

*WPPE*  Working People’s Party of Ethiopia

*WSLF*  Western Somalia Liberation Front

*WTO*  World Trade Organization