## Table 1 Outline of the Ethnic Power Sharing Institutions in Burundi's Constitution

| Vice President | The two Vice Presidents must belong to different ethnic groups and different political parties. (Article 124) |
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| The Cabinet | The cabinet members must consist of a maximum of 60\% Hutu, 40\% Tutsi. (Article 129) |
| Military / | The Minister of National Defense Force must not be the same ethnicity as the Minister responsible for <br> National Police. (Article 130) <br> The Corps of Defense and Security must have no more than 50\% of members belonging to a particular <br> ethnic group. (Article 257) |
| Public | Ethnic representation in public enterprises must be 60\% or less for Hutu and 40\% or less for Tutsi. <br> (Article 143) |
| Enterprises | The National Assembly must have 60\% Hutu and 40\% Tutsi members. (Article 164) |
| National | Two members from each province must be elected from each ethnic group. Three Twa (another ethnic <br> group in Burundi with a population ratio of less than1\%) members as well as former Presidents shall be <br> members of the Senate. (Article 180) |
| Senate | It must be ensured that ethnic, regional, and gender balances vithin the Superior Council of the Judiciary <br> are attained. (Article 217) |
| Judiciary | The ethnicity of communal administrators must not be represented in more than 67\% of a single ethnic <br> group. (Article 266) |
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