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Previous literature provides us with various adverse effects of leaders' tenures on economic growth, political institutions or conflict (Olson, 1993; Wintrobe, 1990; Efobi, 2015; Papaioannou and Zanden, 2015; Uzonyi and Wells, 2016).

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