

# ଓଇକିଂ କାହି

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New Clashes Ahead?

## The Tea of the Old Ladies

**Purikali** – With the date of the next FICT General Assembly approaching and new countries intending to apply for membership, there are many discussions in the diplomatic circles of Kaupelan about the application of Dhram Phá to be readmitted as member.

According to Wasahi Aramduhun, former ambassador to FICT (2011-2012) and former minister of foreign affairs of Ruikawahi’s cabinet (2012-2013), there were divergences between Kaupelan and Dhram Phá since the time of the first General Assembly of FICT in April 2012. Aramduhun commented that “after the rupture of the organisation which

followed that assembly, the Dhampanese dictator had acid words against FICT and considered it a ludicrous nonsense.” The former minister still added: “I think our government should not be in favour of the readmission of such country”.

The ministry of foreign affairs did not yet release the official position of Wisnumatan’s government about this matter. However, it is hard to understand the change of mind of the Dhampanese government after the statement of its chairman Niam Qhuat in June 2012 to local press, saying that FICT “is nothing but a bunch of old ladies drinking tea and exchanging gossip”.

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– Do you want some tea, Mr. Niam? – says Sindi Wisnumatan

Diplomatic Ties

## KAUPELAN OPENS AN EMBASSY IN GUELPHIA

**Purikali** – The government of Kaupelan decided to open an embassy in Kingsbury, capital of the Kingdom of Guelphia, and assigned Manwela Tambarsarya, as ambassador. Before, the diplomatic affairs were done from the embassy in Australia. “The new embassy will narrow the diplomatic and economic ties with this important friendly state and member of FICT” according to Minister of Foreign Affairs Elisbet Yemsawa.

Seismic Researches

## COOPERATION TO AVOID EARTHQUAKE CASUALTIES

**Irnik** – The University of Port de Boiguehenneuc, in Île de Romanhe, and the Royal University of Purikali started researches to mitigate the damages of earthquakes which affect regularly both countries. The proposal of cooperation was motivated by the recent earthquake of Sanantonio that killed more than one hundred people. The Environmental Research Centre (*Itambye ni Terong uni Bumi*) of Irnik will also contribute to these researches with its experience of years in seism-resistant buildings. “The problem, however,” the director of ERC Adi Ranumesar criticises, “is the political will to apply this technology. Currently Kaupelan has less than 20% of well-structured constructions and nothing is being done to change this situation, even after the last disaster.”

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