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THE LOCAL COURTS ACT
(Cap. 46)

10/10/91
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CUSTOMARY LAND DISPUTE
(Unaccepted Settlement)
[Section 8D(1)]

BK / A case for hearing by G/L/C next year. *[Signature]*

1. Name and address of chiefs involved in the decision

I. KAMEDA - SOBULU, SANDFLY ; S. REIREI - BORONI, SANDFLY ;
SOSORI - TUBILA SANDFLY ; J. KAU - SOBUKOSI, SANDFLY ;
L. VILI - SOBULU, SANDFLY ; E. BILU - LEITONGO, SANDFLY ;
S. DUNAO - TURAVOTUA, SANDFLY.

2. Name and address of the Parties

(a) Complainant:

MART KABUNAVALA, TUBILA SANDFLY

(b) Defendant:

NICHOLAS GOLI, SALAVO SANDFLY.

3. Name and address of witnesses:

(a) For the complainant:

JOHN TALENA, TUBILA SANDFLY

(b) For the Defendant:

JOHN SOSI, SALAVO SANDFLY

JOHN DIOGA, BOROHINABA, BIG GELA

4. Description of the land relating to the dispute:

THAT AREA OF LAND ON THE (NORTH EAST) COAST OF SANDFLY BETWEEN HAMALOGU AND TAGOGOLI EXTENDING FROM THE EDGE OF THE BEACH RUNNING INLAND TO THE HILLS AT THE BACK.

MAGISTRATE OFFICE
CENTRAL COURT
HONIARA
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Description of the nature of the dispute:

CLAIM OF RIGHT OF OWNERSHIP BY COMPLAINANT

Summary of findings

1. One person cannot take to court, land that belongs to a tribe or clan.
2. Mary Kabuvavala was under the care of Nicholas Goli for a long time now.
3. Goli and Kabuvavala have never been into dispute with each other over any thing for quite a long time now until this year (1991).
4. There has not been any one from the Gaubata tribe that divides or, separate Goli and Kabuvavala from the Gaubata land.
5. Both the complainant and her witness (Kabuvavala and Talenga) heard what Goli told them.
6. Kabuvavala and Talenga have no firm knowledge of the land (in dispute).
7. If Goli (defendant) did not tell the complainant and her witness (Kabuvavala and Talenga) about the land, they would not have said what they said about the land and would not have shown the 'pegs' identifying the land (in dispute).

COURT DECISION

The land from Tagogoli to Salavo, being the boundary of one named Tieke, remain~~s~~ belongs to Tieke . Tieke is not in dispute with Kabuvavala.

The land from Salavo to Hamalogu remain belonging to Goli and Kabuvavala :

1. Nicholas Goli
2. Mary Kabuvavala.
