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## NEWS IN BRIEF

### Kim Jong Il's Beard On Verge of Famine



**PYONGYANG** - N.Korea has denounced as 'fascist imperialist lies' new UN photos showing that the widespread famine in the country has spread to 'Dear Leader' Kim Jong Il's facial hair, and broken off UN disarmament talks for the 2,967th time.

### Bolehsonian Maharajah To Take 'Hawt' Paris Hilton as 52nd Wife



**LAS VEGAS** - A spokesman for His Imperial Mega-ness (HIM) Maharajah Bolehsia Zazabar Shah XXXVI has confirmed that celebrity heiress Paris Hilton (above) will be the next Maharani of Bolehsia.

Palace spokesman Salim  
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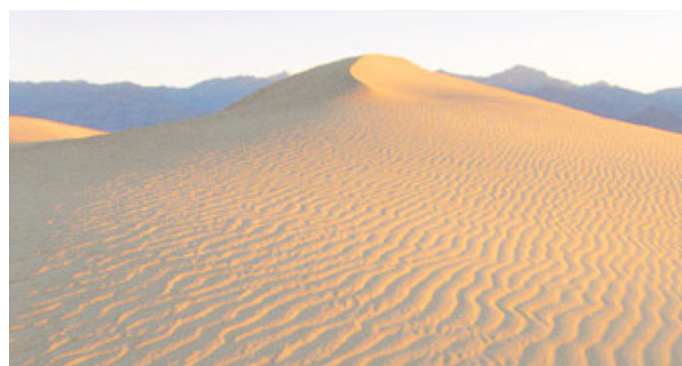
## Guerrilla Leader Wins US\$127m Lottery, Off To Maldives

[ BOLEHSIA ] - Bolehsian guerrilla leader and self-proclaimed Che Guevara look-alike Comandante Alphonso Richard Chan has decided to take a well-deserved break from his 12-year guerrilla campaign after winning the Lotto88 Mega-Sweepstakes grand prize of US\$127m.

Cmdt Alphonso leads the ABC (Alphonso's Bad-A\*\* Company) special unit of the Bolehsian Republican Army (BRA), which has been fighting to establish a secular Bolehsian Republic.

Speaking by satellite link from his secret jungle base, Cmdt Alphonso appeared elated by the prospect of getting a decent shave and shower for the first time in years

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### Record Sand Surplus, PM blames Singapore

**SANG-GORILLA**- Sand commodity prices have plummeted to their lowest level in 5 years, falling through the US\$100/ton psychological level as demand continues to lag and national stockpiles approach landslide point.

Angry sand farmers

demanding increased subsidies and demonstrated outside Parliament House yesterday by dumping 100 tons of Grade AA+ sand on the grounds.

"I am ruined," shouted a clearly distressed sand farmer, Kamal. "I burned all my rice fields to grow sand, because the government told me it was more profitable. What can I do now? Eat sand?"

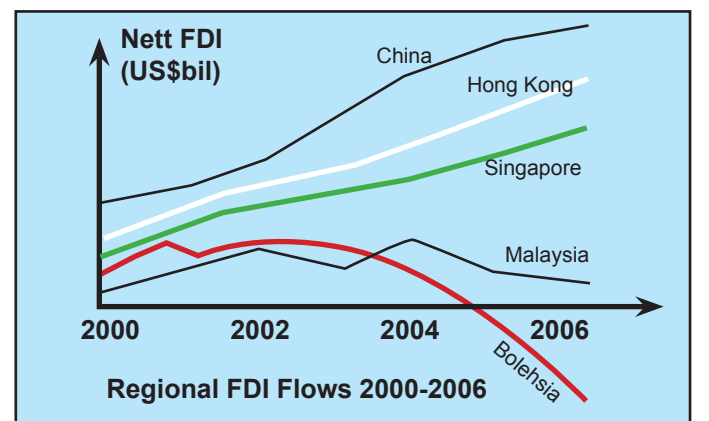
The regional sand in-

dustry has been hit hard by cheap, high grade sand imports from Saudi Arabia and Ethiopia.

Prime Minister Neronicus attributed the national surplus to Singapore's sourcing of alternative sand supplies, and accused both Singapore and Ethiopia of acting in bad faith:

"As our neighbour, Singapore was supposed to buy 1 mil tons of AA sand from us per year at US\$1,000/ton. It was a good deal (for us), but Ethiopia undercut us by offering AA sand at US\$125/ton."

The government has promised to assist the affected farmers.



### FDI Lowest in 18 Years, Also Singapore's Fault

Early Q2 estimates suggest that FDI into Bolehsia is on track to its lowest level in 18 years.

Prime Minister Neronicus expressed his 'grave concern' and promised to re-convene the 19th Parliamentary committee to study why Bolehsia re-

pels foreign investors.

PM Nero also blamed more competitive regional economies like Singapore for the FDI vacuum: "They are bad neighbours. They don't want to share their profits with us. They like to make us look bad."

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### Escalating Dispute with M'sia Over Fengshui Rights May Derail ASEAN Summit's Usually Toothless Agenda

BANGKOK - The long-standing territorial dispute between Bolehsia and Malaysia over the lucrative exploitation rights of two huge offshore fengshui currents is threatening to overshadow the usually genial and pointless discussions at this year's ASEAN photo-op/summit.

Relations between the two countries have been frosty, and spokesmen for both foreign ministries traded sharp words and accusations of territorial violations after the 2nd day of the summit yesterday. The Bolehsian FM was reportedly seen with a face 'like sour milk'.

Both countries are claiming exploitation rights over the vital meridian points of two of the world's largest offshore fengshui currents, which lie

within international waters but close to the EEZ's of both countries.

Industry experts estimate the potential economic value of the fengshui currents at over US\$50bil annually. China's consumption of 70% of global fengshui production in 2006 has exacerbated the global shortage of high-quality fengshui and driven prices to record levels.

The dispute has been brought to the International Court of Justice and is pending review.



#### Estimated Fengshui Reserves:

- Nanhai Longmai (South Sea Dragon's Pulse - SSDP): 2.8m fortunes/day proven flow; up to 4.2m FPD
- Longya Haixia: (Dragon's Teeth Straits - DTS): 2.1m FPD proven; up to 3.6m FPD
- Longwang Haixia (Dragon Lord Straits - DLS): 3.7m FPD proven; up to 6m FPD



### Religious Council Officials Raid Mamak Shop, Seize 'Obscene' Wrestling Videos

UJAN BANYAK - In a lightning raid conducted at 1am today, Bolehsian Religious Affairs and Public Protection from Erosion of Religion (RAPPER) Council officers raided a 24-hour mamak shop on Jalan Pantai Manis and seized over 150 wrestling video DVDs.

RAPPER Council Chairman Tal-a-bani Wan-abi issued a public statement on Al-Jazeera explaining the reason for the raid:

"By His Grace, We the Only True Representatives of the One True God, received a tipoff that the shop owner was broadcasting WWF MEGADETH STOMPATION 2007 videos freely on the shop's 54-inch Plasmatron TV, which showed in glorious High-Definition colour many delectably hunky, sweaty, greasy, beefy men in skimpy clothing grunt-

ing and grappling in compromising positions.

While I enjoy a good, sweaty mano-a-mano smackdown as much as the next jock, we guardians of public morality have a greater responsibility. Such public display of pornographic materials will degrade public morals and condemn society to the 27th level of Hell. Hence, by the Holy Powers vested in Us, We RAPPERS have confiscated all offending materials, including the 54-inch HD Plasmatron, DVD Player and Dolby 5.1 surround sound system for further investigations at the RAPPER headquarters.

The prevalence of such smut in society further justifies our previous injunction prohibiting women from ever leaving the house. Women are weak creatures, easily tempted into sin and should never be ex-



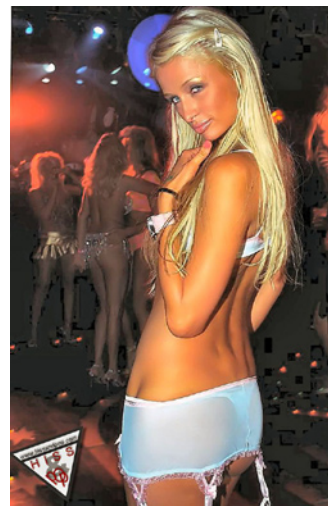
ABOVE: Alleged greasy mano-a-mano smackdown video seized from Muthu's Makan Shop  
LEFT: RAPPER Chairman Tal-a-bani Wan-abi (right) shares a lighter moment with council elders.

posed to sin through social contact, education or employment, for their own sakes."

Witnesses reported that up to 3 unmarked black vans and at least 1 armored personnel carrier were used in the raid. Dozens of heavily-armed RAPPER officials carrying AK-47 assault rifles and rocket launchers fired tear gas and warning shots as they stormed the mamak shop, which was captured without resistance.

Stunned mamak shop owner M.Muthusamy, who was tasered repeatedly in the course of the raid, is being detained for questioning at RAPPER Headquarters and has reportedly been volunteered for religious counselling, along with several patrons.

The Attorney-General declined to comment on questions regarding the legality of the raid.



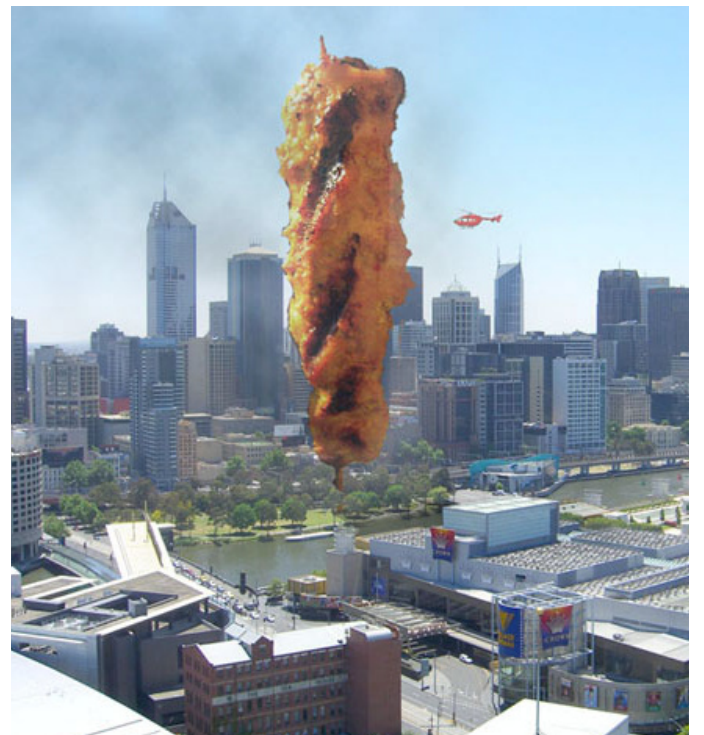
### Paris Hilton To Be Our Next Maharani

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Muhyiddin told media: "Our beloved monarch met the heiress at an awesome party on one of his semi-annual official inspection tours of The Strip and was instantly besotted with Paris.

His Imperial Meganess approached Lady Hilton and told her that she was 'HAWT' and did she want a piece of Him. Reportedly, Paris' response was, "Omi-gawd, I think I'm hawt too! We're, like, soo made for each otherr!" and the couple hit it off immediately. Neither of them was inebriated at that time of night.

We are very pleased to announce that the Maharaja's wedding to His 52nd bride will take place upon their return to Bolehsia. We wish HIM and Her Hawthness the very best. A public holiday will be announced for the people to celebrate this momentous and happy occasion for the entire nation."



### Mother-of-all-Satays Is Well Done

SANG-GORILLA - The world's biggest satay was officially unveiled today by Bolehsian Prime Minister Neronicus 'Nero' Hypocritus.

Standing prominently on a prime riverfront plot, the towering 300m tall shishkebab is skewered on a stainless steel lattice tower specially designed by international consultants Arup Engineering.

18,827 tons of beef, 1,000 tons of cooking oil, 280 tons of salt and spices, and 1,680 tons of fuel were required to prepare this culinary, engineering and urban design masterpiece. The aroma of the satay was reportedly detected as far away as Bandar Housangyee, 150km to the southwest.

Dismissing widespread criticism of the project from environmentalists, economists and the UN's World Food Programme as "jealous blah-

blah", PM Nero presented public service awards to top performers among the 2,800 public officials involved in the 18-month project, and thanked them for setting yet another world record for Bolehsia.

The unveiling ceremony of the MegaSatay was briefly disrupted by about 50 protesting architects and urban planners, who scaled police barricades and attempted to set fire to the 'Egregious Edible Edifice of Extreme Egotism' with petrol bombs, but only succeeded in enhancing the crispy crust. 12 protestors were arrested.

Environmentalists are particularly concerned about the impact of the meaty tower on the surroundings. Gravy and meat juices leaking into the adjacent Murni River have been linked to a large increase in algal blooms and the shark population of the river.

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