#### FMM

# **REPORT 2009.**

#### January 05th 2009:

- Mr Fidy (Hearing) study University of Antananarivo training at office FMM during 1 month and half. He is training about communication of University and he knows Malagasy sign language.
- 2 hearing visit at office FMM, they like training Malagasy sign language. Ms Jeannette (Deaf) teaches it at homes theirs.
- Ministry of Health and Social (Mr RALAINIRINA Paul Richard) sent to deputy of Tana Mr Solofo and FMM. He say FMM what need?

#### January 17<sup>th</sup> 2009

FMM committed meet at office FMM

• Statues are clean

President: Mr Dimby Raberanto Sombinaina (Deaf) Vice President: Mrs Lolona Razafimalala (Deaf) Cash: Mrs Lala Rasolonirina Lucie (Deaf) Controller Deaf: Mr Victor Rabeson Leon (Deaf) Controller: Dr Theodore Randrianarisoa (Hearing) Counsellor: Jules Andriamampianina (Hearing) Counsellor: Not still finish to sign (Hearing) Counsellor: Not still finish to sign (Hearing) Budget manager: Rinja Andriamampianina (Hearing) Director of project: Rivo Andriamampianina Henitsoa (Hearing)

Delegation from regions: FMM meeting at office every year!

Antananarivo: Mrs Noro Randrianarisoa (Deaf) Manakara: Mrs Anna Javel Lydia (Deaf) Sainte Marie Island: Mr Bartho Betkow Etienne (Deaf) Farafangana: Mr Randriamaheny Paul (Deaf) Toliara: Mrs Njaka Ralisianarinoro (Deaf) Tamatave: Mr Edmond Nomenjanahary Nirina (Deaf) Mahajanga: Mrs Liane Ranoarivony H. (Hearing) Antalaha: Mr Arlin Ranajakahobiarinaivo (Hearing) Antsirabe: Mr Andre Rakonandrasana (Hearing) Antsiranana: Mr Charles Andriamaianarisoa (Hearing) Fianarantsoa: Mr Naivoarenianantsoa Rasafimandimbiarison Fanomezana (?) Morondava: The paper is not arrived till now.

- Former President of FMM (Mr Rabeson Leon Victor) during the period 2004-2008 changed the paper to paper signed by new President of FMM (Mr Raberanto Dimby Sombiniaiana) for 2008-2012.
- FMM report in 2008
  - ITT (Interpreter) Leader Mr Rivo
- On 11 December 2008: 10 interpreters from state. Rivo says: they are good and young. Rivo thinks to collection again 12 new interpreters from state this year ex: police, justice, etc from Antananarivo not from regions because of lack with the budget this year.
  On 2010, collection new interpreters from regions. DAM 2007-2009 says: 35 interpreters. In 2007: 13 interpreters from civil, in 2008: 10 interpreters from state, 2009: 12 interpreters from state and civil. Dimby says, interpreter from hospital, etc should put poster about sign language on door or info in National TV..
- DTT: Sign Language Book (Leader Rinja) He is absent.
- FMM organization:

You received the report in 2008! You know.

In 2008: Deaf club in regions say, FMM should several visits in region. Deaf Club in Manakara is problem because many deaf adults leave it to witness of Jehovah. FMM committee say, Mr Victor should visit in Manakara because he is member in witness of Jehovah and must member in Deaf Club in Manakara etc..

FMM committee thinks, Deaf club in regions when before meeting do not sermon about the bible because they are different about the beliefs.

Other news:

- Ministry of Health sent the paper to FMM; they say what need FMM ? FMM committee read the paper to sent to the ministry and they think that is is too much 18 points but they think it should be 5!
- Hanne and Colin Allen etc will come to Antananarivo on March  $02nd 07^{th} 09$ .
- On February 07<sup>th</sup> 09: FMM volunteers will plant trees in East Manandriana 30 km from Antananarivo and info about it to newspaper, National Television Malagasy,.
- FMM ask to FMM committee to establish internet at the FMM office. I t was not ok because it will create a problem if FMM remove in an other place.
- FMM organization, Interpreter, and Sign Language Book now prepare project and budget for 2010 to 2012, FMM committee will meet it at FMM office on 18 July 2009. Project and budget 2010 2012 etc will send it to Norway before September 01-09. But FMM committee meeting each month. Mr Jules says, how the education for deaf children, if NDF okay, he is ready to prepare project and budgets for 2010.... Mr Jules likes very much to help project and budget education of deaf children education,.

- FMM said, Deaf club should active deaf people, schools, enterpriser, Association interpreter and more local members to FMM.
- On 31th December 2008, President of Madagascar says, the salary of the public staff will raise to 10%. The personnel in the FMM office would like to be like them but FMM committee said if the budget of FMM is not enough, it is under 10%.
- I' am quiet about President of FMM should up salary because I wait Hanne response's on March 02 07/09! It is difficult for me ask to FMM committee.

# January 22nd 2009:

• FMM met Directory of Education in Madagascar (Ministry of Education) Mrs Tahina RAZAFINDRAMARY. We ask to Mrs Tahina in FMM committee because she easily contacts development the Education for Deaf. She ready in FMM committee but do not every day meeting because she have more programme but delegation Education when sometime meeting to FMM committee. FMM gave the book DAM 2007-2009, Status of FMM 2008 – 2012 and Human Right of the Deaf from WFD.

# January 23rd 2009:

• President of FMM met Directory of Education in Madagascar again because Mrs Tahina signed in letters of FMM committee 2008 – 2012.

# January 25<sup>th</sup> 2009:

• President of FMM met Preliminary Mr Solofo Andriafintsamahatratra gave the letters about ask Human Rights of the Deaf for Ministry of Health, Vice Ministry of Health, President of Preliminary in Madagascar, Directory General of social in Madagascar Mrs RASOARANTO Myriame Dorothée, Director of social in Madagascar Mr RAMAHAVITA Marcel, Vice President Preliminary and group of Health and AIDS HIV Mr TSITOHERY Avison André.

# February 01st 2009:

• TVM do not info because brunt it cause crises of political on January 26<sup>th</sup> 2009, the same cannot info on sign language on TVM every Sunday. Ravalomanana said, must finished prepared the TVM soon.

# February 07<sup>th</sup> 2009:

• FMM with Deaf clubs from Antananarivo, pupils from Akama volunteer plant tree in Manandriana between 30 km from Antananarivo. They 35 deaf people plant tree morning and a woman hearing from state work in forest and water conference about environment in afternoon.

#### February 09<sup>th</sup> 2009:

• FMM prepares report and budgets about FMM committee meetings every year for 2010 to 2012.

# February 13<sup>th</sup> 2009:

• President of FMM visited the person who takes care of the handicapped at the Ministry of Health and Social Protection. They are happy to see President of FMM. They asked to FMM what materials need? President of FMM answered want: videophone, alarm call with vibrator, ringing with light, watch with vibrator..

# **February 20<sup>th</sup> 2009:**

• Handicap International called plate form from disabled for a meeting about an establishing of new status of disabled at Madagascar. Delegate from FMM (Mr Dimby). Handicap International from Australia fund 100 000 000 Ariary for Disabled in Madagascar this year 2009, it is for salary General Secretary of disabled, rent of house, materials. 3 peoples Disabled to sign the cheque in Bank, 3<sup>rd</sup> signatory is Dimby from FMM.

# February 23rd 2009:

• FMM thinks: Rivo director of project for 2010 to 2012 ... because following the status of FMM. He says okay to prepare the project only but another person makes the budgets!

# MARCH 09

# FMM REPROT

FMM cannot visit in regions cause Madagascar is not normal, but we work at Office FMM prepare translate English to Malagasy about Human Right for Deaf from UN, WFD. FMM prepared put in Malagsy sign language about convention of Human Right of the Deaf from UN, etc of DVD, FMM will send it to Deaf clubs in regions soon.

# March 18<sup>th</sup>, 09.

Handicap International met plate form of Disabled. (FMM delegation of Dimby) They prepare the groups 5 different:

- Technique committee (in FMM)
- Workshop white book
- Collection information
- Know about convention (in FMM)
- Visit in regions.

Handicap International pay salary for interpreter when meet during this year. Handicap International prepared information convention Human Rights of the Disabled from UN in DVD for in regions in Madagascar, but FMM say must poster with Malagasy sign language interpreter, they okay and good, they says, maybe at Africa none the same it?

# March 20<sup>th -</sup> 21th 09

FMM met 2 deaf people old. They retired but not member of deaf clubs. FMM say must member, they said okay. FMM visit at home 4 deaf people live near airport Ivato, they not members, they are okay member deaf club in Antananarivo.

# March 22nd 09.

12 Deaf people and they are know sign language in Belo Tsiribihina near Morondava (West North). Mr Bodeny is leader. He is several communicate by sms to FMM.

# March 28<sup>th</sup> 09.

New deaf club in Belo Tsiribihina.

#### **Others new:**

- Deaf club in Antananarivo: Now 93 Deaf people member it is official but there more because not list in book. In 2008, 45 Deaf people member it.
- 10 State training Malagasy sign language in Ambandrianomby of Antananarivo, also 10 people civil in Protestant of church in Ilanivato Antananarivo.
- Some Deaf people training about art with in State of Ambandrianomby.
- Deaf South Africa sent to FMM six posters original about WFD congress on 14 24 July 2011 in Durban South Africa. They prepared draw of map of Africa but not see in Madagascar before sent it on email to all Association of the Deaf in world. FMM ask to Deaf South Africa about why not map in Madagascar? Deafsa put in map of Madagascar the poster original.
- Mrs Rina (Deaf) work computer in Akama, She has friends of deaf blind but now she not see her because some years ago. Rina like how teach for deaf blind. Also another mothers with baby of deaf blind visit in Dr Doro Akama maybe three ago, but he said Akama haven't teach about it. The same in FOFAMA before leader Finstad Ingbjork. FMM want it..

# FMM reports on April and May 2009.

# 15 April 09

• FMM met in Akama because Rotary Club Lions gave 11 appreil for pupils in Akama. FMM ask to Rotary Club Lions because Deaf adults want hearing aid in regions. Rotary Club Lions speech best hearing aid for baby but heard half ex 50%, difficult for Deaf adults, they said.

# <u>20 April 09</u>

• FMM received a letters with photos, working and address from Deaf Club in Belo Tsiribihina. They are 14 members. 2 hearing, 8 Deaf adults, 4 Deaf pupils from Deaf school in Morondava.

# 02 Mey 09

• Deaf Club in Antananarivo training about social

# <u>05 Mey 09</u>

• COPH, Handicap International, Antananarivo Commune (CUA) invites FMM, Federation of the Blind, Akama etc workshop in office CUA. Rivo represent of FMM and Akama.

# 09 Mey 09

- FMM committee meeting: Came: Dimby, Lala, Lolona, Victor, Dr Doro, Jules. Absent: Rinja
- Interpreter never information in National TVM began 01 February until now because it is fire on 26 January 2009 cause crises of political in Madagascar. Interpreter should info in National TVM again, FMM do not think support of political, FMM committee said
- Akama has Association of the Parents of Deaf children. They should members in FMM. President of FMM ask to President about it soon.
- Project and budget for 2010 to 2013 return to Rivo before 15 July 2009.
- FMM received the money USD 15 000 form NDF for January to March 2009, on 28 April 09.
- \* President of FMM and secretary up salary 6%
- Book sign language makes **"K"** now.
- Interpreter training again
- \* Interpreter
- \* Easy
- Another news:
- Ms Vibeke return to NDF and FMM.
- FMM committee thinks search will bought a house for FMM here middle of Antananarivo not far.
- Rivo ask to FMM committee about remove rent house for FMM 400 000 Ariary a month, it is under room and Rivo room is above but we haven't decision about it! Before rent house of FMM is 470 000 Ariary, Rivo said.

# 15 Mey 09:

- Plate Form of 6 Federation of disabled invited journal, radio and Clubs of disabled because they speech about:
  - Plate Form history
  - Lobby to State
  - Convention of disabled 53 countries
  - Plate Form has 7 members in regions

# **REPORT OF THE VISITE IN ANTSIRABE**

- Association of the Women Deaf in Madagascar (Vondrona Vehivavy Marenina eto Madagasikara) V.V.M.M.
- Association of the Deaf in Antsirabe (Fikambanan'ny Marenina Sampana Vakinankaratra) FMSV

# Thursday, May 21st 2009.

Meeting with the FMSV Committee, Deaf Women, Group of the Deaf Women in Madagascar.

About the conjugal problem:

Mr André (hearing) is the social worker in FMM/FMSV. He talked and claimed that his wife (deaf president of the Deaf women in Antsirabe) left him a month ago. André resigned from his post (social wok).

# Friday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> 2009 (morning)

VVMM We visited the centre of the nun with Mme Line (President of the Association of the Deaf women in Antsirabe).

10 Deaf (men and women) made hand work in that Centre in Ambohimena Antsirabe.

We were given a warm welcome and talked about everything. Lala and Lolona explained about the F.M.M. and the V.V.M.M. and they were happy to meet us.

The Centre is ready to build a special house for the Deaf in Antsirabe. It can work with FMM and VVMM. They think and it leads a good communication.

To work with FOFAMA is difficult.

# Friday afternoon and Saturday morning

We called some deaf women who have conjugal problems. The VVMM gave advice, helped them. The Deaf Women accepted the advice from the VVMM and promised to respect their conjugal home. Now every home doesn't have problem.

# Saturday afternoon May 23rd, 2009

Meeting of the FMSV :

- To establish the Statute of the Association in Antsirabe.
- Mme Raharimalala Marie Ernestine (to work in the Health Ministery) was presented and ready to help the Deaf women.

Last information:

André and Line his wife talked with me that their foyer has arranged since 24<sup>th</sup> Mai 2009 and they lived together. The members are very happy to know that good news. They said that to educate Deaf is very difficult.

V.V.M.M. IS ALWAYS READY TO CONFRONT THAT.

<u>N.B</u>: André came back to work as a social worker in FMM Antsirabe. We thanked him.

06 June 2009.

Lalaniana Lucie R.

President of the V.V.M.M.

#### REPORT OF THE VISIT IN ANTSIRABE (President of FMM) July 16 to 19, 2009.

#### **July 16:**

I visited the social worker (Mr André) the Deaf club in Antsirabe, and the Nurse Gabrielle. We explained about the FMM to the nurse and showed to her the DAM. She was very happy to meet with us and ready to help the deaf in Antsirabe. For example, to teach them the handwork for the handicapped. I said: it is better to send the deaf to school because now there are many deaf in Madagascar. They answered that they make effort to take care of the deaf and make better about the communication. The problem is how to teach for the deaf in catholic?



Nurse Gabrielle (left) who takes care of the deaf women in Antsirabe.

#### July 17:

We (President of FMM, André, Fara III and Do boy deaf) went to Betafo between 20 km Antsirabe and met with the Vice Mayor. He was very glad to see us. He is ready to take care of the Deaf in Betafo but after 45 days. I suggested him to make an advertisement on radio to call the Deaf in Betafo to come to the meeting.

On that day we visited a little boy hearing and physique who lives in the bush. Many Deaf heard our visit but they lived very far from us so we couldn't meet them.



Vice Mayor (red coat), Mr André (social worker on right), Miss Fara III, and Mr Do (Deaf lives in Betafo)



FMM President, Mr André social worker, Fara III, and Do (Deaf) went on foot during 4 hours to the brush for looking some deaf

#### July 18:

I received an invitation from FOFAMA. 14 young finished their training on teaching Deaf and on that day is the outing with 10 Deaf who finished their study. They were training during 2 years. The giver of money is the CBM. I asked to CBM and FOFAMA not to stop the training and the teaching for the deaf because in Madagascar they are many deaf.(170 000).

It makes everything easy for example the communication, the life. I encouraged the young to join in to the Association of the deaf when they will be in their region.



Miss Nety FOFAMA Headmaster calling the young who finished their study



# The 14 youngs who finished their training on teaching for the Deaf in Madagascar.

#### **July 19**:

The FMM met with the Association of the deaf in Antsirabe . I explained about the Deaf Right, encouraged them train the Sing language for the hearing because next year there will be training for the interpreter in Antsirabe. During the International day of the deaf, try to ask to the government in Antsirabe about the Deaf Right. Don't stop to complain.

The association of the deaf in Antsirabe thought to visit the Deaf in Betafo. It asks to collect the Deaf in Betafo and to build that on September 20, 2009. During that day, a theatre, foot ball and other activities can be made... I agreed that idea.

# FMM REPORT IN TOLIARY Date: 4th-5th August 2009.

# 04<sup>th</sup> August 2009.

15h—18h: Visit to the Association of the Deaf in Toliara. There were many new Deaf members (40). But on that moment, some deaf were gone on holiday. Last moment, old and young deaf didn't know sign language. But now, these many persons know very well the sign language (on 5 months). The association of the deaf in Toliara taught Sign language to the Deaf.

Mr Solofo (Secretary of the Deaf club in Toliara) asked to FMM during his speech to take care of the Association in Toliara. There are many deaf in Toliara but there is no deaf school. The school of the handicap centre has no deaf teacher even if there are 3 deaf children learnt there. The Association of the deaf in Toliara teaches Sign Language in Toliara.

The school fees in Handicap Centre is the very expensive so the Deaf Parents can't send there children there.

The FMM president explained about the Deaf right, he encourages to collect the deaf in Toliara. To teach Sign language to the family's deaf, the hearing persons because next time a training for interpreter will be existed in Toliara. The purpose is to ameliorate the society. The association of the deaf in Toliara collaborates with every faith and government.

# 05<sup>th</sup> August 2009.

The President looks for a Hotel for the General Assembly on 2012. It is in Sanfily.

He visits the Handicap centre. We met the Nurse Loiuse. She takes care of the person who has mental and physical deficiency. But not takes care of the deaf. The president said to the Handicap Centre to create a deaf school in Toliara because there are many deaf here. The responsible answered that she must ask to the responsible on September 2009.







FMM REPORT VISIT IN FIANARANTSOA Date: 05<sup>th</sup>-06<sup>th</sup> August 2009.

# 05<sup>th</sup> August 2009

To call the deaf in Fianarantsoa.

# 06<sup>th</sup> August 2009.

The Association of the Handicap in Fianarantsoa, The FMM, visited the District Chief in Fianarantsoa. The Vice Mayor took us. A great party organized by Association of the handicap was presented in Fianarantsoa on August 08<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

FMM claimed about deaf right, to introduce in the constitutional law the Sign language, the salary for the interpreter in Fianarantsoa, education for the deaf in Fianarantsoa, social....

The Association of the Deaf in Fianarantsoa took lunch with the President of FMM at the Missionary Norwegian home in Ivory. He taught about the Deaf right.

The New President of the Association of the deaf in Fianarantsoa hard hearing.



Deaf club in Fianarantsoa took lunch with President of FMM.

Mrs Filichite President Deaf club in Fianarantsoa, Donatien interpreter with President of FMM meet state of Fianarantsoa

# FMM VISIT IN AMBOSITRA ON 20 - 21 SEPTAMBRA 2009.



Deaf people in Ambositra



Bleu clothes 2nd of Mayor in Ambositra



Mr Lola leader in Hospital for Disabled people



The hospital for Disabled people.

# FMM REPORTS SEPT- OCTOBER 2009.

# 24th August 2009 :

FMM asked Handicap International about DVD use in sign language about convention UN Human Right for Disabled people. Handicap International okay prepare DVD, VCD, and books. These books are written in Malagasy and French. And Handicap International, Plate Form will send it for the Deaf clubs in regions soon.





#### <u>09 – 17 Sept 2009:</u>

Lala Rasolonirina Lucie woman leader in Madagascar, Rivo Andriamampianina project leader in interpreter, Rinja Andriamampianina project leader in book sign language and Dimby Raberanto S President of FMM were in Norway, because they did project and budgets for FMM from 2010 to 2012.



In Norway: NDF and FMM during the meeting of the projects for 2010 - 2012.



Ms Maria Andresen: the new cooperation FMM for 2010...

#### 18 Sept 2009:

Before information in Radio about Deaf people should meet the FMM in house Mayor in Ambositra. President of the FMM, Mr Victor, Mr Jules collected the Deaf in Ambositra, but only 8 Deaf people came. And President of Akanin'ny Marary meet FMM, he said why FMM didn't meet in Akanin'ny Marary but he (Mr Lola) leader takes care of deaf people in Ambositra. FMM didn't know about it. FMM meet in Akanin'ny Marary, and FMM ask to the leader when did new Association of the Deaf in Ambositra exist ? He said on 09 October 2009 because Parents of deaf children took to deaf school in Antsirabe and Deaf adults come in Ambositra.

#### 25 Sept 2009:

World Bank in Antananarivo welcome Plate Form from 6 Federations of Disabled people in Madagascar conference about UN convention human rights in disabled people.

#### 27 Sept 2009:

President of FMM visited the Deaf club in Toliara because International day of the Deaf, he gave information for all the members. President of FMM said to the Deaf club in Toliara that this event must be informed in Radio. The deaf club answer that it is not possible due to the crisis now. The number of the deaf in Toliara is about 50 persons and they know sign language well. The problem is, Toliara has not a Deaf school and the deaf is also poor. In North of Toliara there are many deaf. The deaf adults don't know sign language. A volunteer taught sign language, to write for the deaf children.



Mrs Vazo volunteers teaching sign language for a Deaf grill nine years old.



Mr Alfred President of Deaf club in Toliara lives in green house, meeting in Deaf club, teaching sign language..

#### 02 October 2009:

Ministry of Population meets the 6 Federations Plate Form (1.FMM delegate vice President, 2.Federation of the Blind in Madagascar, 3.Association of the Blind in Madagascar, 4. Organisation of Committee for the Handicapped persons (COPH), 5.Union National Handicap Association Madagascar (UNHAM), 6. Federation of the Mental Health in Madagascar. Ministry of Population said should 4 Federations! She doesn't accept 2 associations of the blind, 2 associations of the Handicapped persons. If 4 Federations she can give room for office. But 2 Blind, 2 Handicap not okay.

#### 09 October 2009:

President of FMM meet with the new Assocciation of the Deaf and families in the region in Mania **FI.MA.FIA.MA** (Fikambanan'ny Marenina sy ny Fianakaviany Amoron'ny Mania). They have objets 3 projects: Saving Human Right for Deaf people, Training works, Development of the life in future. Catholic helps to prepare many Deaf School in Antsirabe and Deaf adults during the meeting in house in Akanin'ny Marary (Center for sick) and they slept there because far from the country. 70 Deaf people and families meet with FMM. They asked new interpreter for FI.MA.FIA.MA. FMM said FI.MA.FIA.MA must teach Malagasy sign language in Amoron'Mania. FI.MA.FIA.MA 13<sup>th</sup> members in FMM.



Deaf children, Deaf adults met with FMM in Ambositra



Mrs Bakoly Deaf (red cloth) is the vice President of FI.MAFIA,MA



Mr Roland Deaf (white cloth) is the new President of FI.MA.FIA.MA



FI.MA.FIA.MA met General Assembly in Catholic Church.



# 13 October 2009:

Deaf club in Belo Tsiribihina (Menabe in Regions) sent the paper for FMM; they said development sign language hearing people in Belo Tsiribihina.

EX: Madagascar has 22 regions but you see white point in MAP of Madagascar on FMM has 13 Deaf clubs in regions in Madagascar. 9 are the rest.. Because Morondava (Menabe) has 2 Deaf clubs



# FMM REPORTS OCTOBER - NOV 09

#### **On 09 Octobre 09 :**

The Ministry of communication fund salary for interpreters in new national Television every day at 1pm – 1pm 30mn, during December 09. 13 interpreters in national TV.

#### On 19 October 09:

Deaf club in Toliara: Ms Vazo teaches the 10 Deaf pupils 3 years – 8 years old at the home of president the deaf club in Toliara. Ms Vazo volunteers teach.

#### On 23 October 09:

Plate Form from 6 Federations of FMM, Blind, etc meets about big poster pub for sign language, blind etc on road soon. Handicap International funds it.

#### <u>On 08 – 14 November 09:</u>

President of FMM meet seminar about training for the trainer workshop on Leadership and Management of National Institute for the Deaf in Worcester South Africa. East South Africa 18 Africa countries assisted there..

(South Africa, Namibia, Lesotho, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Kenya, Madagascar, Island Mauritius, Uganda, Ethiopia, Swaziland, Botswana, Malawi, Angola, Cameroon, ..) On October 2010, all Africa meeting in South Africa!



# **On 16 – 23 November 09**

President of FMM, Mr Victor (vice cash), Mr Tony interpreter visit to East South Vangaindrano, Farafangana and Manakara in Madagascar. We collected the deaf people member it and informed in radio. I taught about human rights of the deaf people. They use most oral never sign language in Vangaindrano and Farafangana. We said Vangaindrano, Farafangana and Manakara must teach sign language in population, because on the future they need interpreter for deaf people or good communication. Vagaindrano is ready up new deaf club soon.

# On 25 November 09:

Handicap International has project about study on sexuality on handicapped persons and their knowledge concerning the AIDS VIH.

They want to do a survey about it: young 10 - 14 years number 6 from each federation. Adult 15 - 35 years number 6 from each Federation.

# On 30 November 09:

The Director of National TV doesn't accept the 13 interpreters in national TV, only 1 interpreter is enough. ITT (interpreter sign language = interpreter tenin'ny tanana) responsible prepare it.

# FMM REPORT ON DECEMBER 2009

# **On 06 December:**

Ministry of Population invite 300 disabled people (40 deaf people) because International day of disabled. Ministry of Population gave 1 000 000 Ariary to each Federation.

# On 07 - 11 December:

Minisitry of Population with some delegates from the Federations of disabled meets the disabled and old people in Ambanja (North Madagascar). President of FMM meet the Deaf people in there but they from Ambilobe between Antsiranana (North Madagascar). In Ambanja, there are deaf people but we did not see they have problem about communication so do not dare to see some one else, Deaf people from Ambilobe does not have Deaf club and they are happy to see President of FMM and wish to be visited in Ambilobe on 2010.



Delegates disabled from Federations during the carnaval in Ambanja.



Ms Nadia Ministry of Population, Mayor..meet disabled in Ambanja



Mrs Haingo interpreter for Deaf people from Ambilobe and FMM in Ambanja



Please you see in map Ambanja and Ambilobe. World know famous in Ambanja about the cacao tree..and Ambilobe about gold..

# On 14 December 2009:

Big poster about Deaf people on road asks Human Right for Deaf people in Convention from UN and Sign language in Law. UNDP, Handicap International, Plate Form prepare it.



# **On 19 December 2009:**

Deaf club in Ambositra invited the President of FMM to meet with the 40 Deaf children's from FOFAMA (Deaf school in Antsirabe). They live in Ambositra but when holiday in Christmas 09 they visit their parents, on January they return to Antsirabe to study. President of FMM give information about FMM, and encourage them to communicate with sign language in region Mania Ambositra.. Institute in sick in Ambositra give money (bourse) for all Deaf children when in Deaf school in Antsirabe.



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