

BONERIF

Bonerif

... The Bora-Bora, Waf, and Gwammer, ... are related to the tribes of the western hinterland of Sarmi, whereas other tribes, such as Mander, Foja, Ittik, Bonerif, Beo, and Berik form a distinct group. ...

- Oosterwal 1959:829.

Up to 1958 the Bonerif lived in the little village of Sasfin, situated on the Tor between the villages of Samonente and Dirdjan, on the territory of the Beeuw! ... In 1958, however, the Bonerif were allowed to return to their own former territory on the Boe, where they nowadays live in the village of Oerbefareh. ... close contact between the Bonerif and tribes from the Berrik language area is very apparent in the Bonerif language. ...

- Oosterwal 1961:20.

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Bonerif is spoken on an eastern tributary of the middle Tor River ...

- Voorhoeve 1975b:413.

+ 100 [speakers]

Village: Urbefare.

- Voorhoeve 1975f:38.

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The Bonerif and Guammer people were small Berik-speaking sub-groups. Rather than face complete extinction, they have joined the more populous sub-group Oosterwal [1961] called 'Berik'. ...

- P. Westrum 1982:54.

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Bonerif (Beneraf)

POP: +/- 40

LOC: North coast area on east side of upper Tor River

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VILLAGE(S):

Beneraf

Urbefare

- Silzer & Heikkinen 1984:26.

(Beneraf)

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LOC: North coast area on east side of upper Tor River

- Silzer & Clouse 1991:43.

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Bonerif: 100 speakers reported in 1978, on the north coast, Irian Jaya, Indonesia. Also called Beneraf. Speakers are bilingual in Berik.

- Comrie 1992cc:127.

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North coast area on east side of upper Tor River area, north of Mander and south of Berik and Kwesten languages, village of Beneraf. ... Speakers bilingual in Berik. ...

- Grimes 1992:570.

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- Grimes 1996.

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- Grimes 2000.

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BONERIF	Oosterwal 1961, Wurm 1971
BONERIF	100 Tor (Wurm & Hattori
BONERIF	40 Tor (Silzer & Heikkinen
BONERIF	100 (1978) Comrie 1992cc
BONERIF	Smits & Voorhoeve 1994
BONERIF	4 Tor (Grimes 1996, 2000)
BONERIF -- BERIK	P. Westrum 1982
BENERAF = BONERIF	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984; Silzer &
BANERAF	Salzner 1960
TAKAR	Ray 1912 (Batten 1894)
TAKAR = BONERIF	Salzner 1960 (cf S&C)
Beneraf -- BONERIF	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984; Grimes
Oerbefareh -- BONERIF	Oosterwal 1961
Urbefare -- BONERIF	Voorhoeve 1975, Silzer & Heikkinen
	1984
Sasfin -- BONERIF	Oosterwal 1961
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