

PLA won't dissolve before integration: Baldev

SINDHULI, JAN 01 [2010] – Deputy Commander of the Maoist's Peoples Liberation Army (PLA) Chandra Dev Khanal 'Baldev' said on Friday that they would continue their struggle until they were integrated into the national army.

Our weapons will remain with us till the formation of a national army by merging the PLA and Nepal Army (NA), Khanal said.

Inaugurating a sports function organised to mark the ninth anniversary of the PLA in Sindhuli today, the PLA deputy head said, they are ready to carry their weapon for fifty more years lest the two armies does not merge.

Claiming that the new war will be against the Indian expansionism and hegemony, Baldev said the new war would be fought together by all the national security forces including NA, PLA, Nepal Police, Armed Police Force and National Investigation Department.

He also warned the government of dire consequences if the discharged Maoist combatants do not receive proper management as per the agreement.

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