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Letter of Acceptance (LoA)

Dear author (s),

This is to inform you that manuscript entitled:

"PARADIPLOMACY IN PREPARATION FOR THE NATION'S CAPITAL IN EAST KALIMANTAN"

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5	Relevant of the theme with the contain				*	
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7	Reference list and footnote				*	
8	Relevance of the contribution to knowledge					*

Decision regarding the paper

- (*) Accept the paper in its current format
- () Accept the paper with minor changes
- () Resubmit with the major changes
- () Decline the submission

Comments:

This paper is well organized and followed the manuscript guidelines of the journal to a large extent. The introduction section is good and shows the importance of the study. Literature review is adequate. Outcomes of the study are consistent with the findings. The approach used is praiseworthy. In my opinion, it should be published with no revision although implication to the research needs to be explicit.

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Double-blind review form (Second reviewer)

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Comments:

I have now looked at the paper. The abstract, key words are OK. The paper is relevant to the theme of the journal and will contribute to academic debate. The paper is well structured and the APPROACH used for the study are sound. In my opinion, the subject matter of research problem is highly appreciable. It will surely make a contribution to the relevant field of research. The presentation of thoughts in the paper is notable. The paper should be published with no significant revision.

[DECISION]

Based on the review results, manuscript entitled, "PARADIPLOMACY IN PREPARATION FOR THE NATION'S CAPITAL IN EAST KALIMANTAN" is accepted for publication in "Budapest International Research and Critics Institute-Journal (BIRCI-Journal) and will be published in Volume 5, No. 1, February 2022.



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