

## **ABSTRACT**

### **THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF VILLAGE GOVERNANCE AFFAIRS (A Case Study in Astomulyo Village Punggur District Central Lampung Regency)**

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Viewed from vertical differentiation, a village or kampung is the closest level of governance to people that it has quite an important and strategic position in terms of people empowerment and public services. The delegation of regency affairs which can technically be done by a village is absolutely needed in order to accelerate the village development and public services. It also can reduce the burden of the local government, increase the efficiency, and fulfill the psychological needs of self actualization and identity.

This research was aimed at finding out the effectiveness of the implementation of village governance affairs in Astomulyo Village Punggur District Central Lampung Regency. It is a qualitative descriptive research describing the situation which was conducted through observation and written and oral data collection from the informants.

The results show that there are five areas of affairs undertaken by the Government of Astomulyo Village including the areas of sustainable agriculture and food security, health, public sector, village autonomy, and family planning and welfare. Of those five areas, the areas which are eligible to be handed over to the village governance are the areas of sustainable agriculture and food security, public sector, and village autonomy.

The eligibility can be seen from the ability of the village government to provide the budget as well as the support of civil society to implement the programs. While those of health and family planning and welfare are considered ineffective and are not eligible to be handed over to the village government due to the absence of budgetary support, the absence of authority in the village's organizational structure, the village's working procedures, and lack of human resources

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