

## **ABSTRACT**

### **POLITICAL INTERVENTION AND NEUTRALITY OF STATE CIVIL APPARATUS IN THE REGIONAL GENERAL ELECTION LAMPUNG PROVINCE 2014**

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The aim of this research was to explain about political intervention and neutrality of state civil apparatus in regional election of Lampung Province 2014. Theories used in this research were theory of political intervention by Azhari, factor of intervention by Hellden and theory of bureaucracy neutrality by Weber. The method used in this research was qualitative, data collection techniques conducted through interviews, libraries and documentation. The data processed to generate the exposure data in the form of political intervention and the neutrality of state civil apparatus in the regional general election of Lampung Province.

The results of this research showed that political intervention conducted by political actors were *incumbent* in deployment of a working unit, bureaucratic network, and inserted political agenda in the bureaucratic activities. The neutrality of the civil state apparatus in several areas, namely Tulang Bawang district, Tulang Bawang Barat district, Bandar Lampung city and Lampung Barat district were not maintained properly, the four districts or city were the home of several pairs of candidates. State civil apparatus involved by using the power head of the region. On the other hand political primordial also be a factor of intervention,

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political intervention can also come from within the bureaucracy, the intervention often done because the existing rules have not been able to tie the whole offenders who commit fraud. Violations committed by the candidate pairs involving the support of state civil apparatus was an act that open and half-open. Supervisory institution was less maximizing the function of monitoring, it can be seen by violations and violations report that were not processed optimally.

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