ABSTRACT

EDUCATION SECTOR ANALYSIS GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES
(Case Studies : SMA N 2 Bandar Lampung)

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One role of government is very important is the role of distributive. Distributive role is the role of government in redistributing resources, opportunities and economic results in a fair and reasonable (Dumairy, 1996;158 ). In terms of education, distributive role is realized through the government's role in the provision of subsidies. Government expenditures in education have a routine and there are expenditures that are not regular subsidy. State expenditure in the form of efforts to transfer wealth to individuals for the welfare that included government subsidies called transfer (government transfer payment).

Government as stake holder obliged to pay attention to all sectors in this country. One sector that is very important and should receive attention from the government is the education sector. Subsidies provided by government is one of the steps undertaken to reduce the burden of society. Thus the whole community will be able to enjoy education because the cost of education becomes more affordable with a subsidy from the government. SMA Negeri 2 Bandar Lampung as the schools studied were due to SMA Negeri 2 Bandar Lampung is the only
school in Bandar Lampung city appointed to pioneer Sekolah Bersekala Internasional (SBI).

Based on the calculation of the cost of education in SMA Negeri 2 Bandar Lampung between years 2002/2003 until 2007/2008 who has the biggest change between before and after the subsidy block grant is in the academic year 2007/2008 that is equal to Rp 304,533. While the cost of the smallest changes occurred in the academic year 2003/2004 that is equal to Rp 36,023. The average of the overall magnitude of change is Rp133,427. Then the average cost to be paid each student before the subsidy amounted to Rp434,958 per year and the cost to be paid each student after the subsidy amounted to Rp 301,531 per year.

Based on the analysis of questionnaires distributed to 88 students and 88 parents / guardians of students can be concluded that the government subsidy on education sector SMA Negeri 2 Bandar Lampung has great benefits in improving the condition and completeness of the facilities of existing facilities and infrastructure in SMA Negeri 2 Bandar Lampung, improving the quality of the learning process in SMA Negeri 2 Bandar Lampung and also in reducing the burden of educational costs that must be spent per student. This can be seen from the percentage rating that is equal to 65,6%, 72,36% dan 72,12% that all three are in a better assessment of the level of achievement.