Kerjasama Kontra-Terorisme Indonesia-Australia: Perbandingan Antara Masa Pemerintahan Megawati Soekarnoputri dan Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono

Abstrak:

This paper examines how Indonesia has responded to the presence of an international terrorist threat and how its international partners in the global war on terrorism have assisted the Indonesian government in combating the violent of terrorism. Australia and Indonesia have extended their bilateral cooperation to jointly promote cooperation in the region. This research tried to compare the Indonesia and Australia counter-terrorism cooperation which occurs during the Megawati Soekarnoputri government (Februari 200–September 2004) and Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono government (October 2004–2006). Those two governments era were chosen because they were having important roles in building the relationships between the two countries. The counter-terrorism cooperation between those two countries were increasing after 911 incident in the United States (USA), and prominently after Bali Blast I incident in 2002 and Bali Blast II incident in 2005. Cooperation and counter-terrorism are two important concepts that become the fundamental of this paper.

Keyword:

Cooperation, Counter-terrorism, Megawati Soekarnoputri, Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono, Government.