Politik Luar Negeri sebagai Konstruksi Sosial: Sikap Indonesia terhadap Kebijakan Penempatan Pasukan Marinir Amerika di Darwin

Abstrak:

Article argues that foreign policy can be product of complex interrelation between agent and structure. It uses Indonesian foreign policy on the US military deployment in Darwin, Australia, as a case study. There is contradiction between opinion on parliament and executive on this issue. The parliament argues that military base in Darwin will threaten Indonesia’s national unity; while the executive sees it not as a threat. By using constructivist approach, the writer argues that Indonesian government does not see the US military base as a threat due to “friendly” relationship between them. The culture of friendly relationship creates collective identity on international security that end up on supporting policy by Indonesian government.

Keyword:

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