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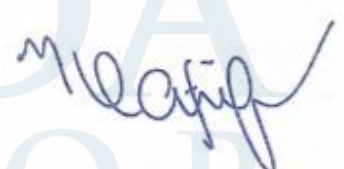
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## ABSTRAK

*Benua Afrika merupakan salah satu benua yang memiliki permasalahan hak asasi manusia yang merata. Burundi merupakan salah satu negara yang memiliki tingkat permasalahan hak asasi manusia, kesehatan, dan ekonomi yang rendah. Hal tersebut disebabkan oleh sejarah kelam negara tersebut yang mengalami perang saudara, genosida, diskriminasi dengan kurun waktu yang sangat lama. African Union berupaya memberikan bantuan-bantuan mereka kepada setiap negara di benua Afrika yang mengalami bencana maupun permasalahan-permasalahan di negara mereka. Penelitian ini berusaha untuk menganalisa peran dari Uni Afrika dalam mengatasi permasalahan hak asasi manusia di negara Burundi. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kualitatif, dimana sumber-sumber penelitian berasal dari artikel ilmiah, jurnal-jurnal, dan buku yang relevan dengan judul penelitian. Dengan menggunakan Konsep Intervensi Internasional untuk menganalisa permasalahan yang di hadapi oleh masyarakat Burundi dan juga konsep bantuan kemanusiaan untuk menganalisa peran apa saja yang dapat dilakukan oleh Uni Afrika untuk membantu memajukan kesejahteraan kehidupan masyarakat Burundi pasca perang saudara. Dalam penelitian ini membahas mengenai bantuan kemanusiaan yang diberikan kepada masyarakat Burundi dan intervensi organisasi internasional kedalam konflik di negara tersebut yang mengakibatkan permasalahan hak asasi manusia yang signifikan. Hasil dari penelitian menunjukkan bahwasannya African Union memiliki peran yang signifikan dalam membantu mengatasi permasalahan-permasalahan hak asasi manusia yang terjadi di negara Burundi. Selain itu African Union juga memberika bantuan berupa keamanan kepada mereka korban-korban bencana maupun mereka yang terdampak dari pelanggaran hak asasi manusia.*

**Kata Kunci:** *African Union, Human Rights, Burundi.*

## ABSTRACT

*Africa is one of the continents where human rights issues are prevalent. Burundi is one of the countries with low levels of human rights, health and economic issues. This is due to the country's long history of civil war, genocide and discrimination. The African Union seeks to provide assistance to every country on the African continent that is experiencing disasters or problems in their country. This research seeks to analyze the role of the African Union in addressing human rights issues in the country of Burundi. This research uses a qualitative method, where the research sources come from scientific articles, journals, and books relevant to the research title. By using the concept of International Intervention to analyze the problems faced by the people of Burundi and also the concept of humanitarian assistance to analyze what role the African Union can play to help advance the welfare of the Burundian people after the civil war. This study discusses the humanitarian assistance provided to the people of Burundi and the intervention of international organizations into the conflict in the country which has resulted in significant human rights issues. The results of the study show that the African Union has a significant role in helping to overcome human rights problems that occur in the country of Burundi. In addition, the African Union also provides security assistance to victims of disasters and those affected by human rights violations.*

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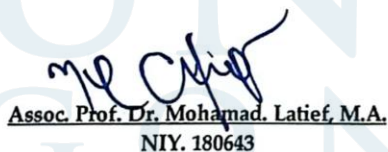
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