ABSTRACT

Sholihah, Mar'atus. 2015. Ideological Construction of News Reports about Bali-Nine on The Jakarta Globe, Tempo Online And The Australian.

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This research use Critical Discourse Analysis (CDA) as a multidisciplinary approach to analyze three news reports from three different news portal. The news report is about duo Bali-nine drug smuggler case. This research focus on the news which reported on the execution day on April 29, 2015 from The Jakarta Globe, Tempo Online and The Australian.

This research examine how the same event was portrayed in different newspapers and what is justified, defended or attacked. It explore the media discourse from the perspective of newspaper production as well as linguistic analysis based on the framework of critical discourse analysis (CDA) proposed by Van Djik. It examine the news use the microstructure.

The linguistic features that have found in the news were analyzed from the microstructure element. There are four style in it; they are the semantic, syntaxes, lexical and rhetoric style.

The ideological construction that portrayed by The Jakarta Globe and The Australian was tend to blame Indonesia on the execution. Tempo Online did not portray both Indonesia and Australia as the right or wrong. It reported the news neutrally.

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