

Abstract

Persons of Indonesian Descent are the persons who can possibly said that they are the descendent of Indonesian. However, they lived in another country outside Indonesia which in this case is the Philippines. They came to the Philippines because they ran from their country to prevent the conflictual condition which is the Dutch Colloniatization era and also the Poso Conflict. After the independence of Indonesia and the regulation about nationality in Indonesia has already been made, the PIDs in the Philippines considered as stateless persons. Because of some limitation from the Indonesian and the Philippines government, the problem of citizenship status among the PIDs could not be solved for years. In 2009, United Nations High Commissioneer for Refugees took a part to this case.

By using qualitative methodology of research, this undergraduate thesis will try to analyze the participation of UNHCR eventhough there are already two countries that try to solve the problem. The sopporting data from the concept of Transnational Advocacy Networks and the function of International Organizations showed that there are some aspects behind the participation of UNHCR in the case of statelessness among the PIDs.

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