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ABSTRACT

In september 2015, there are huge number of refugee that came to Germany when Germany decided to open their border to all refugee. They came from Syria, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Eritrea, and several African countries. Those countries of the origin of the refugees have been occurred from a conflict country which is still running on war. Within the high influx of refugees, the German governments took actions in helping the refugees. However, the high number of refugees in Germany raised the high number of criminalization. Although, the refugee had been caused several mess in Germany but the German government still accepted them.

This objective of this research is to analyze the reason behind Germany decision in accepting the refugees in 2015 and the effects of it. Furthermore, the method was used by the writer was quantitative method by using secondary data such as article, journals, e-news, e-book, and other literary sources.

As a finding, this research proves that there are specifications reasons why the German's government welcomed the refugees. Those reasons are based on the theory of foreign policy decision making process by William D Coplin.

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Refugee, German Government, Decision making process, Foreign Policy

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