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Konflik internal yang terjadi di Syiria merupakan konflik terpanjang di timur tengah. Adanya perselisihan antara pemerintahan Bashar al-Assad dengan rakyat Syiria berhasil menyita perhatian dunia internasional. Tindakan Bashar yang dianggap sangat tidak manusiawi mendapat perhatian dari negara-negara timur tengah terutama Arab Saudi. Konflik yang terjadi di Syiria banyak melibatkan negara-negara antara lain Rusia, China, Arab Saudi, Qatar, Iran, Amerika Serikat dsb. Banyak pakar politik beranggapan bahwa konflik yang terjadi di Syiria merupakan perselisihan antara Syiah Alawi yang diwakili oleh pemerintahan Bashar al-Assad dan Sunni diwakili oleh Arab Saudi. Selama konflik terjadi Arab Sudi memainkan perannya dengan mendukung pihak oposisi. Arab Saudi memberikan bantuan dana, militer dan peralatan perang untuk oposisi. Dari tahun 2011 hingga sekarang konflik di Syiria masih berlangsung, konflik di Syiria tidak kunjung selesai dikarenakan banyaknya negara-negara yang mempunyai kepentingan di Syiria.

Kata Kunci: Krisis Politik, Konflik Syria, Tanggapan Internasional, Kepentingan Nasional, Arab Saudi

Abstract

The internal conflicts that occurred in Syria has been the longest conflict in the Middle East. The dispute between the Bashar al-Assad government and the Syrian people has seized the international attention. Bashar's actions that are considered inhumane have received attention from Middle East states, especially Saudi Arabia. The conflicts in Syria involve states such as Russia, China, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Iran, USA etc. Political experts assume that the conflict in Syria is a dispute between Syiah Alawi represented by the government of Bashar al-Assad and Sunni represented by Saudi Arabia. During the conflict Arab Sudi had been playing its role by giving supports to the opposition. Saudi Arabia provides funding, military and war equipment for the opposition. The conflict in Syria still on going since 2011, the conflict in Syria has not ended because of the many states that have national interests in Syria.

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