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ABSTRACT

Bandung is the largest city in West Java and the third largest city by population in Indonesia after Jakarta and Surabaya. It is located about 140 km from the state capital of Indonesia, Jakarta. With the conditions of the population and the strategic place, the city of Bandung has a lot of potentials to be developed. One way that is done by Bandung to development of potentials is with a sister city partnership. Where in this case the city of Bandung choose Braunschweig as a partner in the sister city partnership. The writer will try to examine the background of renewed agreement between the city was in 2000. In this study, the writer will use the complex interdependence theory as a tool to understand why Bandung choose Braunschweig city as a partner in the sister city partnership. The writer uses methods of library research which data are secondary source. All data are taken from books, journals, articles on the internet, and other relevant data to the research.

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