ABSTRAK

Normalisasi hubungan Amerika Serikat dan Kuba disampaikan oleh Presiden Barack Obama dalam pidatonya terkait perbaikan hubungan diplomatik dengan Kuba pada tanggal 17 Desember 2014. Kemudian penyampaian Presiden Barack Obama tersebut disambut baik oleh Presiden Raúl Castro. Penerjemahan normalisasi hubungan yang dijalankan oleh kedua negara ini meliputi tiga hal utama, yakni pembangunan kembali hubungan diplomatik kedua negara, penghapusan Kuba dari daftar negara sponsor teroris, serta peningkatan perjalanan, perdagangan dan arus informasi antar kedua negara. Normalisasi hubungan yang dijalankan oleh Amerika Serikat dan Kuba telah membawa perubahan positif bagi kedua negara. Hal ini dapat dilihat dari kembali dibukanya kedutaan Kuba di Washington DC dan kedutaan Amerika Serikat di Havana. Selain itu Kuba juga secara resmi telah dihapus dari daftar negara sponsor terorisme pada 14 Mei 2015 oleh Presiden Barack Obama. Namun meskipun demikian, masih terdapat tantangan dalam proses normalisasi hubungan tersebut, sehingga penelitian ini akan melihat bagaimana implementasi normalisasi hubungan Amerika Serikat dan Kuba dengan menggunakan konsep *Stag Hunt*. Konsep *Stag Hunt* akan digunakan untuk melihat bagaimana implementasi normalisasi sesuai dengan sikap yang dijalankan oleh tiap-tiap negara.

Kata Kunci: *Amerika Serikat, Kuba, Normalisasi, Stag Hunt.*

ABSTRACT

The normalization of relations between the United States and Cuba was delivered by President Barack Obama in his speech related to improving diplomatic relations with Cuba on December 17, 2014. Then the presentation of President Barack Obama was welcomed by President Raúl Castro. The translation of normalization of relations carried out by the two countries includes three main things, namely the rebuilding of diplomatic relations between the two countries, the elimination of Cuba from the list of countries sponsored terrorists, and the increase in travel, trade and information flow between the two countries. The normalization of relations carried out by the United States and Cuba has brought positive changes for the two countries. This can be seen from the reopening of the Cuban embassy in Washington DC and the United States embassy in Havana. In addition, Cuba has also been officially removed from the list of state sponsors of terrorism on May 14, 2015 by President Barack Obama. But even so, there are still challenges in the process of normalizing the relationship, so this study will look at how the normalization of relations between the United States and Cuba is implemented using the concept of Stag Hunt. The Stag Hunt concept will be used to see how the implementation of normalization is in accordance with the policies implemented by each country.

Keywords: *United States, Cuba, Normalization, Stag Hunt.*