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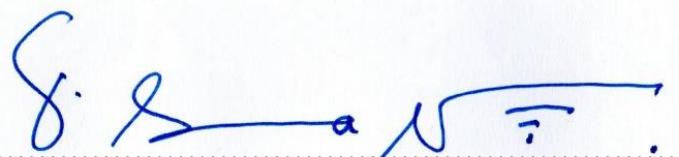
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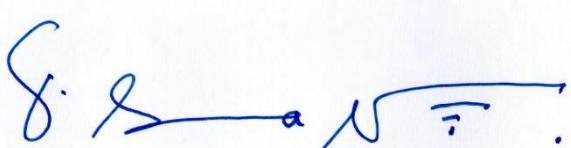
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As violence and unrest seizes Nigeria, the Northern African state encounters a newfound threat to their state security, however, the threat comes from within. Boko Haram, an extremist group located in Northern Nigeria, amongst the threats that plague the nation had risen as an insurgency in order to achieve an Islamic Caliphate in Nigeria. This thesis aims to analyze the administration of President Goodluck Jonathan as it combats the spread of the Boko Haram Insurgency, throughout the Nigerian state, and within the Northern Africa region. Utilizing a qualitative method of research, the information and data collected will be retrieved primarily from relevant research journals and publications, and state official press release and news articles as a secondary source. By using a conceptual framework comprising of a brief analysis of the Strategic Interaction theory and its relation the study case of the Goodluck administration in its efforts to combat the Boko Haram insurgency from spreading. The results of this research had provided an understanding to the efforts of the Nigerian government, and its cooperation with foreign parties, using different approaches to prevent the Boko Haram insurgency from reaching further regions.

**Keywords:** *Nigeria, Boko Haram, President Goodluck Jonathan, insurgency, terrorism, state security, defense strategy*

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Saat kekerasan dan keresahan melanda Nigeria, negara bagian Afrika Utara menghadapi ancaman baru terhadap keamanan negara, namun ancaman tersebut datang dari dalam. Boko Haram, sebuah organisasi ekstrimis yang terletak di Nigeria Utara menjadi ancaman yang melanda negara itu dalam bentukan pemberontakan untuk mencapai Kekhalifahan Islam di Nigeria. Skripsi ini bertujuan untuk menganalisis administrasi Presiden Goodluck Jonathan dalam memerangi penyebaran pemberontakan Boko Haram dari Nigeria, dan wilayah Afrika Utara. Dengan menggunakan metode penelitian kualitatif, informasi dan data yang dikumpulkan akan diambil dari jurnal dan publikasi penelitian sebagai sumber utama, serta siaran pers resmi negara dan berita sebagai sumber sekunder. Dengan menggunakan kerangka konseptual yang terdiri dari analisis teori *Social Exchange*, dan kaitannya dengan studi kasis pemerintahan Goodluck dalam upayanya memerangi pemberontakan Boko Haram agar tidak menyebar. Hasil penelitian ini telah memberikan pemahaman terhadap upaya pemerintah Nigeria, dan kerjasamanya dengan pihak asing, menggunakan metode yang berbeda untuk mencegah pemberontakan Boko Haram menjangkau wilayah lebih jauh.

**Kata-Kata Kunci:** *Nigeria, Boko Haram, Presiden Goodluck Jonathan, pemberontakan, terorisme, keamanan negara, strategi pertahanan*

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