**ABSTRACT**

Throughout the years 1965 -1966, there has been a mass killings against members and people accused of being affiliated with the Communist Party of Indonesia (PKI).The mass killings occurred under the chain of command of the armed forces. Academics and International public mentioning the killings of 1965 - 1966 as the one of the most brutal human tragedy in the 20th century because the large number of victims.The events of 1965 also changed the whole Indonesia societal structure and making the military as a dominant political platform. In the pro-justicia investigations conducted by Komnas Ham, mass killings and violent waves against civilians that occurred during 1965 - 1966 are categorized as crimes against humanity, one of the four most serious human rights violations. Various advocacy efforts to provide justice for the victims has been done by many organizations, but until now there are no period of government capable of to solve it.

The purpose of this study is to investigate the role of the International People's Tribunal 1965 Foundation (IPT 1965), as one of several non-governmental organizations that advocate in attempting resolution of 1965/1966 cases over the last three years. The author also wanted to know how far the Indonesian government responded to pursue a case.

The method used in this research is Descriptive Analytical method. The author tried to collect, collate, interpret, and analyze data or phenomena using relevant analytical tools, in this case related to human rights and the international community, in particular on the role of non-governmental organizations, which have become an important study in the discipline of International Relations.

The results found that the efforts undertaken 'IPT 1965' during the last three years has not succeeded to resolve the case of 1965/1966 because the Indonesian government has not taken a concrete steps, such as forms or settlement mechanisms. Nonetheless, 'IPT 1965' has succeeded in giving greater political pressure than ever to the Indonesian government for resolve cases of 1965/1966 through the International Advocacy Networks. In addition 'IPT 1965' has also successful in establishing a new discourse in the public sphere about the events of 1965 as a violation of human rights.

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