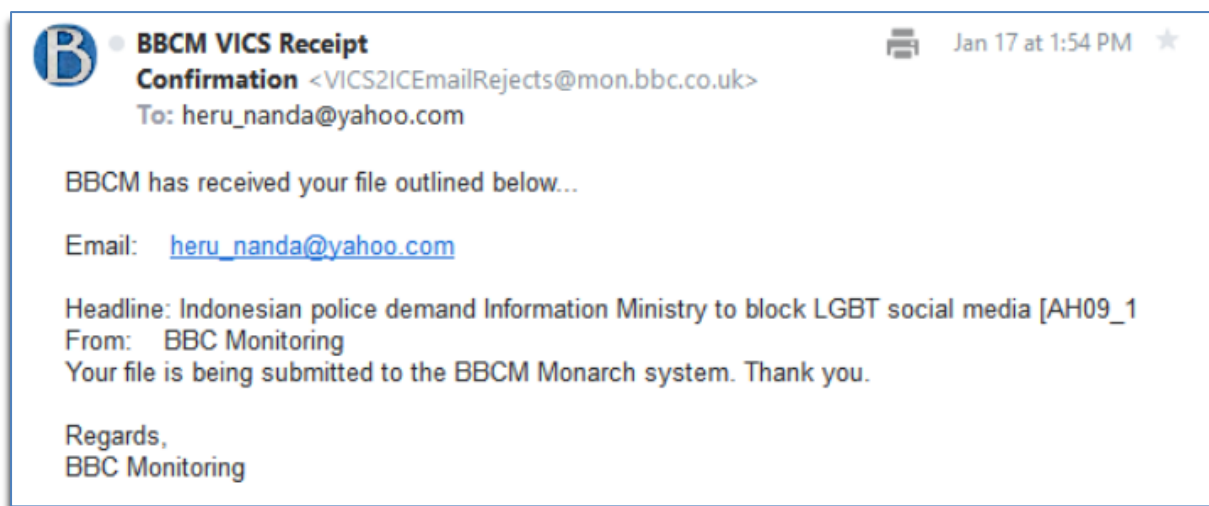


Indonesian Police Demand Information Ministry to Block LGBT Social Media



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The regency police of Cianjur, West Java will co-ordinate with Kemenkominfo or the Ministry of Communications and Information to block the so-called social media Blued Application owned by the gay group in Cipanas, West Java.

According to the chairman of the Police Criminal Investigation Department of Cianjur, West Java, Commissioner Adjutant Benny Cahyadi, the social media has been long used by the gay communities in the regency.

He said Monday (on 15 January) that around 200 online users were very active, making use it as their means of communication. It was similar to that of the 2012 Chinese Blue City Holdings.

Mentioning that the Application has been used by millions of online users, he said that it was created by Geng Le. He further said that, an investor had provided the company controlling the application with millions of US dollars.

Having arrested five online users who were allegedly involved in a recent LGBT “adulterous party” held at a villa in Cipanas, Benny said that his institution had to detain one of them, AA (50). He was strongly accused for becoming the facilitator and having recruited the participants of the event.

He also said that the other four were only the victims. One of them was a very young student,

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