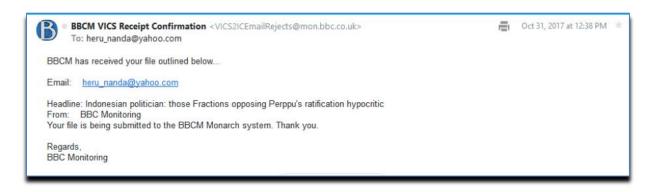


Indonesian Politician: Those Fractions Opposing Perppu's Ratification Hypocritical



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In line with the result of their holding a vote, the Indonesian House of Representatives [DPR] has ratified Perppu [the government regulation in lieu of a law] No. 2/2017 on Mass Organizations as law. The only political parties [out of ten political parties in DPR] opposing the ratification are the Fractions of Gerindra [the Greater Indonesia Movement Party], PKS [the (Islamic) Prosperous Justice Party], and PAN [the (Islamic) National Mandate Party].

In response to such a situation, by insinuation and allusion, a politician from the Democrat Party [a party founded and led by former President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono [a.k.a. SBY)], who also used to be a Special Presidential Staff of SBY, Andi Arief, stated that the very three political parties had done nothing else but playing their games of pretending to refuse.

"They pretend to refuse the Perppu [which has been associated with banning the radical Islamic organizations], but they secretely and silently get on very well with those charged and accused of committing Islamic blasphemy," he said in his personal Twitter account on Sunday (29 October).

Andi Arief even further said that the recent political issues on pribumi [native Indonesians] and Islamic religion were the results of the work orchestrated and initiated by certain [or rather, members of their] people.

He also elaborated and clarified about the factual situation of the so-called religious political world.

"Is there any religious faithfulness in political world?" said he.

[Mentioning that the three Fractions in DPR were hypocritical, he metaphorically described them as "somebody wearing 'vulgar and pornographic' outfit claiming to have performed prayers 1001 times a day".]

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