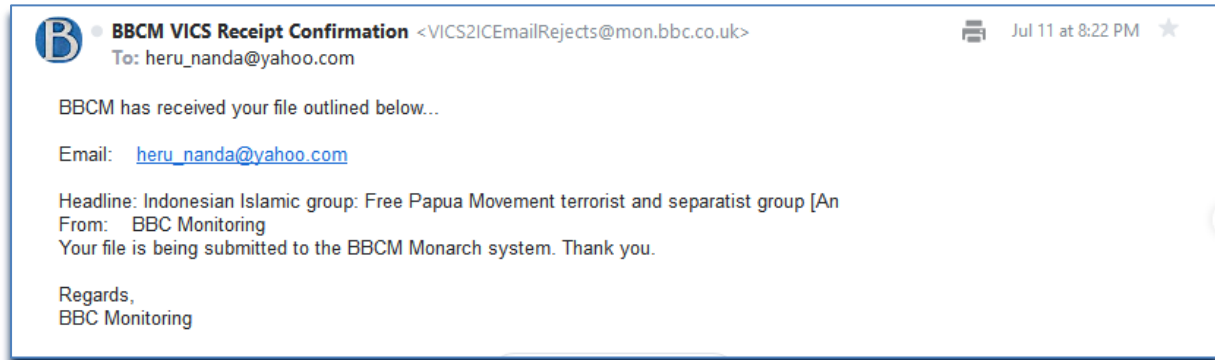


# Indonesian Islamic group: Free Papua Movement Terrorist and Separatist Group



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The Secretary of the Islamic Study and Action Centre (ISAC) Endro Sudarsono has criticized the government, demanding President Jokowi not to treat OPM or the Free Papua Movement as criminals, but separatists and terrorists.

According to him, not only are their actions during the recent Indonesian 171 simultaneous regional elections very cruel, shooting an aircraft shortly after it landed at Kenyam Airport in Nduga, but they also shot dead three civilians there.

During the incident [on 25 June], the pilot Ahmad Abdillah Kamil, 27, suffered gunshot wounds to his left back.

In the meantime, the spokesperson of OPM, Sebby Sembom, said that the Movement was responsible to the attack. He also claimed that not only had they occupied Kenyam, the capital City of Nduga, but they had also raised OPM flags.

Agreeing with ISAC, the Indonesian National Police [Polri] Chief, General Tito Karnavian said that OPM's attack was political.

He did not say, however, that he would carry out ISAC's proposal to instruct Densus 88 [the police's Detachment 88 anti-terrorism squad] and to ask TNI [the Indonesian Armed Forces] to directly hunt for the members of OPM in West Papua province.

To ISAC's secretary, Endro Sudarsono, the silent attitudes of BNPT or the National Anti-Terrorism Agency are inappropriate at all. The incident should have become the government's priority operation, eradicating terrorism cases on Indonesian Papua land.

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