

## Abstract

The research entitled “Framing Analysis on Polemic Broadcasting of Single Candidate on simultaneous Regional Election in 2015 on Tribunnews.com” substantially discusses about how a news framing might be affecting the polemic of a single candidate on Tribunnews.com. The method used in this research is Framing Model proposed by Robert N. Entman which focuses on two fundamental blocks: Aspects projection and issue selection. The objects in this research were every single news about pros and cons on the single candidacy of the candidate throughout simultaneous Regional Elections in 2015. The ultimate result of this research clearly shows that there was an intentional framing undertaken by detik.com that primarily focused on legal-related news. In its framework, Tribunnews.com seemed to have a tendency of being prone towards how single candidacy polemic could possibly be resolved through legal means. The news reported by Tribunnews.com experienced framing shifting where at the thresholds of its broadcasting Tribunnews.com showed pros and cons on solutions to single candidacy issues. When the Constitutional Court finally promulgated single candidacy to be legal, Tribunnews.com became even more rampant in trying to resolve this typical polemic through legal aspect with the final and binding decision of Constitutional Court. Despite the growing spat in the aftermath of the Court’s final decision, Tribunnews.com once and for all made a clear point of favor into the decision as the best way of resolving disputes over single candidacy.

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