ABSTRACT

This study aims to analyze the communication patterns that occur in the perpetrators of unregistered marriage in Telagari District, Karawang. There are four patterns of communication between husband and wife based on Josept Devito's theory (2007:27-278) which is used related to the problems of husband and wife who do unregistered marriages, namely, the balance pattern, the reverse balance pattern, the unbalanced separator pattern and the monopoly pattern.

In collecting data, the author conducted in-depth interviews with informants who performed unregistered marriage in Telagasari District, Karawang Regency.

The paradigm used in this study is the naturalistic paradigm, while the method used is descriptive - analytic method.

The research result and analysis carried out show that married couples who carry out unregistered marriage have met the requirements of marriage in Islamic religious rules. Such as the prospective groom and bride, consent and qabul, guardians, witnesses and dowry. However, their marriage process is not recorded in the Office of Religious Affairs, but married by people who are considered to understand Islam, such as kyai.

The conclusion of the research on communication patterns conducted by husband and wife in domestic relations. There are four patterns of communication between husband and wife according to Joseph Depito (2007:277-278) related to the problems of unregistered marriage:

- 1. Balance communication pattern
- 2. Reverse balance pattern
- 3. Unbalanced separator pattern
- 4. Monopoly pattern

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