

## **ABSTRACT**

*Electoral District is one of the stages of the general election. This is stated in Article 167 paragraph 4 of Law Number 7 of 2017. In the case of the electoral district of the Indonesian House of Representatives in the 2024 general election, there are two things that influence the policy-making system. This study aims to analyze how the policy design for Determining the Electoral District of the Indonesian House of Representatives with the Policy Design Theory initiated by Anne Larasson and Helen Ingram. This study attempts to analyze how the Policy Design of the Electoral District of the Indonesian House of Representatives in the 2024 Election affects democracy in Indonesia. The research method used in this study is qualitative research that is descriptive and interpretive in nature to explain how the policy-making system of the Indonesian House of Representatives Electoral District affects democracy using a critical approach.*

*The findings of this study are that the policy design of the electoral district of the Indonesian House of Representatives in the 2024 election is a design that contains Social Construction. This can be seen from a series of processes contained in the policy-making system stated by Helen Ingram and Anne Larasson which consists of the context of society that occurred before the 2024 general election, the dynamics of framing carried out by groups through events that occurred, the context of problems influenced by political power and institutional culture, and finally the dynamics of design influenced by the calculation of opportunities and risks. From a series of processes that occurred, it was found that the design of the electoral district policy of the House of Representatives itself is a design that damages democracy. This can be seen from how the contents of the policy design in the formation of the electoral district of the House of Representatives from its substance contain the social construction of the target population so that it includes a degenerative policy-making system which according to Helen Ingram and Anne Larasson is a design that damages democracy.*

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