

ABSTRACT

On January 6, 2025, Indonesia has officially become a member of the organization of Brazil, Russia, India, China, South Africa, or better known as BRICS. Indonesia's decision to join the BRICS is certainly surprising because the position of the BRICS is associated as an organization that wants changes to the global order, the change in the dichotomy that leads to the countries of the South and the North with BRICS as the representation of the countries of the South makes many believe that the BRICS is compiling a new axis of world power. Indonesia's decision to join the BRICS according to national observers has violated the country's constitution based on active free politics. The purpose of this research is to find out what are the national interests of Indonesia and how the decision was determined when Indonesia joined the BRICS with the threat of violating the constitution of free and active politics. The purpose of this research is to find out what are the national interests of Indonesia and how the decision was determined when Indonesia joined the BRICS with the threat of violating the constitution of free and active politics. There are two theories used in this study, namely the Patrick Morgan analysis level and the risk sensitivity theory that will be used to answer the research problem. The research method used is a qualitative method with a descriptive approach. In data collection, data sources from literature studies, documentation, interviews and secondary data will be used. The result of this research is that Indonesia's national interests that will be fought for in the BRICS are divided into three categories, namely self-preservation, independence, and territorial integrity. Meanwhile, the decision to join is based on the idiosyncratic factor in the concept of foreign policy with President Prabowo as the main actor and Indonesia's decision to join the BRICS does not violate the principle of active free politics because the meaning of free and active emphasizes Indonesia's independence, independence and independence in acting with the main principle of actively involved in world peace, Indonesia's decision to join the BRICS and the BRICS agenda that is not wants war, in accordance with the meaning of free and active as Mohammad Hatta wants

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