ABSTRACT

The One-State Solution appeared firstly in 1999 with the article written by

Edward Said. Using the concept of bi-national state model of solution, this

solution has becoming a known alternative to the two states solution model. The

thesis aims to discover the problem of the one state solution, the bi-national state

model, which hinder this model of solution to be implemented in resolving the

conflict. The data collected in this thesis are secondary data obtained from books,

book sections, journal article, news item, website, and document from website.

The thesis shows that the one state solution faces internal and external

obstacles. The solution model is greatly concerned with identity issue and

historical pattern. The internal obstacles are the strong group identity, the lack of

uniting characteristics, and history of hostility. The external obstacle is the two

states model oriented peace process.

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