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Khamami Zada,

Chief Editor,

Ahkam: Jurnal Ilmu Syariah,

Faculty of Sharia & Law UIN Syarif Hidayatullah Jakarta.

Dear Editor,

Submission of Manuscript for publication in Ahkam: Jurnal Ilmu Syariah

We refer to the matter mentioned above and wish to submit an original research article entitled

"Dato' Yutitam In The Civil Court System of Thailand: Role Of Dato' Yutitam in Civil Justice

System In Thailand" for consideration by the editorial team, Ahkam: Jurnal Ilmu Syariah.

We confirm that this work is original and has not been published elsewhere, nor is it currently

under consideration for publication elsewhere.

In this paper, we report on the basic findings that a *Dato' Yutitam* serves as a kadi and adviser to

civil judges and his appointment is not focused on those who graduated in the field of law or

Islamic Law. This article is significant because the development of Islamic law has had a

positive impact on the Muslim community in southern Thailand and the position of Dato'

Yutitam (Muslim Judge) as part of the civil justice system in the southern provinces of Thailand.

We also believe that this manuscript is appropriate for publication and we have no conflicts of

interest to disclose.

Thank you for your consideration of this manuscript.

Sincerely.

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