

## CHAPTER VI

### CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

#### 6.1. Conclusion

This research is about the transitivity analysis in the suicide letters written by the perpetrators of bomb attacks. The transitivity system analysis focuses on how process, participant, and circumstantial elements are actualized in the clauses that construct the letter they wrote. Furthermore, an analysis of the experiential meaning is also carried out, focusing on the transitivity system in the analyzed letters. The analysis of experiential meaning is related to the formation of experience and is one of the metafunctions in SFL. The data analyzed in this study were from letters written by Dr. Azahari, Dian Yulia Novi, and Lukman Alfariz. The data analyzed are clauses, which have been previously segmented and grouped into tables based on each process type, participant function, and circumstantial element.

The analysis results show a total of 72 clauses from the three analyzed letters. Of the 72 clauses, 64 process types, 100 participant functions, and 47 circumstantial elements were found. This number is the total number obtained from the three analyzed letters. In Dr. Azahari's letter, there are 15 process types, 26 participant functions, and 11 circumstantial elements. The occurrences of the process in Dr. Azahari's letter consist of 6 Material processes (40%), 5 Mental processes (33.3%), 3 Relational processes (20%), and 1 Behavioural process (6.6%). The participant functions involved relate to the occurring process. The dominant participants are the Actor, involved in Material process, and the Senser, involved in Mental process.

In Dian Yulia Novi's letter, 24 process types, 36 participant functions, and 17 circumstantial elements were found. The occurrences of the process in Dian Yulia Novi's letter consists of 10 Material processes (41.6%), 8 Mental processes (33.3%), 1 Relational process (4.2%), 3 Verbal processes (12.5%), and 2 Existential processes (8.3%). The participant functions involved relate to the occurring process. The dominant participants are the Actor, which is involved with Material process, and the Phenomenon, which is involved with Mental process. Meanwhile, Lukman Alfariz, in his letter, involved 25 process types, 38 participant functions, and 19 circumstantial elements. The occurrences of the process in Lukman Alfariz's letter consist of 8 Material processes (32%), 8 Mental processes (32%), 3 Relational processes (12%), 2 Behavioural processes (8%), 3 Verbal processes (12%), and 1 Existential process (4%). The participant functions involved relate to the occurring process. The participant is dominated by the Actor which involved with Material process.

Based on the clauses written by Dr. Azahari, he seemed to be trying to convey his feelings, hopes, and requests to his wife. The impression he is trying to build is that his actions are a form of struggle and sacrifice, not only for himself but for all his family members as well. Dian Yulia Novi, who, through her letter, expressed gratitude and apology, also gave the impression that her actions were something that God ordered. This is not much different from Lukman Alfariz, who believed that his actions were the same as what the prophets and messengers also did.

Previously explained that Halliday's transitivity system allows humans to construct the experiential meaning in the form of "going-on" or happening, doing,

sensing, meaning, being, becoming, and existing. Then the meaning of the perpetrators' idea is an interpretation of the choice of words that form certain language patterns. The experiential meaning in the perpetrators of bomb attacks' minds, as written in their suicide letters, forms its own ideology regarding 'jihad' and acts in the name of God. Their experiences in the clauses show they do not trust ideologies outside their beliefs. The beliefs of the perpetrators of bomb attacks about what they did are the result of the grammatical choice construction contained in their letters. The language they use is a tool for organizing and expressing things that are beyond words.

## 6.2. Suggestion

This study is conducted by referring to Halliday's theory of the transitivity system and is only limited to the letter written by the perpetrators of bomb attacks, Dr. Azahari, Dian Yulia Novi, and Lukman Alfariz. There are some suggestions that the researcher proposed to future researchers who wish to conduct similar or more in-depth research on Systemic Functional Linguistics, especially on transitivity system as well.

1. Language data with indications of crime or violence can be analyzed using Systemic Functional Linguistics, especially the transitivity system analysis.
2. Not only the transitivity system, but there are also other theories in the Systemic Functional Linguistics approach that may be suitable for language analysis in language data with indications of crime or violence phenomena.
3. To analyze language data related to crime and violence, especially those related to law enforcement, future researchers are suggested to collect

comprehensive information so that the credibility of the data can be accounted for.

