CHAPTER IV

CONCLUSION

4.1 Conclusion

This research discussed commissive speech acts. The research aimed to identify the types of commissive speech acts. The data taken from this research came from a YouTube video entitled *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*. The data were the utterances spoken by all the characters on the YouTube video entitled *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* that contained the types of commissive speech acts. The data were analyzed using the theory of commissive speech acts by Searle (1979) to find out the answer of the research question.

After analyzing the data, the researcher found 34 data containing types of commissive speech acts on a YouTube video entitled *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz.* The 34 data consisted of 4 types of commissive speech acts proposed by Searle (1979). They were promise, threat, refusal, and warning. The research data comprised 34 data, of which 18 data were for promises, 3 data were for threats, 5 data were for refusal, and 8 data were for warnings. Therefore, the promise was the most dominant type of commissive speech act found in this research.

Lastly, the 4 types of commissive speech acts could provide knowledge to other people to use in communication in everyday life. Knowing about commissive speech acts would establish good communication between the speaker and the hearer to avoid misunderstandings and conflicts.

4.2 Limitation

The limitation of this research was the writer only focused on commissive speech acts. Then, in conducting this research, the researcher only had one research question, namely to find out the types of commissive speech acts as found on a YouTube video entitled *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*. There were several theories used by the current research, namely Searle's theory (1979) to identify the types of commissive speech acts and Leech's theory (1983) to



