

## NORTH LAMPUNG REGIONAL POLICE'S EFFORTS TO ERADICATE COCKFIGHTING

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**ABSTRACT :** Cockfighting gambling should not be done and will be sanctioned, but this game is still often carried out in the community, this gambling case is like what happened in the North Lampung Regional Police in the last 2 years. The problem approach that the author uses in this paper is a normative problem approach, normative approach, namely the approach by studying books, laws and rules (laws) that apply related to the problems that the author examines. *Pre-emptive* efforts in this case are carried out through steps, namely: Assignment of Bhayangkara Coaches, Security and Public Order (Bhabinkamtibmas), Conducting Legal Counseling and others

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### I. BACKGROUND OF THE PROBLEM

The form of cockfighting games is a very popular form of game, so until now cockfighting still exists in the midst of society. The game connects between two chickens or also known as chicken fighting or cockfighting. The game of saving chickens is generally carried out between two roosters pitted in the arena or arena to determine one of the roosters as the winner, even to determine one of the winners it is not uncommon for one of the chickens to be pitted to death, but usually this cockfighting game is also synonymous with gambling. While we all know that gambling or "gambling" games are " (Ruslan et al., 2021)

While gambling is also one of the social or social diseases that must be prevented or overcome because it is a bad act or behavior, in addition to damaging oneself and the environment in which it lives. Income or winnings from gambling games will also not be a blessing or last long, it will make him lazy so that it will damage his own personality. (David Balubun et al., 2019)

The winnings generated from gambling will not last long, it will result in the destruction of the individual's character and will ruin his life. Usually for people who do directly or directly involved in cockfighting gambling cannot think rationally or positively, even will always think criminally because they always think about how to always win in cockfighting gambling and generally they are friends with the same community. Therefore, gambling is a social disease that has been going on for a long time, throughout human life.<sup>3</sup> In the provisions of Law Number 7 of 1974 concerning Gambling Penetration and Government Regulation Number 9 of 1981 concerning the implementation of Law Number 7 of 1974, states that in practice all forms of gambling must be overcome and fenced because it is a criminal offense. Any game, where the game gains an advantage on sheer luck, being proficient and trained includes also competitions or other games that are not competitions but have bets, this is as contained in the Penal Code on gambling.

Although cockfighting gambling is not allowed and will be sanctioned, this game is still often carried out in the community, this gambling case is like what happened in the North Lampung Regional Police in the last 2 years. The issue to be discussed is how the Efforts of the North Lampung Regional Police to Eradicate Cockfighting and the Inhibiting Factors of the North Lampung Police to Eradicate Cockfighting. (David Balubun et al., 2019)

### II. RESEARCH METHODS

Method is an absolute method or element in a study, because research provides guidelines for organizing and integrating knowledge.

It is clearly a procedure for running and understanding the environment at hand, using the scientific method, so that the researcher establishes a series of processes carried out in a planned manner to obtain the necessary answers.

The problem approach in writing is very necessary, this is to determine what problem approach the author uses in this paper whether normatively or empirically, while the problem approach that the author uses in this paper is a normative problem approach, a normative approach, namely an approach by studying books, laws and rules (laws) that apply related to the problem that the author is researching.

### III. DISCUSSION

#### 1. North Lampung Regional Police's Efforts to Eradicate Cockfighting

Factors that greatly affect the effectiveness of enforcement of a law are the optimal or professional exercise of law enforcement authorities, roles and functions, especially regarding how to overcome them. Because coping efforts are essentially an integral part of welfare and protection efforts and in society. (David Balubun et al., 2019)

##### 1. *Pre-emptive efforts*

Pre-emptive *efforts* in this case are carried out through steps, namely:

##### a. Places of Worship

Considering that on Friday, specifically for men, many come to the mosque to perform Friday prayers and to church on Sunday both for men and women for Christians, there is no need to gather the community let alone invite it because this is more effective, after completing worship, then there are members of the Police who are in charge of conveying messages to the congregation related to the adverse effects of gambling crimes by increasing faith is getting closer to God SWT, God Almighty, because the main fortress is to prevent someone from falling into and being exposed to gambling crimes and choosing a healthy social environment.

##### b. Assigning Bhayangkara Builders, Security and Public Order (Bhabinkamtibmas)

In addition to delivering the message of kamtibmas to the pilgrims, members of the Bhabinkamtibmas will convey the message through:

1. Conduct dor to dor conduct house-to-house visits of citizens in all areas of their assignment;
2. Solve problems related to kabtibmas problems;
3. Security and regulation of community activities;
4. Provide temporary protection to missing persons, victims of offences and crime;
5. Receive information about the occurrence of criminal acts;
6. Assisting with outbreaks of koban disease and natural disasters;
7. Guiding and providing guidance to the community or community in relation to kamtibmas and Polri server issues.

##### c. Conducting Legal Counseling

This legal counseling activity involves RT / RW and Environmental Heads, Village Heads / Lurah, community leaders and religious leaders so that people who have been invited to take part in legal counseling that will be delivered by members of the North Lampung Regional Police especially about the dangers of gambling crimes, legal bases and sanctions if they continue to do so, It is hoped that with the completion of the counseling the community understands and tries to avoid it.

#### 2. Precautions

Countermeasures (*preventive*) of the North Lampung Police Station in terms of tackling cockfighting gambling crimes are carried out by:

##### a. Patrol

Mobile patrols, with the holding of patrols using either cars or motorcycles by members of the North Lampung Police as an effort to prevent or narrow the perpetrators of gambling crimes, in the implementation of this patrol should comb places that are suspected of being places that are often used as arenas for gambling crimes. Coordinate with kelurahan, RT/RW and religious leaders.

##### b. Fielding a team

The efforts of the North Lampung Regional Police in eradicating cockfighting crimes are also carried out by deploying a team, the purpose of sending this team is intended to carry out a series of investigation/reconnaissance tasks which are allegedly a place where gambling is usually carried out, especially cockfighting gambling.

c. Setting up a nursing station

The purpose of establishing this guard post is also to minimize the movement of gamblers so that they no longer have a place to play gambling, especially cockfighting gambling.

d. Perform mapping

Mapping is carried out to find out vulnerable areas or locations that are commonly used by perpetrators to play gambling games or which places are usually used as midfields in cockfighting arenas.

Arrest Event and if based on the results of the investigation and examination the suspect is found guilty, then the case file is complete then the case will be forwarded to the Kotabumi District Attorney's Office, if the file is declared complete by the Kotabumi District Attorney's Office, the file is then transferred to the Kotabumi District Court for further hearing, if the suspects are proven in the trial process then the suspects must serve their sentences in accordance with the their respective punishments.

In the view of social science, crime is defined as a social phenomenon born in the context of structural injustice or the embodiment of the diversity of human behavior that is a reaction to the socioeconomic conditions of a person, class or group of society. Therefore, this *repressive* effort needs to be carried out especially because this crime has occurred as a result of a crime, so that the act is punished by law enforcement officials. The punishment is in the form of suffering given by the state and society to anyone who violates the prohibited rules as stipulated and stipulated by law or in the social norms that exist in that society. (Muliadi, 2012).

Based on the above, that the *repressive efforts of the* North Lampung Regional Police in preventing and overcoming gamblers have not been so effective as evidenced by the overall number of gambling cases, especially cockfighting, is still quite high, therefore to be more effective. (Mumtahanah, 2015)

#### IV. CONCLUSION

Based on the formulation of the problem from the results of research and discussion, the author draws the following conclusions:

1. The efforts of the North Lampung Regional Police to eradicate cockfighting are carried out through steps, namely *pre-emptive* efforts including delivery to mosque worshippers, assignment of Bhabinkamtibmas and conducting legal counseling while *preventive efforts* are carried out by patrolling, coordination with villages, RT / RW and religious leaders, sending teams, establishing guard posts and mapping while for *repression* Efforts are made through the search for information through investigation, undercover and conducting operations.

2. Factors that hinder the North Lampung Regional Police from eradicating cockfighting include evidence denied by the suspect, the suspect does not admit evidence, difficulty finding information or information to be used as a witness, obtaining permission from the old Chief Justice of the District Court, limited personnel, costs, facilities and infrastructure, the perpetrator escapes, the presence of supporting and cultural factors.

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