

**LEGAL PROTECTION OF YOUNG FEMALES WITH
DISABILITIES AS VICTIMS OF INCEST SEXUAL
VIOLENCE IN BATAM CITY**

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ABSTRACT

Acts of violence against women have occurred quite often in our society, especially against girls with disabilities. Those who are afflicted with such disability are very vulnerable to becoming victims of acts of violence, such as incest. Incest is an act of violence that occurs between people with blood relations such as one that occurs between a parent and biological child.

The research method used in this study the study of literature, interviews and also the distribution of online questionnaires to the people of Batam City which is spread across 12 districts. The online distribution of the questionnaire aimed to find out the response of Batam citizens related to incestuous sexual violence cases that had occurred against girls with disabilities in Batam City.

Everyone, regardless of disabilities has the right to a legal protection for their violated rights. Girls with disabilities who are victims of incest need protection from all parties due to their limitations. They tend to only be able to accept or obey what is done to them because of their powerlessness. Therefore, the perpetrators of incest must be given strict sanctions as a form of accountability for their actions, so that the victims get the justice they deserve.

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