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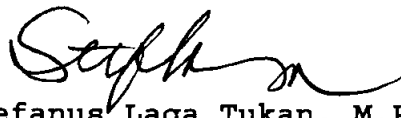
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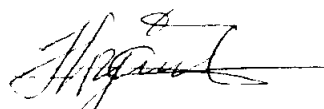
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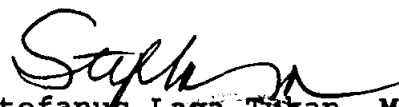
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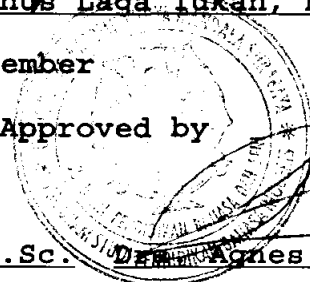

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ABSTRACT

Mowa, Florentina, *The Basic Statement Patterns of Boawae Dialect in Nagekeo-Flores (A Descriptive Study)*, S1 Thesis, The English Department of Widya Mandala Catholic University, Surabaya, 1998.

This study intended to answer the following question: What are the types of basic statement patterns of Boawae dialect? As such, it was carried out to describe the types of basic statement patterns in Boawae dialect.

The data were prepared by recording and transcribing utterances and cross-checking the data with informants who are the native speakers of Boawae dialect. The basic statements of Boawae dialect were analyzed under the theory of Samsuri about Indonesian basic statement patterns:

1. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + GB¹ + (ADV)
2. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + (ASP) + GK + (ADV)
3. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + GS + (ADV)
4. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + GD + (ADV)
5. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + GBil + (ADV)

K stands for 'kalimat', GB is for 'Gatra Benda', GK is for 'Gatra Kerja', GS is for 'Gatra Sifat', GD is for 'Gatra Depan', and GBil is for 'Gatra Bilangan'; while M is for 'Modal', AUX is 'Kata bantu predikat', ASP is 'Aspek' and ADV is 'Adverba'. By using the techniques of segmenting and coding constituents, it was found that the basic statements of Boawae dialect consist of five obligatory constituents 'Gatra Benda', 'Gatra Sifat', 'Gatra Depan', 'Gatra Kerja' and 'Gatra Bilangan'. With or without optional constituents, the five types of basic statement patterns are formulated as:

1. K --> GB + (M) + GB¹ + (ADV)
Example: a. Niko begu ana demu (=Perhaps, Niko is their son)
 GB M GB¹
 b. Ana demu tuga Niko (= Their son is Niko only)
 GB ADV GB¹
2. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + GS + (ADV)
Example: a. Ima begu bana nebumai (= Ima might be sick yesterday)
 GB M GS ADV
 b. Kau mae susa (= You shouldn't be sad)
 GB AUX GS
3. K --> GB + (M) + (AUX) + GD + (ADV)
Example: a. Maena mama lau sawa (= Hopefully, mother is in rice
 M GB GD field)
 b. Ambo mena sao nebulu (= Ambo was at home last night)
 GB GD ADV

