ABSTRACT

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One of the attractive TV programs which grow rapidly today is Talk Show. Basa Basi (Bahas Sana Bahas Sini) is a new talk show program from Trans TV which is delivered by Cici Panda and Wendy Cagur. This talk show is one of the newest and the most popular talk shows in early 2015. This study examines how illocutionary acts occur in the utterances spoken by the participants in this new talk show program. This study determines qualitative method research approach and YouTube as a media in collecting the data. In analyzing the data, this study applies Speech Act Theory, especially Illocutionary Act which is performed by John Searle (1979). The writer analyzes the Illocutionary Acts performed in this talk show based on its function and structure. In the result, based on the function the writer found that the participants of Basa Basi use four kinds of Illocutionary Acts; Representatives, Directives, Expressives, Commissives. There is no utterance which contains Declaration Act because there is no participant that has a special institutional role. Thus based on the structure, the writer found that the participants of Basa Basi use direct and indirect speech act. Indirect speech act is used to show prohibition indirectly.

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