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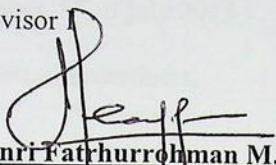
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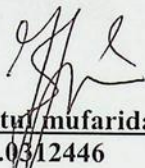
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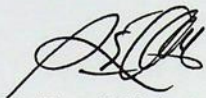
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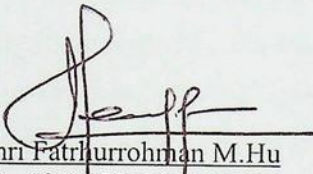
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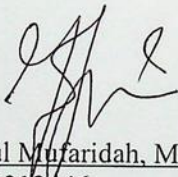
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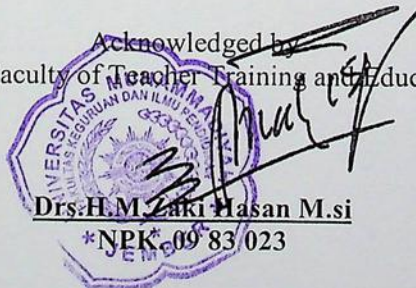
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PREFACE

This thesis consists of six chapters. The first chapter is introduction which presents the background, the objective and the problem of the research, the operational definition of the terms, the significance and the scope of the research. The second chapter consists of review of related literature and hypothesis. The third chapter is research method. The fourth chapter is the result of the research. The fifth chapter is discussion and the last chapter consists of conclusion and suggestion.

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