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ABSTRAK

The main objective of this study is to examine whether there is any relationship between job satisfaction, organizational commitment and turnover intentions among employees of ZNM. The study also determines the level of turnover intentions. The study hypothesized that job satisfaction and organizational commitment were having a negative relationship with turnover intentions. The methods used in the research to obtain data were via questionnaire. A total of ninety (90) employees of ZNM were selected by modified systematic sampling as the sample of study. The tests involved were Factor Analysis, Descriptive Statistics and Multiple Regression. This study found that job satisfaction has a negative relationship to turnover intentions. The non-significance relationship found between organizational commitment and turnover intentions.
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<td>ZNM</td>
<td>Zoo Negara Malaysia</td>
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<td>MZS</td>
<td>Malaysian Zoological Society</td>
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<td>SPSS</td>
<td>Statistical Package for Social Science</td>
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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Overview

This chapter covers the introduction of the study. It covers several important elements of the study, namely problem statement, background of the study, scope of the study, research objectives and hypotheses, its significance, definitions of terms and organization of the thesis.

1.2 ZNM an Overview

Zoo Negara Malaysia (ZNM) a non-governmental organization established to create the first local zoo for Malaysians. ZNM is now 48 years old and has matured into a well-known zoo all around the world. Have a total of over 5446 specimen from 476 species of mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians and fish.

ZNM covers 110 acres of land which is situated only 5km from the city of Kuala Lumpur. Over the years, the zoo has transformed itself to an open concept zoo with over 90% of its animals being kept in spacious exhibits with landscape befitting its nature and is working hard in making sure that the old zoo concept is changed entirely.

Its mission is to provide knowledge to visitors about wildlife, conservation and creating awareness about the most important thing on the awareness of endangered animals. As a
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