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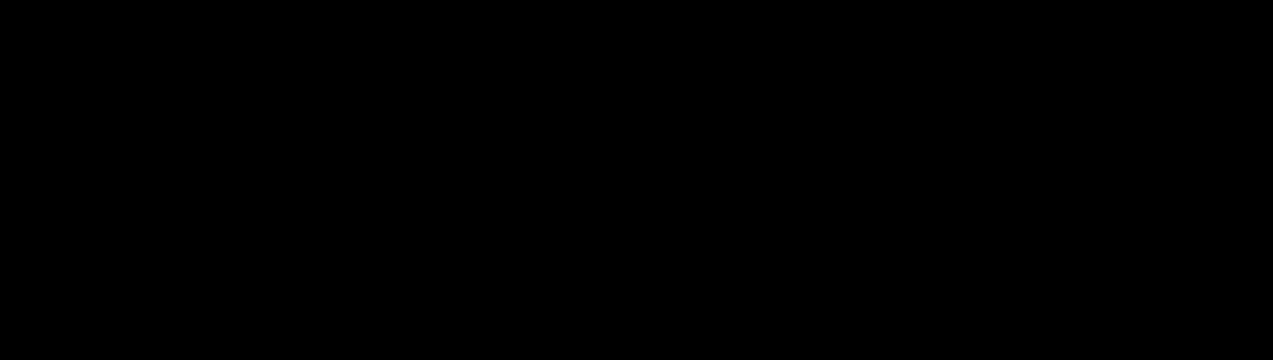
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1. When the unitary state of Indonesia emerges, a new Ministry of Security will be formed. At present both the Republik Indonesia Serikat (RIS) and the Republik Indonesia (RI) are considering setting up such a ministry.
2. The RIS Police Administration under Raden Said Sukanto and the RI Police headed by Raden Sumarto* will be merged to form a department within the new Ministry of Security. The official name for the police department will be Djawatan Kopolisian, while the Ministry of Security will be called the Kementerian Keamanan.
3. There will also be a Mobile Brigade operating under the Ministry of Security. In that way, there will be no police force within either the Ministry of the Interior or the Ministry of Justice. During the period of Dutch rule, both of these ministries had their own police groups.

25X1A* [REDACTED] Comment. Sumarto was previously reported to be Deputy Chief of the Police Administration, a unit of the RIS Ministry of the Interior.

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