ABSTRACT

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The background of this research is an effort on the establishment of an integrated *hijriyah* calendar or unification of *hijriyah* calendar in Indonesia which has not reached to an agreement because some basic things that should be discussed and agreed upon. But at least there are already approaching motion to reach that agreement. How the proposals appeared and the extent to which progress has been achieved.

The aim of this research is to describe how the opinion of Ulama in Malang in viewing an effort on the establishment of unification of *hijriyah* calendar in Indonesia. The object of this research is the Ulama in Malang.

This research is using field research (empirical research) by using descriptive qualitative approach. The data collection techniques, the researcher uses interviews. Then the data is analyzed using qualitative descriptive analysis method.

The research finding can be concluded that the first is the issue of *hisab* and *ru'yat* will always be an important discussion because it relates directly to the issue of worship. Therefore, an exploration of *hisab* and *ru'yat* should be upgraded from time to time, the second, NU and Muhammadiyah are joint relations in using *hisab* and *ru'yat* when determining of the beginning of *Qamariyah* month (the beginning of *Ramadan* and *Shawwal*) has a variety of models, namely conflict, independence, dialogue and integration. Third, the lack of the awareness about the importance of integrated *hijriyah* calendar or unification of *hijriyah* calendar in Indonesia (for determination of the first *Qamariyah* month besides beginning of *Ramadan*, *Shawwal* and *Zulhijjah*) is a common requirement that its realization requires a process to bring the views and methods that can be agreed upon.