ABSTRACT

THE EFFECT OF ESG DISCLOSURE AND FINANCIAL REPORTING

QUALITY ON INVESTMENT EFFICIENCY (Empirical Studies on the IDX

ESG Leaders Index of Period 2020 - 2022)

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Investment activities carried out by the company must be efficient where

efficient investment can occur when the net present value (NPV) can be financed

and implemented and does not experience any deviation from over investment or

under investment conditions. Investment efficiency results in uncertainty and

information asymmetries such as moral hazard and adverse selection that increase

agency costs. The quality of financial statements and ESG disclosures can improve

transparency, reduce information asymmetry and limit managers in making

investments in clearly profitable projects. This study was conducted to determine

the effect of ESG disclosure and the quality of financial reporting on investment

efficiency. This study uses secondary data with a sample of companies that are

members of the IDX ESG Leaders index on the Indonesia Stock Exchange (IDX) for

the period 2020 - 2023. The research findings show that ESG disclosure and

financial reporting quality can increase transparency, reduce the information gap

between managers and shareholders so as to increase investment efficiency.

However, individually the quality of financial reporting does not directly affect

efficiency due to differences in interests between managers and shareholders and

risk aversion by managers.

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