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ABSTRAK

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The shift happens because of the contexts of situation in SL which influence the result of translation. First is the conviction of the speaker. What he/she suggests is something that has to be done and right to do. The situation only occurs when the hearer agreed what speaker said. Second is some facts which revealed the truth and influence both the speaker and hearer, e.g. someone's death, someone's character. Third, some jokes from speaker to hearer.

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