CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

5.1 Conclusion

With reference to research problems, some conclusions are drawn as the following.

(1) There are four types of linguistic features of lexical bundles in editorial of Times and Jakarta Post which consist of (1) Dependent Clauses, (2) Verb Phrases, (3) Prepositional Phrases and (4) Noun Phrases.

(2) There are 15 subcategories delivered for each of linguistic features of lexical bundles found in editorials in Times and Jakarta Post, they were (1) Dependent clause; (a) WH Clause Fragment, (b) (verb/ adjective +) to-clause fragments, (c) That-clause fragments, (d) If-clause fragments, (2) Verb Phrases; (a) (connector) + 3rd person pronoun + VP fragment, (b) Verb phrase with passive verb, (c) WH question fragments, (d) Discourse marker + VP fragment, (e) Verb phrase (with non-passive verb), and (f) (connector)+ 1st/2nd person pronoun + VP fragment, (3) Prepositional Phrases; (a) Prepositional phrase expressions, (b) Comparative expressions, (4) Noun Phrases; (a) Noun Phrase with other post modifier fragment, (b) (connector)+ Noun phrase with of-phrase fragments, and (c) Other noun phrase expressions.
There are four reasons of each types of linguistic features, they were (1) prepositional phrases because to make the research oriented- related to the field of research and coherent the text, (2) verb phrases because to explain that expressing the writer’s judgment, (3) noun phrases because to procedure- research oriented- help writers to structure their activities, (4) dependent clause because to be text oriented, situating arguments by specifying limiting conditions.

5.2 Suggestion

In relation to conclusions which have been states previously, some constructive points are suggested as the following.

1. In relation with the findings in this study, it is suggested to the other researchers to use the lexical bundles (Biber et al, 2004) in classifying lexical bundles since it can be found in any context.

2. In the newspapers where the lexical bundle is used, it is suggested that for language teachers must use the 3, 4, and 5 word of lexical bundles in their study.

3. In lexical bundles with the native and non native speakers in English newspapers, it is suggested to the political editors of newspapers must use bundles to see if the use of them by writers of different eras has been under the influence of translation.