



**The Man Emerging from the
Midst of Indonesian Reformation**

Tan Sri General Wiranto

A Political Analysis

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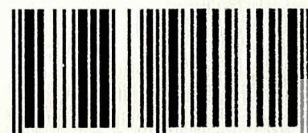
Tan Sri General Wiranto, a man who has been placed in a very delicate situation in the midst of the Indonesian political and economic reform, but whose role is one of the most important determining factors in guiding Indonesia out of its national crisis.

As the country faces political and economic difficulties, it is unavoidable that the security aspect has become an important phenomenon for the success of the Indonesian reformation process. This book describes the role played by Defence Minister and the Army Chief, Tan Sri General Wiranto in putting the new paradigm of ABRI on the correct track and in the right role.

When the ulamas suggested him as a probable Indonesian president, Tan Sri General Wiranto humbly replied that he is already one of the national leaders and only hoped for the people to pray for him so that he could fulfil his responsibility of the task given to him. Such a humble stance attracted the author to seek to further understand this charismatic man and the significant role he played amidst the political and economic turbulence of the country during the reformation era.



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