## ABSTRACT

The crime of falsifying letters / falsification of documents contained in Article 263 of the Criminal Code is a criminal offense in which a person falsifies letters / documents that can harm others. This crime is quite common in many communities of these criminal offenses who take the rights of others for their own interests in this study, which will be discussed is the crime of falsifying the sale and purchase of land and building asset assets. the purpose of this study is to discuss the role of the police in uncovering cases of forgery, which sometimes have obstacles in the process of investigation and investigation.

The method used in this discussion is the empirical juridical approach method, which is a legal research method that uses empirical facts derived from human behavior, both obtained by interviews and real behaviors carried out through direct observation.

The results showed that: (1) Actions taken by the investigator in uncovering the perpetrators of the forgeries by raising the reported status to be a suspect but the investigator will continue to look for evidence along with instructions and carry out the case title with expert witnesses, if in the future they do not get additional evidence that can strengthen criminal acts committed by the perpetrators then the investigator will provide legal certainty in the form of termination of the investigation and in addition to not having enough evidence on this case, it was already long enough so that in the case of dumas (2) the results of the investigation and advice from expert witnesses showed that the reported party could be subjected to article 263 of the Criminal Code because it was clear that he was the one who benefited greatly from this action, whereas for notaries the article on criminal acts can be used because up to now there has not been found any evidence that the notary has participated in this crime.