## ABSTRACT

Household poverty in Garangan Village is relatively higher because the Village Development Index (VDI) value in Garangan Village has the lowest score among other villages in Boyolali District. This study aims to analyze the factors that influence the increasing number of poor people in Garangan Village, Wonosamodro District, Boyolali Regency. Based on the theory of the vicious cycle of poverty (poverty vicious circle) and the concept of poor households from the Statistics Indonesia (BPS), the independent variables were chosen, namely education, employment, health, and gender.

This study uses primary data by interviewing 93 household samples in Garangan Village in 2023 and secondary data as supporting for research. The analytical method used in this study is ordinal logistic regression with the help of SPSS 21.

The results showed that the coefficient of determination (Nagelkerke R-squared) was 0.711. The variables of education, employment, and health have a significant effect on improving households status in Garangan Village. However, the gender variable does not affect the increasing households status in Garangan Village.

Keywords: Household status, education, employment, health, gender