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Members of the parliament play significant roles in politics in the regime of democracy because they exercise legislative power ; therefore, it is necessary to regulate the qualification and disqualification of members of the parliament in order to have appropriate qualification to hold office.

This thesis aims to illustrate the qualification and disqualification in certain matters, including the reasons to regulate and the difficulties to apply. Moreover, this thesis aims to illustrate the process to control members of the parliament and also the problems occurred in practice.

The result of the thesis finds that the legislations concerning the qualification and disqualification in certain matters have different difficulties in practice and that the process to control members of the parliament has some difficulties because of legal lacune and the clumsy of laws and legislations, which affect the certainty in determining the terms of office of members of the parliament since the lack of discipline according to law.

The recommendation to resolve the problems are to amend the laws and legislations in certain issues to certain clarity to cover the purpose thereof and to improve the process to control members of the parliament to certain effectiveness.