MARKETING COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES OF MAKE-UP ARTISTS ON THE INSTAGRAM ACCOUNT @MYMUA1 IN MAINTAINING CONSUMER TRUST

(Study on make-up artist @mymua1 of Bengkulu City)

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ABSTRACT

Marketing on social media platforms has become a key element in the marketing strategy for makeup artists. In this context, the Instagram account @mymual has become the focus as the main platform to interact with consumers. This research aims to understand how the marketing communication strategy of makeup artists on the Instagram account @mymual helps maintain consumer trust. The research method used is descriptive qualitative. This study includes data collection techniques such as in-depth interviews, observations, and documentation. The research information gathering technique uses purposive sampling. The results show that the marketing communication strategy implemented by @mymual incorporates three theories: segmentation, targeting, and positioning. Firstly, they maintain a positive impression by being friendly, humble, and always listening to consumer opinions or desires. Secondly, @mymual sustains the quality of their services by continuously learning and improving their skills. Thirdly, @mymual builds consumer trust through good communication, providing valuable makeup advice, and acce<mark>pting fe</mark>edback from consumers. In conclusion, the marketing communication strategy of makeup artists on the Instagram account @mymual in maintaining consum<mark>er trust has been running well and effectiv</mark>ely. There are three marketing communication strategies executed by @mymual.

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