

PETROKIMIA GRESIK SUCCEEDED IN GUIDING ISKANDAR MUDA NPK FERTILIZER PLANT CONSTRUCTION

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Petrokimia Gresik, an Agro-industrial Solutions company and the holding member of the Pupuk Indonesia, succeeded in 'guiding' the Iskandar Muda Fertilizer NPK Chemical Plant which was inaugurated by the President of the Republic of Indonesia, Joko Widodo, in the Arun Lhokseumawe Special Economic Zone (SEZ), Aceh, Friday (10/2).

President Director of Petrokimia Gresik, Dwi Satriyo Annurogo, who was present at the inauguration, said that Petrokimia Gresik, which is a pioneer of compound fertilizers in Indonesia and is the largest NPK producer in the country in the Iskandar Muda Fertilizer NPK project, is believed to be a licensor for the NPK patent for the combined Ammonium Sulphate Solid and Liquid Base Processing Process.

"Petrokimia Gresik is a center for compound fertilizer technology or what we often know as NPK in Southeast Asia. *Alhamdulillah*, we won the trust of Pupuk Iskandar Muda in the construction of its first NPK Chemical Plant," said Dwi Satriyo.

Apart from being a licensor, Petrokimia Gresik in the construction of a plant with a capacity of 500 thousand tons per year also acts as a Basic Engineering Design Package (BEDP) consultant in providing NPK Pupuk Iskandar Muda plant equipment including its Proprietary Equipment.

Petrokimia Gresik, which currently has the task of distributing subsidized NPK fertilizer throughout Indonesia, also helps prepare factory operation experts through a series of activities including education and training (training) of plant operators, becoming factory commissioning experts, supervising the installation of factory equipment and supervising the handling of raw materials and products of the Iskandar Muda Fertilizer NPK plant.

"We are experienced. We are ready to share knowledge about NPK technology, especially among members of the Pupuk Indonesia holding, as our commitment to maintain national food security and support the progress of agriculture in Indonesia," he said.

Furthermore, Dwi Satriyo explained that the success of Petrokimia Gresik 'financed' the development of NPK Chemical Pupuk Iskandar Muda cannot be separated from the role and collaboration of several Work Units in Petrokimia Gresik, including Plant Compartment 2, Development, Technology, and Factory Services (JPP).

JPP has several services, including factory operation & maintenance, fabrication, and heavy equipment, also serves engineering services, laboratory testing, engineering training, and factory Quality Control / Quality Assurance (QA / QC) services.

"During the performance test of the Iskandar Muda Fertilizer NPK Chemical Plant, JPP was asked to check the exhaust gas for factory quality standards," he said.

The excellence of Gresik Petrochemical Plant Services, he added, has experience in the field of (Engineering Procurement Construction & Commissioning) of NPK plants, has a complete workshop, and has the advantages of Designing & Making Equipment, Carrying out project control, Monitoring/quality control, Delivering equipment orders to consumers, and Providing equipment distribution services that are ready according to orders from consumers.

"We have competent and certified human resources, as well as reliable experts and very adequate infrastructure from upstream to downstream to Build Customer Plant according to customer needs", concluded Dwi Satriyo.

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