

PETROKIMIA GRESIK COOPERATES WITH CENTRAL JAVA REGIONAL POLICE SECURING SUPERVISION OF SUBSIDIZED FERTILIZER DISTRIBUTION

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Petrokimia Gresik, strengthened supervision in the distribution of subsidized fertilizers by collaborating with the Central Java Regional Police (Polda). This was marked by the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding between the Director of the Main Director of Petrokimia Gresik, Dwi Satriyo Annurogo, and the Head of the Central Java Regional Police, Irjen Pol Ahmad Luthfi in Semarang, Monday (19/9).

Dwi Satriyo said that as a holding member of the Pupuk Indonesia that received the mandate to distribute subsidized fertilizer to various corners of the country, securing the distribution of subsidized fertilizer is a priority. For this reason, his party continues to strengthen supervision in its distribution, by cooperating with Law Enforcement Officers (APH) in various regions to ensure that subsidized fertilizers are received by eligible farmers by the e-RDKK and applicable regulations, in this case, the Minister of Agriculture Regulation No. 10 of 2022 and the Regulation of the Minister of Trade No. 13 of 2013.

"Subsidized fertilizers have a vital role in national food security. Therefore, this fertilizer must arrive in the hands of farmers who are entitled according to the 6T principle (right type, right quantity, right price, right place, right time, and right quality). We hope that through this collaboration with the Central Java Regional Police, we can prevent the practice of misappropriating subsidized fertilizers by irresponsible parties," said Dwi Satriyo.

This Memorandum of Understanding, among others, regulates the security and supervision of the distribution of subsidized fertilizers of Petrokimia Gresik; law enforcement for violations of the provisions for the distribution of subsidized fertilizers; dissemination of laws and regulations in the field of procurement and distribution of subsidized fertilizers to all elements involved, as well as the involvement of personnel, facilities, and infrastructure to support the smooth security, escort, and enforcement of subsidized fertilizer distribution laws.

Meanwhile, Irjen Pol Ahmad Luthfi said that Petro Kimia Gresik is a National Vital Object (Obvitnas) that manages subsidized fertilizers for farmers in the country and also have a hand in economic recovery after the Covid-19 pandemic. So that the sustainability of the company must be maintained from potential threats, disturbances, and obstacles.

"The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to realize security and supervision in the distribution of subsidized fertilizers. Hopefully, this collaboration can have a positive impact on the distribution of fertilizers," said the Central Java Police Chief.

The collaboration with APH to strengthen supervision of the distribution of subsidized fertilizers is not only carried out in Central Java. Previously, Petrokimia Gresik had also signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the South Sulawesi Prosecutor's Office (Kejati), the East Java Attorney General's Office, and shortly will sign with the Gresik District Attorney's Office.

"Supervision of the distribution of subsidized fertilizers in the field cannot only be carried out by producers but requires support from various parties. The more proactive parties are, the stricter the supervision will be," he said.



Furthermore, Dwi Satriyo added, in addition to collaborating with APH, Petrokimia Gresik has also implemented digitalization to strengthen the supervision of subsidized fertilizer distribution. Among them are the Distribution Planning & Control System (DPCS), Warehouse Management System (WMS), Online Truck Scheduling System (SISTRO), and Petrokimia Gresik Port Information System (Petroport).

"This application was created to strengthen oversight throughout the distribution network for which Petrokimia Gresik is responsible. Starting from the factory (Line I) to the official stalls (Line IV). Through this digital application, supervision will be made easier and in real-time," said Satriyo.

For information, subsidized fertilizer is a mandate from the state whose distribution is partly assigned to Petrokimia Gresik. Based on Permentan Number 10 of 2022, subsidized fertilizers consist of Urea and Phonska and the allocation is limited to nine main commodities, namely rice, corn, soybeans, chili, shallots, garlic, sugarcane, coffee, and cocoa.

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