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PUAN MAHARANI SUPPORT THE FACTORY MODERNIZATION OF PETROKIMIA GRESIK TO INCREASE THE PRODUCTIVITY OF NATIONAL FERTILIZER

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The chairman of the Indonesian Republic House of Representatives, Puan Maharani, supports the efforts to modernize the fertilizer factory owned by <u>Petrokimia Gresik</u>. This was conveyed by Puan during her working visit to the Ammonia-Urea IB Petrokimia Gresik factory, East Java, Wednesday (2/3/2022).

In addition to modernizing the fertilizer factory, Puan also asked the management of Petrokimia Gresik to be able to maintain the national supply of fertilizer, both subsidized and non-subsidized fertilizers.

"We want the directors and commissioners could make Petrokimia Gresik into a fertilizer factory which is then more modern, more reliable, and can meet the fertilizer needs in Indonesia," said Puan.

Furthermore, Puan revealed that efforts to increase fertilizer production capacity at Petrokimia Gresik are also still very possible. But this must pay attention to the existing needs. Especially when there is a change or transition of fertilizer from subsidized to non-subsidized in July 2022.

"Of course there must be a careful calculation, to avoid excess or lack," explained Puan.

In line with Puan, the President Director of Petrokimia Gresik, Dwi Satriyo Annurogo, admitted that he is ready to maintain the productivity of the Petrokimia Gresik fertilizer factory. As the most complete fertilizer producer in Indonesia, Petrokimia Gresik currently supplies six types of subsidized fertilizers, namely Urea, NPK, SP-36, ZA, Granular Organic and Liquid Organic.

From the national allocation of 9.1 million tons of subsidized fertilizer, Petrokimia Gresik was assigned to distribute 5 million tons. In addition, Petrokimia Gresik also supplies 1.8 million liters of liquid fertilizer, and serves various non-subsidized fertilizer needs, both retail and corporate. The production capacity of the Petrokimia Gresik factory itself reaches 8.9 million tons consisting of fertilizer and non-fertilizer products (chemicals).

"To meet these expectations, Petrokimia Gresik continues to modernize factory utilities, so that they are more reliable and able to maintain national food security through timely distribution of fertilizers," he explained.

Furthermore, Dwi Satriyo explained that Petrokimia Gresik currently has superior Human Resources (HR), which mostly consists of the millennial generation. Dwi Satriyo assessed that Petrokimia Gresik millennials are very familiar with technology, so that modernization efforts carried out by the company can run well and help maintain factory productivity.

In addition to factory modernization, Petrokimia Gresik has also implemented digitalization in various company lines. Starting from production, distribution, marketing, and other operations. In the future, Petrokimia Gresik will also continue to expand the digitization of its operations.

"Hopefully, the company can run more effectively and efficiently," concluded Dwi Satriyo.



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