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Visiting Edupark, the Minister of Village, Development of Disadvantaged Regions, and Transmigration Appreciates the Synergy between Semen Gresik with BUMDes

Rembang, September 20, 2021 – Minister of Villages, Development of Disadvantaged Regions, and Transmigration, Abdul Halim Iskandar, expressed his appreciation for the synergy built between PT Semen Gresik (PTSG) with six BUMDes (Village-Owned Enterprises) located around the company.

It was stated when he visited the Tourism Village managed by BUMDes in Kajar Village, Lasem Subdistrict, Rembang Regency, last Friday (17/9). Iskandar, accompanied by Rembang Regent, Abdul Hafidz, and the Director of PTSG Finance and Human Resources, Muchamad Supriyadi, paid attention to Kajar BUMDes in the governance innovation of tourism village with the educational park for the integration of agriculture, plantation, and animal husbandry.

"I learn about the integration model here. It consists of cattle, goats, Arabic chickens, quail, and catfish farming, biogas and fertilizer production, to various vegetable crops, which ultimately aims to maintain food security for the community. We will make this edupark as a model and replicate it to private companies and other BUMDes," Iskandar highlighted.

Iskandar added that the existence of the edupark could be a prototype to initiate the establishment of large-scale integrated farming carried out by villages in Indonesia. He also advised BUMDes to run core businesses that the community had not performed to maintain their economic cycle.

In addition, Rembang Regent, Abdul Hafidz, along with the Regional Leaders Communication Forum members, represented by Military District Commander (Dandim) 0720/Rembang District, Lieutenant Colonel Cavalry (Letkol Kav) Donan Wahyu Sejati, and the Municipal Police Chief (Kapolres), Adjunct Senior Commissioner of Police (AKBP) Dandy Ario Yustiawan, hoped that BUMDes in Rembang would develop excellent programs to empower the community and support the government's One Village One Product Program. It constituted community movement by involving the government to mobilize unique products created by the local community at the village or district level.

The Director of PTSG Finance and Human Resources, Muchamad Supriyadi, emphasized that PTSG was committed to contributing positively to building food, energy, and economic independence for the community around the company.

"Edupark is part of the Integrated Plantation, Agriculture, Fishery, and Animal Husbandry Program launched by SG. Edupark promotes the community economy in addition to transferring knowledge," said Supriyadi in a press release on Monday (20/9).

In addition to Edupark, Supriyadi also mentioned other programs to encourage BUMDes as a center of the creative economy, including clean water management, fostered stalls, Village Nursery Land, MSMEs empowerment through Rumah BUMN Rembang, and the establishment of PT Sinergi Mitra Operasi



Rembang (SMOR) joint venture with various business units. SMOR is a community development model where the shares are owned by SG (52 percent) and six PT BUMDes (48 percent), including Kajar, Timbrangan, Pasucen, Tegaldowo, Kadiwono, and Ngampel Villages.

"We will continually provide assistance and intensify training for BUMDes managers to master managerial skills and create innovation. We hope BUMDes will become the motor for accelerating national economic recovery," he added.

About Semen Gresik

PT Semen Gresik or SG is one of the subsidiaries of PT Semen Indonesia (Persero) TBK or SIG, established on January 10, 2014. Having a factory located in Rembang, Central Java, SG has been entrusted in providing high-quality cement products produced with the latest technology and environmentally friendly production processes.

As a one hundred percent Indonesian product, SG also contributes to building the country with various world-class masterpieces, which becomes ultimate evidence of its product's robustness for millions of families and customers in Indonesia.

SG is always ready to provide the best services, from sustainable technology innovation to our commitment to preserving the environment and synergizing with the surrounding community. Triple Bottom Line Principle: People, Profit, and Planet become shared values between the Company and the community.

By providing sustainable added value for the shareholders through hard work culture and a spirit of innovation of all the Company elements, Semen Gresik has become a key player in the cement industry, not only in Indonesia but also at the international level.

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