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Yakult Starts Production at Second Plant in Indonesia

Yakult Honsha Co., Ltd. (President: Takashige Negishi) today announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, P.T. Yakult Indonesia Persada, started production of the Yakult fermented milk drink at its second plant in Indonesia on January 20. The new plant is located in the Ngoro Industrial Park in Mojokerto District, East Java Province, and its construction was started in September 2012.

P.T. Yakult Indonesia Persada launched sales of Yakult in 1991. Subsequently, the company continued and expanded its business, weathering the Asian economic crisis in 1997, and achieved significant growth with an average daily sales volume of 3.175 million bottles in the period from January to December 2013 (up 15.9% from a year earlier).

Given the future expansion of sales area in the country, the company constructed the second plant to strengthen the product supply system and started production at the plant.

The production capacity of the second plant is about 610,000 bottles per day. It is expected to have a maximum capacity of about 3.65 million bottles per day following a series of production facility expansions.

The profile of the second plant is as follows:



1. Plant name: Indonesia Yakult Surabaya Plant
2. Location: Ngoro Industrial Park, Mojokerto District, East Java Province, Republic of Indonesia
3. Site area: about 52,500 m²
4. Building area: about 9,583 m²
5. Total floor area: about 12,641 m²
6. Production capacity: about 610,000 bottles per day initially
(the maximum capacity is expected to be about 3.65 million bottles per day)
7. Product: Yakult fermented milk drink
8. Start of production: January 20, 2014
9. Product supply area: the eastern region of Java Island, southern region of Kalimantan Island, Sulawesi Island and Bali Island

[Reference]

1. Profile of P.T. Yakult Indonesia Persada

Name: P.T. Yakult Indonesia Persada
(a wholly owned subsidiary of Yakult Honsha Co., Ltd.)
Capital: 11.012 billion Indonesian Rupiah
Head office: Special Capital Territory of Jakarta, Republic of Indonesia
Representative: Sanae Ueno
Number of employees: 3,388 persons (as of the end of September 2013)
Sales: 3.175 million bottles per day (average for the period from January through December 2013)

2. Profile of the first plant

Plant name: Indonesia Yakult Sukabumi Plant
Location: Sukabumi District, West Java Province, Republic of Indonesia
Site area: about 50,000 m²
Building area: about 10,854 m²
Total floor area: about 13,348 m²
Production capacity: about 3.64 million bottles per day
Product: Yakult fermented milk drink
Start of production: April 1997

