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JAVA INTEGRATED INDUSTRIAL AND PORTS ESTATE PROJECT UPDATE : Van Oord appointed to reclaim land for Port / Industrial Estate project

JAKARTA - Van Oord has been awarded the contract for constructing land at the port in Gresik, Surabaya, Indonesia. The contractor has been appointed to reclaim the land for building a deep sea port and also for land reclamation for an industrial estate to be built on the new land. The Project being developed by PT AKR Corporindo Tbk., and Pelindo III is a public-private partnership to build an Integrated Port and Industrial Estate in Gresik Indonesia. The contract value is EUR 20 million.



*Mr Bambang Soetiono, President Director PT Berkah Kawasan Manyar Sejahtera shaking hands with CEO Van Oord.
Mr Gita Wirawan, Indonesian Trade Minister and Prime Minister of Netherlands are also seen in this picture.*

The contract was signed on board the trailing hopper suction dredger HAM 310 at the Port of Tanjung Priok in Jakarta in the presence of Dutch Prime Minister Mark Rutte and other dignitaries. Prime Minister Rutte is currently leading a trade mission to Indonesia that is primarily intended to bolster cooperation between Indonesia and the Netherlands in the field of marine contracting. 'Indonesia faces big marine engineering challenges. The broad experience of Dutch engineers in protecting low-lying areas and the construction of land makes good cooperation possible', says CEO Pieter van Oord.

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About Van Oord

Van Oord is a leading international contractor specialising in dredging, marine engineering and offshore projects (oil, gas and wind). Its head office is located in Rotterdam, the Netherlands. The company's expertise ranges from design to execution and it has been involved in such noteworthy projects as Palm Jumeirah in Dubai, the port of Rotterdam's Maasvlakte 2 expansion, trench dredging and backfilling in northern Russia, and the construction of several offshore wind farms in the North Sea. Van Oord is an independent family business and employs about 4,500 professionals worldwide. Its modern fleet consists of more than a hundred vessels and other specialised equipment.

NEWS**Van Oord Wins Surabaya Dredging Deal**

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