Theme:  Waqf and the halal industry

**Sodaqo Minimarket: case study of halal industrial development based on waqf implementation**

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Waqf is one of the instruments of Islamic philanthropy which is now beginning to be the solution for community problems, especially economic problems. The forms of Waqf are designed to be productive so that it can create long-term benefits, with wider scope of beneficiaries. Sodaqo Minimarket managed by PT. Hydro Perdana Retailindo in Indonesia became the pioneer of the retail industry supported by endowments (waqf). Until May 2018, 210 outlets and 3 distribution centers have been established in Java and Lombok. The waqf investment is maintained and managed to provide profit. Portions of the profit are used to support the surrounding community besides being used to expand the industry. The Waqf value is maintained to sustain perpetual benefits. More than 800 partners involved in SMEs that produce a variety of halal products, ranging from rice to cleaning products, also strengthen and collaborate with Sodaqo. In this paper, we will explain the history, brief business processes, schemes given to SME partners and how endowments provide more value in this halal industry. The purpose of this paper is to be a reference that can be used by other halal enterprises and companies who want to develop and expand their benefits with waqf instrument, and how to maintain its continuity.

Keywords: Waqf, Productive, Industry, Halal, Retail

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2. PT. Hydro Perdana Retailindo

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**Recovery of Lombok Earthquake Disaster with Productive Waqf Instrument: Case Study of Waqf Village**

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A 7.0 magnitude earthquake devastated the island of Lombok and its surroundings on August 5, 2018. More than 500 aftershocks have also been shaking and damaging more structures. According to BNPB (The National Agency for Disaster Countermeasure), more than 20,000 houses and other buildings collapsed to the ground. Economic activities in Lombok were badly affected. The global community responded by providing of various kinds of assistance. Global Waqf Foundation, in collaboration with the local government of West Nusa Tenggara (NTB), intends to restore the well-being of Lombok Island residents affected by this severe earthquake through one of the Islamic philanthropic instruments namely Waqf. The form of waqf program that is to be implemented is Waqf Village. This productive form of waqf has been successfully implemented and has benefited the people on Java island, especially in Blora and Tasikmalaya. This paper aims to describe the concept of Waqf Village which will be implemented on Lombok Island as a form of productive waqf initiative to restore the life of local people of Lombok.

Keywords: earthquake, waqf, productive, humanity, Lombok

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2. Global Halal Foundation

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**Waqf Village, Waqf Innovation Empowering Village Communities: Case study of Waqf Villages in Blora**

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Blora Regency in Central Java Province, Indonesia, is threatened by a prolonged food crisis throughout the year. In rainy season, the Bengawan Solo River flowing through Blora Regency overflows and inundates the agricultural land of the local residents, causing crop failure. In dry season, the water crisis afflicting the local farmers also leads to crop failure. Looking at the great potentials in Blora regency, these two problems can be overcome by forming waqf-based community engagement programs. Waqf Village supported by LKWD (Village Waqf Self-supporting Institution), as a stimulus of the village development, begins with economic intervention based on agricultural program (integrated farming and livestock management) through training, technology transfer, and financial management. After more than 7 years, this program has been able to improve the welfare of the citizens in Blora Regency. Explanation of the success in the Waqf Village of Blora Regency is the goal of this paper.

Keywords: Village, Waqf, Blora, Food, LKWD

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2. Global Halal Foundation

Theme: Waqf management and development

**Global Qurban: Empowering Communities Through Management of Livestock From Endowments**

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Every year Muslims throughout the world celebrate Eid al-Adha. This celebration cannot be separated from the sacrificial animals slaughtered as a form of worship. Indonesian citizens, which makes up the majority of world’s Muslim population, are no exception. Global Qurban Foundation has started independent farms in Jogjakarta since 2013. In 2014, similar farm was developed in Blora, and in 2015 another farm was developed in Tasikmalaya. This development carries out the practice of livestock endowment (waqf) as a form of philanthropy. Livestock endowments developed into rice farming endowments and initiated waqf capital. The combination of agricultural empowerment and financing enhances business services in areas supported by waqf-based initiatives. Waqf Village makes the whole dimension of philanthropy intertwine with communal life that sustain the waqf capital. This paper aims to not only explain the success of Global Qurban Foundation as a foundation that distributes the highest number of sacrificial animals with the widest scope in Indonesia, but also reveal its achievements in supporting the welfare of both supported breeders and farmers, as well as those involved in it.

Keywords: Qurban, Global, Waqf, Livestock, Indonesia

1. Global Qurban Foundation
2. Global Halal Foundation