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Chairman of BKPM: Investors' Trust Remain High

Jakarta, November 30, 2016 – Chairman of Indonesia Investment Coordinating Board (BKPM) Thomas Lembong respond positively on the outcomes of the Forbes Global CEO Conference in Shangri-la Hotel, Jakarta on Tuesday (29/11). Approximately 400 CEOs participating in the event and their attendance could serves as indicator of the Global CEO enthusiast to Indonesian current economic progress.

Thomas reiterate that one clear outcomes of his meeting with various investors in Forbes Global CEO Conference is the level of investor trust in Indonesia investment remains high. “Despite all of the dynamics, investors foresee our positive trajectory of improvement. After years of doing reforms and deregulations, now we are benefiting and receiving positive feedback,” he said in an official release to media, on Wednesday (30/11).

Hence, tourism is one of the sectors that was offered by the government to global CEOs. Thomas mentioned in his statement that BKPM is confidence in achieving the investment target this year worth IDR 594.8 trillion (Approx USD 45 billion) and next year target worth IDR 678.8 trillion (Approx USD 52 billion) by the fact that investors trust remain high.

“The Government will continue to pursue the economic reforms agenda to improve the country competitiveness,” he explained.

Indonesia improvement are getting positive response to the CEOs. Steve Forbes in his introductory speech for the Indonesian President Joko Widodo keynote speech, highlighted the breakthrough policy made by Jokowi administration is considered as highly effective. He is referring to the outstanding result of Tax Amnesty program in bringing repatriation fund back.

CEO of Wanda Group Jianlin Wang who received a lifetime achievement Malcolm S. Forbes on yesterday (29/11) praised the effort made by Indonesia government in order to reform economy and provide better investment climate for foreign investor.

Aside CEO of Wanda Group, prominent global CEOs were take parts and participating in the conference, such as CEO of Wilmar International Khoon Hong Kuok, Senior Chairman of Orix Corporation Yoshihiko Miyauchi, CEO of Living Essentials Manoj Bhargava, CEO of Fosun Xinjun Liang , CEO of Grab Group Anthony Tan, and Chairman and CEO of Mayapada Group Dato Sri Tahir.

Other prominent businessmen attend the event were Chairman of Indonesian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KADIN) Rosan Roslani, CEO of PT Bakrie Global Ventura Anindya Bakrie and CEO of Telkom Telstra Erik Meijer.

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