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## **79th Independence Day Ceremony of the Republic of Indonesia in the New Capital City: Basuki Hadimuljono's Hope and New Opportunities for MSME Actors**

**NUSANTARA** - The 79th Independence Day Ceremony of the Republic of Indonesia has been successfully held. This event left a significant impression on the invited guests who were able to witness the ceremony firsthand, both in the New Capital City (Nusantara) and at the Merdeka Palace in Jakarta.

Minister of Public Works and Housing/Acting Chairman of Nusantara Capital Authority (NCA), Basuki Hadimuljono, expressed his pride in the ceremony held at Nusantara in a statement released via the official Presidential Secretariat YouTube channel.

"As soon as the troops arrived, I was already in tears, realizing that we were able to carry out this event. I am deeply grateful that our collective efforts have enabled us to realize the President's vision and mission for the nation's future development," Basuki stated.

The ceremony at the New Capital City also brought new hope to the local community around IKN. Maihartati, a small business owner selling goods at the Nusantara Rest Area, expressed her happiness with the public viewing event organized by the NCA at the Rest Area.

"The number of visitors increased, which boosted our sales. I hope that small businesses will receive more attention and continue to advance, especially local MSMEs," Maihartati concluded.

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Nusantara is the future Capital of Indonesia, as designated and regulated by Law Number 3 of 2022. It is located on the east coast of Kalimantan Island. Nusantara's area is nearly four times that of Jakarta, covering approximately 256,142 hectares of land and a marine area of 68,189 hectares. Nusantara will shift the development orientation to be Indonesia-centric and function to accelerate the country's economic transformation. The Nusantara Capital Authority (NCA) is the authority responsible for managing and regulating Nusantara. NCA is an institution equivalent to a ministry established by the Government of Indonesia, operating directly under the President of the Republic of Indonesia. NCA's duties include supporting the preparation, development, and relocation of the national capital to Nusantara."

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