

Taiwan-Indonesia Policy and Food Security dialogues strengthen agricultural cooperation

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Taiwan and Indonesia recently concluded the 5th Taiwan-Indonesia Agricultural Cooperation Consultation Meeting in Taipei, reinforcing their agricultural partnership under the 2016 Taiwan-Indonesia Agricultural Cooperation Agreement.

The meeting focused on agricultural policy, market access, and broader cooperation, with a particular emphasis on addressing food security challenges intensified by climate change. Both nations agreed to enhance agricultural resilience through technological collaboration and talent development, aiming to ensure stable food supplies.

An Indonesian agricultural delegation toured food industry operations in Changhua and Yilan from August 29 to 30, gaining insights into Taiwan's agricultural practices. They also met with young Indonesian farmers interning in Taiwan, highlighting the tangible outcomes of bilateral cooperation.

Indonesia is a key partner under Taiwan's New Southbound Policy, which seeks to deepen ties with Southeast Asian nations. Since the signing of the agricultural cooperation agreement, the two countries have collaborated to promote agricultural technology, talent exchanges, and industry development.

The latest meeting is expected to strengthen future agricultural ties between Taiwan and Indonesia, paving the way for enhanced cooperation and mutual benefits.