

Media Update

Underground Mining Rescue Team at Grasberg Block Cave Incident Finds Two Workers

Tembagapura, Mimika, September 20, 2025 – The underground mine rescue team of PT Freeport Indonesia on Saturday, September 20, 2025, at 08:45 WIT, recovered two colleagues who had been trapped following a wet material slide incident at the Grasberg Block Cave area.

With profound sorrow, we confirm that based on the identification process carried out by the medical team in coordination with the police authorities, the two colleagues are:

1. Mr. Wigih Hartono, Electrician, PT Cita Contract
2. Mr. Irawan, Electrician, PT Cita Contract

“On behalf of the company and personally, I extend my deepest condolences to the bereaved families. PT Freeport Indonesia will continue to accompany and provide full support to the families during this difficult time,” said Tony Wenas, President Director of PT Freeport Indonesia.

The rescue team has been working tirelessly, deploying all available resources despite the significant challenges and high risks.

As of today, efforts to locate the remaining five colleagues are still ongoing. The company calls on everyone to keep the rescue team in their thoughts and prayers so that all missing colleagues can be found as soon as possible.

PTFI also extends its appreciation to all parties who have provided support during this challenging period.

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	The underground mine rescue team of PT Freeport Indonesia carried out the evacuation of employees trapped in a wet material slide at the Grasberg Block Cave. On Saturday, September 20, 2025, the rescue team recovered two workers who had been trapped and were found deceased.

Tentang PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI)

PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI) merupakan perusahaan tambang mineral afiliasi dari Freeport-McMoRan (FCX) dan Mining Industry Indonesia (MIND ID). PTFI menambang dan memproses bijih untuk menghasilkan mineral tembaga, yang mengandung emas dan perak.

PTFI memasarkan konsentrat ke seluruh penjuru dunia, dan terutama ke smelter tembaga dalam negeri, PT Smelting. Operasi penambangan PTFI berlokasi di kawasan mineral Grasberg, Papua – Indonesia. Saat ini PTFI mengoperasikan tambang bawah tanah dengan metode block caving terbesar di dunia. Dalam menjalankan kegiatan operasinya, PTFI mengedepankan praktik bisnis yang bertanggung jawab.