

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

September 2, 2021

**Virtual event: V-Connect Indonesia Edition to be organized from 24-25 November 2021
ILDEX Indonesia and Aquatica Asia postponed to 9-11 November 2022**

The decision is made in view of the new COVID-19 situation in Indonesia and with the deep concern on the health of the exhibitors and stakeholders.

Although the local vaccination is speeding up, daily Covid cases remains at high level in Indonesia and a partial lockdown has been implemented by the local authority. Besides, according to the ASPERAPI (Indonesia Exhibition Companies Association) information, there is no official statement or clear timeline on reopening physical exhibitions this year. All these are making international and local travels very difficult and there is no signal that these measurements are to be lifted in the near term.

Therefore, by postponing the event to Q4, 2022, we anticipate widespread mass vaccination can be expected in Indonesia and cross-border travel is gradually back in normal and the event is set at an ideal timing to meet the market demand after year-long of downturn.

ILDEX Indonesia and Aquatica Asia is thus re-scheduled to 9-11 November 2022 at Hall 3-3A, Indonesia Convention Exhibition (ICE), Jakarta, Indonesia.

In the meanwhile, following the Vietnam Edition and Asia Edition, VNU is delighted to confirm that the virtual form of the show “**V-Connect Indonesia Edition**” is still set to be online during **24-25 November 2021** as scheduled.

“V-Connect” platform is the digital platform developed by VIV and ILDEX team to enable in-person B2B networking and provides a progressive web-based, smartphone-supported online ecosystem optimized for all attendees to meet, network and make deals for ASEAN’s Feed to Food Industry. In July, the very first edition “V-Connect Vietnam Edition” was organized and the platform hosted hundreds of exhibitors and visitors and the Asia Edition will follow in the upcoming September.

“V-Connect Indonesia Edition” will be the designated platform of ILDEX Indonesia and registration portal of the platform will be opened for pre-event appointment from **October onwards**. “V-Connect Indonesia Edition” is aimed to offer businesses a reliable, responsive and highly actionable platform through which to grow as we continue to adapt to and prosper during the current global climate.

VNU Asia Pacific, together with its global partners, will continue the support to all exhibitors and stakeholders on all issues associated with show preparation.

For more information, please visit the official websites: www.ildex-indonesia.com.



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VIV worldwide Events Calendar 2021 – 2023

2021 EVENTS		
VIV Qingdao	September 15-17, 2021	Qingdao Cosmopolitan Exposition, Qingdao, China
V-Connect Asia Edition	September 22-24, 2021	Digital Event on www.v-connect.net
VIV MEA	November 23-25, 2021	ADNEC, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E
V-Connect MEA Edition	November 23-25, 2021	Digital Event on www.v-connect.net
V-Connect Indonesia Edition	*November 24-25, 2021	Digital Event on www.v-connect.net
2022 EVENTS		
Meat and Poultry Industry Russia	March 15-17, 2022	Crocus Expo, Moscow, Russia
VIV Europe	May 31-2 June, 2022	Jaarbeurs, Utrecht, The Netherlands
V-Connect Europe Edition	May 31-2 June, 2022	Digital Event on www.v-connect.net
ILDEX Vietnam	*August 3-5, 2022	Saigon Exhibition and Convention Center (SECC), Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
V-Connect Vietnam Edition	*August 3-5, 2022	Digital Event on www.v-connect.net
Health & Nutrition Asia	*September 7-9, 2022	IMPACT, Bangkok, Thailand
Poultry Africa	October 5-6, 2022	Kigali Convention Centre, Kigali, Rwanda
ILDEX Indonesia	*November 9-11, 2022	Indonesia Convention Exhibition (ICE) Jakarta, Indonesia
Aquatica Asia	*November 9-11, 2022	Indonesia Convention Exhibition (ICE) Jakarta, Indonesia
2023 EVENTS		
VIV Asia	*March 8-10, 2023	IMPACT, Bangkok, Thailand
Meat Pro Asia	*March 8-10, 2023	IMPACT, Bangkok, Thailand
VIV Turkey	June 08-10, 2023	Istanbul Expo Center, Istanbul, Turkey

* New dates

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