With regard to the high exposure of food safety issues today, to provide security for businessmen and consumers improving stakeholder communications is really required. It was the statement made by the Head of SEAFAST (Southeast Asian Food and Agricultural Science & Technology Centre) of IPB, Prof. Dr. Purwiyatno Hariyadi, in the Seminar on Managing Safety & Shelf Life of Foods. This seminar was organized jointly between Food Review and SEAFAST Centre of IPB, at IPB International Convention Centre (IICC), Bogor, on 24 October 2014.

According to him, in term of food safety, shelf life has become the important parameter. Although the level of security is not always described, but shelf life will provide important information on the quality of the product.

Present as the guest speaker for this seminar was the Head of Sub Directorate (Kasubdit) of Food Ingredients Standardization of National Agency of Drugs and Foods Control (BTP POM RI), Ir. Gasilan. He presented his paper on the Updated of Food Safety Regulation and the Expired Dates of Food Products. In this seminar, he invited all the audiences to assist the authorities to maintain the food security of protect them from the hazardous materials, which include biological, chemical, and physical hazards respectively.

Meanwhile, the General Manager of Food Review, Mr. Suseno Hadi Purnomo, stated "In general, offering a wide range of fresh from the oven products is the ideal solution for consumers. However, instead that such ideal situation cannot always be achieved, thus putting the expired dates of the products will become strategic effort to maintain their qualities."

Further, he stated that shelf life is crucial for the acceptance of products in the market, or determining product pricing for your business, before this expired date, they are assumed to be fresh and can be used without any decrease in their quality or quantity.

Finally, the “question and answer session” to discus the Planning and Estimation of the life time of Food Products, the Applications and Arrhenius Principles and the Planning and Estimation of Life Time of Food Products: Principles Applications Isothermis Water sorption, which were stated by Chairman of the Department of Food Science and Technology (ITP) Faculty of Agricultural Technology (FATETA-IPB), Dr. Ferry Kusnandar, and faculty member of the Department of ITP Fateta IPB, Dr. Dede R Adawiyah. (Wied).