NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party to Agreement notifying: FINLAND

2. Agency responsible: National Board of Labour Protection/Ministry of Labour

3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], Other:

4. Products covered (HS where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):

   Power cranes

5. Title: Amendment of the Decision of the Council of State on Implementation of the Act on Occupational Safety of Power Cranes and Their Inspection

6. Description of content: Decision of the council of state from 31 August 1972, No. 648:

   A new section:

   1 a §
   A power crane shall be appropriately constructed and installed as well as equipped with necessary protection devices and markings in order to prevent accidents and other risks to health impending on workers and other persons at the workplace.

   An amendment of section 7

   7 §
   If needed, the Ministry of Labour shall issue more detailed instructions and regulations on the application of this decision, and shall also, in individual cases upon specific request have the right to grant exceptions from the provisions of this Decision.

   (Amendment underlined)

7. Objective and rationale: Occupational safety

8. Relevant documents: The Decision will be published in the Statutes of Finland.

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