

New Subjects of Precision Investigation of Accidents

- New Subjects of Precision Investigation and Newly Coordinated Tasks of Different Organizations -

Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Precision Investigation of Major and Other Accidents
Major changes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Expanded scope of subjects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not only major accidents or accidents with high social profiles but also accidents with serious injuries and damage are now subject to precision investigation. ● New division of labor for precision investigation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Central Accident Investigation Group: Major accidents* and accidents with high social profiles** <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Accidents involving at least two deaths or three casualties (including one death) each ** Accidents at the center of media and social attention, such as: power plant/steel mill accidents, accidents involving public-sector clients, fires/explosions, accidents involving vulnerable groups (interns and apprentices, etc.) - RAICs: Major accidents with extreme outcomes* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Accidents involving fires/explosions, structural collapses, hazardous machinery/equipment, etc. ● Feedback review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - KOSHA reviews ways of sharing feedback on the results of precision investigations with the MOEL on a quarterly basis. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Other meetings can also be convened at any time for urgent improvements needed. ● Research service <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - KOSHA has commissioned research on details of likely changes to KOSHA's authority over special accident investigations, subjects of special accident investigations, and possible regulatory effects following the enactment of a new provision (Article 56-2 on special accident investigations) to be added to the Industrial Safety and Health Act.* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Motioned by National Assemblywoman Han Jeong-ae (Dem.), with planned legislation announced on November 4, 2020.