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- **Topics**

- "Inchon Declaration" adopted by leaders of 10 Asian safety and health agencies
- Ministry of Labor provides safety and health package to aid in crude oil cleanup
- 18th World Congress on Safety and Health at Work - 200 days to go

- **Administrative Activities**

- New regulation to penalize smoking workers who handle asbestos
- Special education program operated to adopt GHS more easily
- Newly revealed checkup system is to be operated in 2009

- **Statistics**

- 70% of accidental falls occur from a height of less than 3m
- More than half of the serious accidents occurring at work caused by workers' mistakes

- **Update in KOREA**

- Joint study on the establishment of specimen bank for lung cancer to be conducted
- "70 commandments" for safe and comfortable work environment revealed
- Korea, China, Japan share chemical control information

- **Update in KOSHA**

- KOSHA awards 5,000th S mark in 10 years
- Spiderman is in the emergency room! Superman has fallen!
- World-standard, auto-generated MSDS program to be distributed soon
- Asbestos containing products can be distinguished at a glance.
- KOSHA, Pusan join hands for residents' safety

- **Event**

- KOSHA holds Asia-Pacific Safety Symposium
- "Safe Seoul Fair" 119 festival opened

- **New Materials**

- KOSHA distributes manual on prevention program for 5 industry types
- Movie clips demonstrating ways of asbestos removal now available
- KOSHA with seasonal "safety and health magazine"