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Canada/European Union Crane Operator Credential MRA Project Moves Forward

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VANCOUVER – Canada and the European Union have commenced a 2-year project from October 16, 2017 to October 15, 2019 working towards a mutual recognition agreement (MRA) for Mobile Crane Operator credentials. This project will accelerate the entry of qualified foreign-trained crane operators into the Canadian job market. The project is being carried out within the parameters as provided by the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA).

The project host is the BC Association for Crane Safety (BC Crane Safety). BC Crane Safety is working closely with the National Occupational Council of Canada (Natoc) in the coordination and implementation of the project. National stakeholders include the Canadian Hoisting and Rigging Safety Council (CHRSC). Project funding is courtesy of Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC).

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