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Standards & Related Documents Sub-Committee

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132. Survey of PES-controlled Rides

We attach a copy of a letter from the Health & Safety Executive (Entertainments National Interest Group) which has been sent to BALPPA and The Showmen's Guild of Great Britain. NAFLIC were sent a copy by way of information.

HSE has concerns about, and limited knowledge of, the (growing) use of programmable electronic systems (PES) to control rides, including safety related functions. It is for this reason, as the letter explains, that a research survey of such rides is now under way. Hopefully the work will lead to further guidance aimed specifically at our industry.

The survey will obviously affect equipment inspected by NAFLIC members who should be aware that their co-operation may be sought.

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