

Port worker died in a labor accident registered inside the Port of Valparaíso

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A worker at the Port of Valparaíso has died after being hit by a forklift vehicle while carrying out tasks at the maritime terminal.

The event occurred last night and the investigation was left in the hands of the PDI Homicide Brigade, which initially went to the Carlos van Buren Hospital, where the body of the deceased worker was located. There they found multiple injuries, mainly fractures and trauma, which meant his death.

In addition, they went to the port sites, where it was possible to establish that the worker, who was with his machinery, had been hit by the cargo vehicle, which was driven by another

worker, who was warned under article 26 of the penal code, pending the reports and the summons from the public prosecutor, as confirmed by Commissioner Carlos Gálvez, of the BH of the Buenos Aires PDI.

VALPARAISO PORT COMPANY DECLARATION

Empresa Portuaria Valparaíso (EPV) was notified of the sensitive death of the worker Patricio Cumian Coronado (QEPD), operator of the major equipment of Terminal 2, managed by the concessionaire Terminal Portuario de Valparaíso (TPV).

Along with expressing our sorrow and solidarity to the family, co-workers and friends of the worker, EPV expresses its willingness to collaborate with the authorities both in the investigation to clarify the circumstances in which this painful event occurred, as well as in the monitoring, implementation and management of additional security measures that must be adopted by the concessionaire -in the short and medium term- to protect the workers.

We reiterate our deep pain and express our feeling of solidarity towards the family of Patricio Cumian.

