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Status	Implemented
Name of National Law	Cybersecurity Act 124/2025
Entered into force	8th April 2025
Link to current draft or equivalent	https://finlex.fi/fi/lainsaadanto/saadoskokoelma/2025/124
Scope (deviating from NIS-2-Directive)	(Additional) categories of entities in scope: Applicability according to the annexes I and II of the Directive to different categories of highly critical and critical sectors, provider of public electronic communications networks or publicly available electronic communications services, trust service providers, domain name registry or DNS service providers.
Registration	All regulated entities must register with their respective sector-specific entity.
Information Security Standards referenced	The Cybersecurity Act does not reference a specific international standard.
Incident reporting	All regulated entities must report to their respective sector-specific entity.
Authority / CSIRT	Supervisory authorities by sector: (i) Finnish Transport and Communications Agency, (ii) Energy Authority, (iii) Finnish Safety and Chemicals Agency, (iv) National Supervisory Authority for Welfare and Health, (v) Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment for South Savo, (vi) Finnish Food Authority and (vii) Finnish Medicines Agency. In addition, at the Finnish Transport and Communications Agency, there operates a CSIRT unit, as referred to in Article 1(2)(a) of the NIS-2-Directive, which responds to and investigates cybersecurity incidents.
Fines (deviating from NIS-2-Directive)	 Regarding the maximum number of fines, the Finnish national Cybersecurity Act does not differ from the NIS-2-Directive. According to the Finnish law, administrative penalty cannot be imposed on state authorities, state enterprises, welfare areas and associations, municipal authorities, independent public law institutions, parliamentary offices, the Office of the President of the Republic, the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland, the Orthodox Church of Finland, or their parishes, parish unions, and other bodies.
Worth mentioning	The Finnish Cybersecurity Act complies with the requirements of the NIS-2-Directive, but the national implementation includes clarifications and additions that take into account Finland's specific needs and administrative structure. These include, among other things, a more precise definition of the responsibilities of authorities, potentially broader scopes of application, more detailed notification obligations, as well as national specific requirements for cybersecurity management and cooperation.