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BRIEF-Finnair plans broad temporary lay-offs in 2009

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HELSINKI, Jan 15 (Reuters) - Finnair Oyj:

* More than 3,000 Finnair employees will be laid off during this year, as a rule for periods of 2-3 weeks

* Due to further weakened demand and the financial situation we will continue actively to seek new significant efficiency measures

* Says lay-offs of differing durations are being planned for 300 cargo employees during 2009

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