TRANSPORT - Fatal 6 - VIDEO - Readymix truck loses control on a corner and rollsover

WHAT HAPPENED

Please watch and share this **dramatic video** of a loaded readymix truck that loses control whilst cornering, crosses the carriage way and rollsover.

It was very fortunate that nobody was seriously injured in this high potential incident, the 6 year old vehicle was a write-off.

The video explains the background to the incident and makes recommendations on how this type of incident could be avoided.

KEY FINDINGS

- The driver was familiar with the road
- He admitted driving at excessive speed
- He stated that he may have been distracted by some personal issues at the time of the incident
- The rear view camera was very dirty obscuring any view.

WATCH THE VIDEO OF THE INCIDENT

LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS TAKEN

Share the following information with drivers

- the video can be used as the basis for a toolbox talk. It provides a summary of

The common driver errors that are the cause or contributing factors in rollovers

- Driving too fast for the road conditions
- Failure to consider the loads centre of gravity and movement
- Unsafe cornering or turning speeds
- Attempting an abrupt and unplanned manoeuvre
- Improper pressurised rear axle settings
- Failure to follow the appointed route to the pour site
- Driving too close to the haul edge
- Not carrying out a MYSAFE assessment, taking the time to scan the jobsite prior to positioning for discharge.

Key questions for a driver to ask themselves, can they answer YES to the following?

- Are you trained and competent for the vehicle you are driving?
- Are you fit and alert?
- Have you carried out your daily checks, are all safety devices in good working order?
- Do you drive in accordance with the vehicle's limitations, the load being transported and the road/weather conditions?
- Do you know the safest routes?
- Do you avoid distractions?
- Do you wear your seatbelt?

If not, THINK, should you be behind the wheel?

LOCATION:	**ON-HIGHWAY**	**ALERT STATUS:**	**High Potential**
ACTIVITY:	**TRANSPORT & LOGISTICS / DELIVERY**	**DATE ISSUED:**	**14/02/2024 18:55:22**
SUB ACTIVITY:	**DELIVERING READYMIX**	**INCIDENT No:**	**03695**