

INCIDENT ALERT

LOCATION: Transport
ACTIVITY: Transport
SUB ACTIVITY: On-highway

ALERT STATUS: Normal
DATE ISSUED: 07/05/08
INCIDENT No: 00156

TITLE

Aggregates Safety - Reversing Vehicles

ACCIDENT / INCIDENT DETAILS

OPERATIVE INJURED WHEN STRUCK
BY VEHICLE REVERSING.

An operative was struck by a vehicle reversing whilst he was removing material from the back of it.
A second operative had instructed the driver to reverse back even though the first operative was still working at the back off the vehicle.

ACCIDENT / INCIDENT IMAGES

LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS TAKEN

1. Only trained banksman should reverse vehicles.
2. Prior to asking or allowing a vehicle to reverse the banksman should check the area around the vehicle and its location it is to reverse to, to ensure there are no people or other obstacles in the way that are likely to be struck whilst the vehicle is reversing.

DO NOT ALLOW REVERSING WITHOUT A BANKSMAN

LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS IMAGES