

## INCIDENT ALERT

**LOCATION:** Recycling Plant

**ALERT STATUS:** Critical

**ACTIVITY:** Transport

**DATE ISSUED:** 23/09/08

**SUB ACTIVITY:** Mobile Plant

**INCIDENT No:** 00193

### TITLE

UK Fatality - Mobile Crusher Incident

### ACCIDENT / INCIDENT DETAILS

Employee became trapped between mobile crusher and (static) fuel tank. It is thought that he was moving the crusher using the remote control unit, having refuelled the machine. Incident under investigation by Police & HSE. Root cause not yet clear.

### ACCIDENT / INCIDENT IMAGES

### LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS TAKEN

REMIND ALL OPERATORS TO:

- \* Keep well clear of moving equipment
- \* Be aware of ,nip™ or ,trapping™ points
- \* Not to place themselves in a dangerous position
- \* Report defects immediately
- \* Ensure workers trained & authorised

IF OPERATING KIT VIA A 'REMOTE'

- \* Review Risk Assessments and Safe Systems of Work
- \* Remind operators to stand well clear when using the remote control unit
- \* Ensure intended route is safe (ground conditions, obstructions etc)
- \* Keep people well clear whilst the machine is being moved, use banksman

### LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS IMAGES