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LSA Safety Alert 05-2015: STAY SAFE ON FLATBEDS

LSA Safety Alert 05-2015: STAY SAFE ON FLATBEDS- A number of recent workplace injuries and a Qld fatality have involved falls from flatbed trucks. Such falls can be serious and sometimes fatal, but there are several ways to stay safe loading & unloading. More info see Safety Alert- www.bit.ly/1QHBOe5

The following information is adapted from Workcover NSW safety alert document and video 'FALLS FROM FLATBED TRUCKS AND TRAILERS – SAFETY ALERT' and examines the approaches that should be considered by management and staff in compliance with regulations around keeping a safe workplace, particularly regarding this issue.

FALLS FROM FLATBED TRUCKS AND TRAILERS – SAFETY ALERT

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An experienced truck driver died when he fell from a trailer during loading.

The best way to stay safe is to stay on the ground at a safe distance from mobile plant during loading and unloading.

Watch this video for simple tips to keep yourself and your workers safe.

