

TOOLBOX TALK – AVOIDING DRIVING OFF WHILE CONNECTED

When loading and unloading a tanker great care must be taken to avoid spills, pipe dismounts and driving off whilst connected.

Drive offs can cause tank failures and possible pollutions.

To avoid drive offs, please follow the below instructions.



- Align vehicle with pipe so good, square connection is made.
- Check rubber seals and Bauer clamps are in good order.
- Check all breaker valves are closed.

- Open tank or logger and commence loading/unloading.
- While loading/unloading, stay with vehicle at all times.
- Avoid using handheld devices i.e. phone or PDA while loading/unloading.

- Close all valves and release pressure from breaker valves before releasing pipe clamps.
- Remove pipe from vehicle.

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