

MAGB HEALTH and SAFETY GROUP

CHECKING THE CONDITION OF VEHICLES ARRIVING FOR MALT COLLECTION



SCOPE: *This document is intended to give guidance on best practice with regard to the condition of vehicles arriving on site empty, intended for the collection of malt for delivery.*

Hauliers will receive a copy of this document prior to malt collections.

1. INTRODUCTION

This information offers guidance on how to discourage vehicles from arriving with any detritus from previous loads and recommends sites have a scale of sanctions against offending hauliers. All vehicles arriving for malt collection will be assessed for fitness to be loaded, e.g. free from any remaining material from the previous load or any other contamination. Sweeping out of vehicles arriving for collection of malt will not be permitted on site. Environmental considerations are also included.

2. SIGNIFICANT HAZARDS

The main hazards are:

- Contamination of malt for delivery
- Contact/inhalation with dust

3. MONITORING OF PROCEDURES

Vehicle drivers are responsible for their own work and for ensuring that they work safely. However, you should give consideration to how the work affects your regular staff and vice versa. Check that the procedure is being adhered to at regular intervals.

4. SCALE OF PENALTIES

First offence – reject driver and provide written report to haulier outlining consequences of further rejections.

Second offence – ban driver from site for specific time.

Third offence – driver permanently banned from site.

PROCEDURE FOR CHECKING THE CONDITION OF VEHICLES ON ARRIVAL

- ✓ Drivers must comply with the malting company's rules regarding the wearing of high visibility vests/jackets, hard hats/bump caps and safety footwear.
- ✓ Damage to vehicles and equipment will be noted by the maltings staff and reported to the haulier. Significant damage must be repaired within one week.
- ✓ Maltings staff to check cleanliness of trailer
- ✓ Reject any trailer unfit for purpose and report to haulier

Driver

Please sign below to indicate that you have read and understood the procedure and will follow its guidance.

Signature of driver: