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Safety Communication

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Classification

Property Damage

Where?

Location : Soda Ash Offloading – Line 11

Section: Soda Ash Plant

Incident Description

A customer truck slipped off and its left rear trailer wheels got in between the railway line whilst trying to align for loading at Soda Ash Loading Bay.

When?

Date: 13/11/2022

Time: 06:15hrs

Body part / Nature of Damage

- Damaged concrete slab blocks

Preliminary Findings?

- The truck Driver was in possession of a valid authorization.
- The Driver was also-tested and the results were negative.
- **Unsafe Act-** The Driver used the wrong entry to access the loading bay.
- **Negligence** – The Driver continued to drive the truck despite realizing that there was no allowance for the rear trailer.
- **Unsafe condition** – The slab blocks on line 11 are inadequate to cater for trucks.
- **Weather Condition** – The incident was aggravated by wet conditions due to rain.

Preventative & Corrective Measures

- The truck was stopped, and the incident was reported to all relevant authorities.
- The incident was briefed to employees of the relevant section.
- A risk assessment was conducted, and the truck was removed successfully.
- Truck drivers are to use designated points at the loading area.

