

## What's Happened.....

On completion of collecting a load from SRM Scunthorpe a driver has parked himself in a lay by near the New Coil warehouse and decided to make breakfast, he closed his cab curtains and decided to boil some eggs using a portable gas cooker.

Luckily this driver was found out and refrained from using his equipment.

Below is a reminder of the devastation such equipment can cause from an incident on Tata property last year, this led to a ban on the use of this equipment at all Tata sites.



This accident happened in to an individual who wanted to make a cup of tea, a task he had carried out many times before this particular day.

This accident happened on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2012 and the images above are of the actual vehicle.

**This was the result of a leaking gas canister**

**All this person wanted was a cup of TEA!**

**THIS ALMOST COST HIM HIS LIFE!**

- Do not use this type of equipment within a confined space.
- Make sure before you ignite such equipment there is no smell of gas.
- Plenty of ventilation is required for this type of equipment.
- Regularly clean the equipment making sure it is free from any debris.
- Using such equipment can invalidate your insurance if the equipment causes a fire.
- **THE USE OF GAS CANISTERS IS PROHIBITED ON TATA SITES.**

- This incident occurred when the gas stove was lit to make hot water for a cup of tea using butane gas.
- The stove is an ordinary camping stove you can buy from any high street store.
- The canister leaked within the confined space of the cab filling the area with gas vapour.
- When the ignition of the gas occurred the individual was lent over the stove to light it and took the full force of the blast.

**REMIND ALL DRIVERS GAS COOKERS AND CANISTERS ARE BANNED AT ALL TATA STEEL SITES!!!**