

Gas Cookers and Canisters

What Happened:

During the last 3 weeks we have received reports of drivers using gas cookers on Tata sites.

The use of gas cookers and canisters is banned on all Tata sites due to the potentially devastating damage they can cause if the equipment is faulty or if the gas has been running prior to lighting.



SAFETY ALERT



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 13th 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.

REMINDE ALL DRIVERS: GAS COOKERS AND CANISTERS ARE BANNED AT ALL TATA STEEL SITES!!!

