



# READYPOWER

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NUMBER ONE FOR PLANT HIRE  
OPERATED AND SELF DRIVE HIRE

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## SAFETY BRIEFING

### MEWP RRVs and Carrying Personnel in the Basket

Further to a number of reports from worksites, this memo will effectively ban the unsafe work practice of carrying men in the basket of a R/R Dumper Mounted MEWP whilst driving down the line from the dumper seat.

All dumper mounted MEWPs carry a Certificate of Engineering Acceptance which contains the following wording (extract taken from AccessRailer 17 certificate):

**The MEWP basket shall NOT be occupied by any person during on or off-tracking, or travel.**

The wording is clear and we will take very dim view of anyone who decides to undertake this practice, which if discovered will result in an internal investigation and disciplinary action.

Please familiarise yourself with the contents of the Engineering Acceptance Certificate as it details the RRVs Limitations of Use which may prevent similar acts taking place in the future.

Due to the seriousness of this issue, please acknowledge this Safety Brief by returning the tear of slip below to your Manager. Non-returns will be pursued with individuals for consistency of record keeping.

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