

BEST PRACTICE

LOCATION: **ARTICLE YEAR:** 2009
ACTIVITY: Access & Egress & Working at Height **COMPANY:** Tarmac
SUB ACTIVITY: N/A **COMPANY LOCATION:** Sunderland Concrete Depot, Tyne and Wear
BEST PRACTICE No: BP678 **COMPANY TEL:** 07843 069854

TITLE

Anti-slip walkway around trucks

ARTICLE

The increased risk of a person slipping due to standing water around the mixer truck loading area was identified as a potential problem at concrete plants.

Although channels are in place to drain water from the area, ice can form in winter months as water takes time to drain away.

At a district SHE meeting, •Rocbinda•, a non-slip material which was being used on walkways, was discussed.

During August 2008, the product was trialled in the mixer truck loading area and it went on to withstand a particularly harsh winter.

There were no complaints or reported incidents of slips and •Rocbinda• has now been laid around the mixer truck loading area at other concrete plants.

ARTICLE IMAGES

