Lihou Tractor and Implements - Risk Assessment



What is the risk	Who Might be Harmed and How	Level of Risk	Control Measures Implemented	Remaining Risk After Controls
Injury or death by crushing	Operator and all those around the vehicle	High	 The tractor is to be operated ONLY by the warden or a nominated experienced tractor driver No persons allowed to load or unload the transport link box whilst the tractor is running No persons should walk directly behind or in front of the tractor due to the restricted visibility caused by any attached implements No persons under the age of 18 are permitted to travel in the link box or on any trailer being tow by or attached to the tractor When the tractor is moving all persons should remain at least 20 metres from it or any appliance attached to it and ensure the operator has seen them and acknowledge their presence before approaching 	Medium
Falls from any trailers that may periodically be used to transport equipment and supplies	The operator and all those either on the trailer or around the trailer	Medium	 Persons loading and unloading the trailer are to do so under the direct supervision of a responsible adult The tractor must be stopped with the handbrake on whilst all loading and unloading takes place When the trailer is loaded and moving all persons must be a minimum of 20 metres away 	Low
Injury caused by hydraulic failure	All persons close at hand	Medium	 No persons should be within 30 metres of the tractor or trailer whilst any of the hydraulics are being operated. These include the front loader, trailer or any other implement attached to the tractor No persons other than the operator must be close by when the trailer is being tipped When the trailer is being tipped the rear window of the tractor should be closed 	Low

- The risk assessment is a general risk assessment for Lihou Island. It is not exhaustive and should be used in conjunction with a risk assessment written by the user group, making note of any special needs or issues that are specific to that group.
- For further information or to comment, please contact the warden.