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## A Holistic Look at Light Vehicle Heavy Vehicle Separation

## Heavy Vehicle + Light Vehicle

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## Consequence



## Holistic Approach Required

## Hierarchy Of Control

## The Following Control Options Shall Be Considered And May Be Applied Individually Or In Combination

| ELIMINATION | Complete removal of the hazard | Most Effective |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SUBSTITUTION | Replacing the material or process with a less hazardous one |  |
| ENGINEERING | Redesign the equipment or process |  |
| ISOLATION | Separation of the hazard by guarding or enclosing it |  |
| ADMINISTRATION | Providing controls such as training or procedures |  |
| PPE | Use of PPE where no other controls are not practical |  |



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| Case for Change | Numerous fatalities and near misses in the mining industry involving HV and LV interaction In Australian Mining (AM) since Dec 08, there has been 1 near miss every week Behavioural issues are a major contributing factor - need for Elimination and Substitution (Hierarchy of Control) |  |  |  |  |
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| Vision | Eliminate LVs and HVs coming into contact or near miss situations in the mine environment |  |  |  |  |
| Mandatory Standards | No Overtaking of Rubber Tyred Moving Equipment on any mine road (excludes graders with GET engaged and loaded low loaders where Positive Communication has been made and high visibility overtaking area) <br> All Roads, Intersections, Go-Lines will be designed, constructed and approved as per AM -HS-PR-0832 i.e. width, camber, grade, line of sight <br> Restricted number and higher standard LV licences for accessing all active areas (Pit Licence) <br> Only 1 member of the Site Leadership Team to have a Pit Licence to access active areas <br> Fit for Purpose Vehicles only to access active areas - Collision Avoidance or Proximity Detection on HV's (Specifically Trucks, Loaders and Dozers) and LV's, pit configured, not road registered, DO NOT leave site <br> All vehicles will be parked in a Fundamentally Stable Position <br> Use of Web Cam technology and established "Viewing Stations", to remove need to enter circuits <br> A Change Management process to ensure no further hazards are introduced |  |  |  |  |
| Specific Standards | Active Area | Intent | Preferred Standard <br> $-\quad$ Alternate Separate Routes <br> $-\quad$ Suitable Median Bund | Minimum Standard in conjunction with Mandatory Standards above |  |
|  | Haulroad | Eliminate need for LVs to travel on the same route as HVs |  |  |  |
|  | Intersections | Eliminate the need for LV and HV traffic to cross | Alternate Separate Routes <br> Designed and Constructed with less than 9 conflict points <br> - $\quad$ Line of Sight distance $>100 \mathrm{~m}$ |  | Controlled by Stop Signs; Give Way signs are not acceptable <br> Road Furniture to designate an intersection i.e. green reflectors, barrels, etc |
|  | Ramps, Dumps and Faces | Eliminate the need for LVs to access active ramps, faces and dumps | - Alternate Separate Routes <br> - Alternative Viewing Station <br> - Suitable Median Bund |  |  |
|  | Go-Lines and Eliminate the need for LVs to <br> access the HV area in <br> Workshops and Designated <br> Go-Lines |  | No LVs on Go-Line <br> HV and LV separated by physical barriers and appropriate signage |  | Servicing of HVs on Go-Line, require positive isolation of all HVs <br> Workshop to designate LV parking areas. <br> Traffic Management Plan for all Workshop Areas |
| Indicators of Success | - No near misses between HVs and LVs reduced vehicles onsite, reduced operating costs and reduced accident damage <br> - Increased engagement and interaction between engineering, operational and functional staff <br> - Heightened ownership and accountability of the Active Areas by the supervisor level <br> Better Planning and Communication at Prestarts and Production Meetings |  |  |  |  |



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## Reducing CONFLICT points

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## Example Treatments

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## Intersections

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Opportunity NOT obstacle
»If this was easy why have we not already done it?
»lt is a STEP CHANGE - necessary to be provocative, challenging and organic
»This is not GOING AWAY - here for the long haul
»Find a way to 'Make it Work' on your Job

## Tarong Meandu Mine - Location

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## The Journey



## Product

» Produces a single domestic thermal coal product » 5 Mtpa for 2008/2009
» $100 \%$ of product to Tarong Power Station


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## Separation

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## Elimination

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## Man on the moon type targets



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