



SAND SLIDES OVER THE WORKMAN FROM LORRY



Date Of Incident: March 2010

Location : Chennai

Description of the accident:

Three workmen were died under sand in a brick industry. A lorry driver while unloading a material near a slope loss his vehicle balance and drop all the sand along with the lorry toggled over the temporary hut near to that. As the accident happened at 12.30 am, the people who slept inside were buried underneath of the sand.

No. of persons Injured:

Three died on the spot and one injured very seriously.

Potential Root Cause:

Unauthorized huts inside the brick work industry without proper safety arrangements.

No spotters to guide the driver.

Driver may lost his control due to asleep during night hours.

Lessons Learnt:

Avoiding such type of huts inside the industry premises will avoid such mishaps in future.

If so suitable precautionary measures needs to be implemented.

SEED express its deepest condolence and pray the god to look after the families of the died worker.



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