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SAFETY ALERT 13-2025

REPORTING A DANGEROUS SITUATION/EVENT FROM WHICH WE CAN LEARN

GENERAL INFORMATION	
COMPANY NAME	BMN
LOCATION/ESTABLISHMENT	BMN Heemstede
DATE	December 2025

DESCRIPTION OF THE SITUATION(S)/EVENTS

During work in the warehouse, an employee got his leg trapped under a forklift truck driving away. Prior to the incident, the employee and the forklift driver were in contact to discuss something. When the employee walked away, the driver assumed that he had left the unsafe zone. When driving away, the employee was hit, causing the employee to fall, resulting in the employee's lower leg getting stuck under the forklift. The result is a severe bruise of the lower leg.

This incident again emphasizes the importance of being alert and adhering to safety rules in the vicinity of forklifts and other internal means of transport.

RELEVANT PHOTOS OF THE SITUATION(S)/EVENT







WHAT MEASURES CAN WE TAKE TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE OF THIS INCIDENT?

- Regularly discuss the risks of working with a forklift.
- Keep a distance of 2 meters and make eye contact
- Keep thinking carefully about your own safety, even when doing work that you have done many times
- Always report an unsafe situation (if possible via the Compass app) and take immediate measures.
- Check whether this situation also occurs in your location and, if necessary, take measures to ensure safety

Ask these three questions:

- 1. Can this accident be prevented at our location?
- 2. What systems are in place to prevent this type of accident at our site?
- 3. Are these systems actually applied?



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