

**Trucker Safety**  
**Fall Protection and Prevention FAQ**

**When is a driver required to use fall protection?**

- Fall protection/prevention is required when a driver is exposed to a fall hazard of 48” or more. This includes any truck, trailer, or flat bed.

**Can I get on my load to pull tarps or strap down?**

- **No** - Standing on top of a load is prohibited at all times!

**Can I get into the back of my trailer (van, conestoga, side kit) to strap down my load?**

- **No** – you will need to back into a dock to access the rear of your trailer.

**Who should I call if I have questions regarding fall protection equipment or requirements?**

- Notify your department contact or call Plant Protection at 4336.

**Can I operate Alcoa cranes/mobile equipment?**

- **No** - drivers are not allowed to operate Alcoa-owned cranes or mobile equipment.

**Can I use a cell phone while driving my truck on plant property?**

- **No** – cell phone use is prohibited while operating your vehicle

**Do I have to wear my seat belt and drive with my headlights on while driving on plant site?**

- Yes – Seat belts must be worn and headlights must be on at all times while on plant property.