



TRANSPORTING PESTICIDES AND OTHER CHEMICALS

Pesticides or other chemicals should never be kept in a vehicle for long periods of time – maximum time would be a 24 hour period.

Never carry pesticides or other chemicals in the cab of tractors or any other vehicles. Use a vehicle with a floor to ceiling bulkhead if possible, between the driver/passenger compartment and the load compartment.

All chemicals must be strapped or secure somehow during transit. It is highly recommended to fit secure containers/cabinets to the vehicle, either inside, or securely mounted to the outside or on a trailer. Chemical safes must be sturdy, lockable and fixed down to the vehicle. Ventilation is not necessary.

When away from your fixed store, pesticides must always be secure against unauthorised access. Park your mobile store away from any location where water pollution could occur. Try to work within sight of your mobile store, especially in public areas. Always ensure the cabinet or vehicle is locked.

It is essential that the driver has access on the vehicle to PPE, spillage kit, first aid including eye wash, and also spare impermeable sealable containers in which to place split containers and any other contaminated material.

