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 These guidance note emphasise the need fo their employees are pr time they get behind th

Guidance Note: Driv

- 1.1 Recent court ca or those who I vehicles to ens only the mainte who drive on c the vehicles the in place.
- 1.2 A 2008 addition of an offence uperson by drivir is driving, the other in accord ...using a motthird party risk
- 1.3 So this offence was not insured when a child ra apply where 'bu would not have
- 1.4 Furthermore, th uninsured. An e employee that administrative e similar to coun vehicle and be own, he will ha sentence.
- 1.5 The fact that the good faith is not
- 1.6 The penalties f years imprisonn and a discretion
- 1.7 Tougher senter
 Health and Safe
 and Hygiene o
 levied will be b
 and the size an
 cases the Court
 out of business
 consequence of
- 1.8 If the Court find connivance or r

for transport managers to lecessary steps to ensure that ng a dangerous gamble every hicle.

need for Transport Managers company owned or managed edures in place to check not vehicles, but that employees the correct type of licence for o that valid insurance cover is

states that: "A person is guilty causes the death of another oad and, at the time when he that he is...driving otherwise driving while disqualified, or ursecured against

o was driving safely, but who or the wrong type of licence, killed by him. The offence will being on the road the person

to be knowingly driving while a Transport Manager telling an company vehicle, only for an enew their insurance policy or e was to drive the company on, albeit due to no fault of his ce and be at risk of a prison

d the employee were acting in

haximum sentence of up to 2 disqualification for 12 months a re-test.

roduced in February 2016 for lanslaughter and Food Safety delines the size of any fines the incident, why it occurred, company. In the most serious es that would put the offender ems that this is an acceptable ence.

pany to be guilty of "consent, ith the most serious offences,

they can potent sentence up to

unlimited fine or even a prison

1.9 It is essential th

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- 1.9.2 Whe busing their take
- 1.9.3 Chece emp mon accu Rem year card not lead one.

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r insurance policies are valid e undertaken or loads to be

he following:

r own vehicles for company cks are made to ensure that rs business use. You should for your records.

of the driving licences all company business every six endorsements they may have ffect the insurance cover. riving licences expire after 10 cked. If an employees' photo hould be treated as if he does and must not be permitted to intil he is possession of a new

2. The importance of Risk

- 2.1 Your company and Health and
- 2.2 You would not r you send out a delivery drivers the shop/site/ya as possible, but in the most awl road or making traffic.
- 2.3 However a red delivery method get into the site on the road, clo white lines. Eve van driver collid subsequently c jailed.
- 2.4 You will need to where they stop you should also who should coparking/loading
- 2.5 Something else drivers out is w them falling fro significant num

vering goods/materials.

by both the Road Traffic Act

o do a Risk Assessment when oods. It is often very hard for lace to stop to unload outside k as close to their destination delivery vans or lorries parked ing pedestrians to walk in the sinto the face of oncoming

nould make you rethink your ilding materials was unable to ocking his way so he stopped carriageway road with double s hazard warning lights on, a as killed. The lorry driver was th by dangerous driving and

drivers to assess the risks of esent a hazard to others. But le notice of your sales teams, o try to arrange for suitable

Ily think of when sending your re specifically the likelihood of ed of the delivery vehicle. A ry year to delivery personnel



who fall from the only fall a few being prosecute

- 2.6 There are a nu stop these accident
- 2.7 You could fit gaprevent access falling off.
- 2.8 On a flatbed low would allow the prevent him from

ding, and although they may injured, and companies are is.

easures you can take to help

tailgate hoist. These will not but will stop the user from

to use a floating lanyard. This length of the lorry but would edges.