

# AMBOY LOGGING LTD SAFETY ALERT

## NEAR MISS

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### **ALWAYS CALL KILOMETRES WHILE ON CONTROLLED ROADS.**

A pickup was travelling on a controlled road towards the job site. Suddenly it was confronted by a loaded log truck on the road coming towards it. The pickup had to swerve into the ditch/bush.

Neither the log truck driver nor the driver of the pickup were calling their kilometres. The weather conditions were less than ideal. It was raining and the clay ground was very slippery.

Luckily, no injury or damage occurred, but the incident could have resulted in serious injuries.

### **SAFE WORK PROCEDURES:**

Always call your kilometres when driving on a controlled road. Both drivers should have adjusted their speed and awareness to compensate for the weather conditions. The driver of the pickup should be noting wider areas of the road where he can pull over to let the logging trucks by.