

HAZARD ALERT

RISK MANAGEMENT SECTION



Department of Environment and Conservation

Date: 08/02/2011

Alert No: 17

Source:

Internal

External

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Identified Hazard:

Risk Rating:

Low

Moderate

High

Significant

Nature of Incident:

Injury Property Damage Near-hit

Other:

Description of Incident:

An aerosol can left on the dashboard of a vehicle in the heat, exploded.

The bit of glass missing from the windscreen was picked up 15 metres away from the car and the metal dashboard was dented from the force.

Incident Time and Date:

February

Equipment Involved:

Aerosol can

Recommendations:

Please be mindful of leaving aerosol cans and objects in the car when in the heat

