## **HAND SIGNALS**

### For Guiding Heavy Equipment Operators



#### Signaller/Spotter Tips

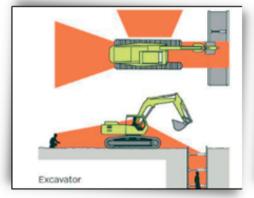
- Stand in full view of the operator
- Communicate with the operator using mutually agreed upon signals
- Have a full view of the intended path of travel
- Keep clear of the intended path of travel
- Wear high visibility clothing

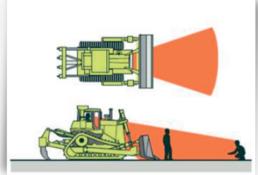
#### **Operator Tips**

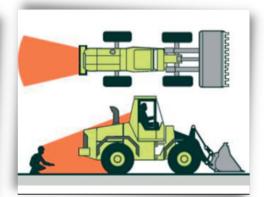
- Ensure horns, mirrors, alarms, lights, and other safety equipment is functioning properly
- Stop equipment when a signaller/spotter, worker or anyone else disappears from view
- Always obey the signals



# Operators <u>MUST</u> use signals when vision is obstructed







#### **Legislated Requirements**

Occupational Health and Safety Act , General Regulations, Section 33.8 (1)(2)

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To report a serious workplace injury, call the 24/7 Occupational Health and Safety Emergency Line at 902-628-7513