

Road Safety Management in private and public companies in Demark

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Objectives:

- Improve Road Safety at work (and from home, commuting): spill-over effect
- Companies as communication platforms for road safety messages



Target group

Large Danish companies and companies with large fleets



Background

- Traffic collisions account for almost 30% of incidents at work resulting in death across the EU
- 1.400 work related road incidents in Denmark
- ETSC 3 years of experience with work related road safety
- Massive positive results from foreign companies related both to the economic and the CSR perspective (B.T., Shell, ESB)
- Danish network of experienced companies



Strategy

- Reach the large companies with large fleets and many employees
- Reach the employees as private persons as well (knock on effect)
- Combine the business (economic) and the CSR perspective
- Move the ownership of Road Safety Management to Top Management



Benefits

- A reduction in fatalities and injured and in material damages
- Reduction in costs of damages
- Reduction in fuel consumption and in CO2 emissions
- Reduction in maintenance costs
- Reduction in days lost through sickness and stress
- Lower turnover of employees
- Improving image of the company



Dealing with Road Safety

- Establishing a Road Safety Policy for the company
- Drunk Driving
- Speed
- Use of seatbelts
- Distractors, e.g. use of smartphones etc.
- Fatigue
- Interventions



Research among larger Danish companies

- Generally positive approach regarding Road Safety Management
- Primarily focus on damages, insurance costs and fuel consumption
- Logistic manager is the road safety champion in the company
- Basis for collaboration with the companies



A strategic approach

- Define benefits regarding business and CSR
- Help to define Key Performance Indicators
- Development of Road Safety Policy
- Development of key elements in action plan



- Risk Assessment of employees online and/or in cars
- Driver training activities
- Safe Technologies
- Communication activities
- Participation in network of companies working with Road Safety Management (online/Help Desk)



Thank you for your attention!