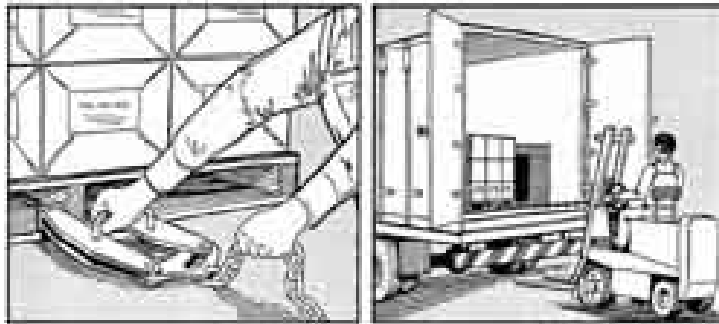


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A forklift truck shall not be used for any pulling e.g. pulling pallets with pallet pullers or any other method.

In addition, Australian Standards AS2359 part 2 'Model Operating Procedures', 3.32 (General Rules of Operation), clause (l) states: "A truck shall not be used for any purpose for which it is not designed or equipped."



*Illustration 1.*

### ⚠ WARNING

The use of pulling attachments attached to the forks, fork carriage or mast, commonly referred to as pallet puller as shown in *illustration 1* **is not allowed** for the following reasons;



1. Could result in serious injury or in worst case could cause a fatality, if rope/chain broke or pulling attachment failed or become dislodged.
2. Forklifts are not designed for pulling or dragging loads with the front end/mast assembly.
3. Use of this type of attachment can cause damage to the carriage or other front end/mast components.
4. Use of this type of attachment can cause the forklift to become unstable and tip over.

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