SHIFT BRIEFING

Winter driving on the airside

Whether you're driving airside or on your way to work, it's important to drive slower during the winter. Here are some winter driving tips that will help keep you safe:

- Avoid fishtailing when driving strings of carts or dollies.
- Reduce the amount of dollies/carts according to conditions.
- Avoid driving airside during low visibility when able.
- Leave extra space between you and other vehicles or equipment.
- Brake and accelerate slowly. Remember, heavy loads require a longer distance to stop.
- Avoid distractions.
- When towing, only accelerate to driving speeds when all items in the tow are straightened out to follow the tractor pulling them.

Be mindful of where you park your vehicle or equipment. Snow cleaning equipment needs to be able to access gates and the maneuvering area to keep the apron clear. Give them priority and right of way when you see they are pushing or treating snow/ice.

Keeping situation awareness and using defensive driving skills are critical when there are challenging visual conditions.

Review the airside safety shift briefings on torontopearson.com/SafetyStop.

