

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONS

PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

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TO ALL DEALERS:

WARNING!!!! WARNING!!!! WARNING!!!!

<u>COMPLIANCE AUDITS ARE ONGOING STATEWIDE IN REFERENCE TO FILLING OUT- OF-DATE</u>

<u>CYLINDERS, NOT USING SCALES WHEN FILLING CYLINDERS AND OTHER COMMISSION RULES</u>

<u>AND REGULATIONS.</u>

STATE
POLICE –
Transportation
and
Environmental
Safety Section
- SPECIAL
NOTICE!!!

Please notify LA State Police HazMat Hotline, as a courtesy, prior to flaring any L. P. Gas tanks. Toll free number is 1-877-925-6595.

CETP & CONTINUING EDUCATION NOTICE!!!

TO MAINTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY IN LOUISIANA, MANDATORY TRAINING REQUIREMENTS MUST BE FULFILLED. EFFECTIVE AUGUST 31, 2009, ALL APPLICABLE EMPLOYEES THAT ARE NOT EXEMPT AND HAVE NOT COMPLETED CETP TRAINING WILL NOT BE ABLE TO RENEW THEIR CARDS OF COMPETENCY. PLEASE REFER TO LAC 55:IX.107 (8) (C) FOR MORE DETAILS. IF YOU HAVE ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS, CONTACT YOUR INSPECTOR.

SPECIAL NOTICE!!! SPECIAL NOTICE!!! SPECIAL NOTICE!!!

AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 2016, THERE WAS AN AMENDMENT TO THE L.P. GAS

COMMISSION RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL PROPANE PERMIT HOLDERS.

PROPANE PERMIT HOLDERS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY NO LESS THAN \$150.00. CLASS

6X - YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT A LIST OF ALL LOCATIONS WITH COMPLETE

ADDRESSES AND STORE NUMBERS ALONG WITH YOUR PERMIT RENEWAL. THE

PERMIT RENEWAL IS \$150.00 FOR EACH LOCATION

CLASSES 1, 4, AND 6 PERMIT HOLDERS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY THE MARKET

DEVELOPMENT ASSESSMENT. PLEASE SEE YOUR RENEWAL FORMS FOR INSTRUCTIONS.

AS A REMINDER TO ALL NEW APPLICANTS AND SUPPLIERS, Application requests shall be ADMINSTRATIVELY GRANTED by the office of the Director upon completion of ALL Commission requirements as set forth in the Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 55, and the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Requirements vary by permit class but include submission of a formal application, permit fee, filing fee, certificate of insurance on approved proprietary form, and may include employee certification, sketch of installations, and/or inspections of transport vehicles. Under the authority of the Director, the applicant may engage in the specified L.P. Gas business immediately as a licensed permit holder with the Commission. The application process is finalized by the Commission ratifying the permit at their first subsequent meeting after the applicant has completed all necessary requirements.

****<u>REMINDER</u>**** <u>TRAINING AVAILABLE</u>****<u>REMINDER</u>****

**TRAINING ON HOW TO PROPERLY CONDUCT LEAK CHECKS AS WELL AS ANY OTHER SAFETY TRAINING THAT MAY BE NEEDED CAN BE DONE BY ANY INSPECTOR. CONTACT THE INSPECTOR FOR YOUR AREA TO HELP WITH ANY TRAINING.

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission scheduled regular meeting for Thursday, September 27, 2018 at 7919 Independence Blvd. Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Mr. Henry D Smith, with the following members present:

Mr. Ira Cleveland, Vice-Chairman, Mr. Dominique Monlezun, Commissioner, Mr. James Hopson, Commissioner; also present, John W. Alario, Executive Director, and Attorney Melinda Long.

VIOLATIONS

Love's Travel Plaza #237, P.O. Box 26210 ATTN: Licensing, Oklahoma City, OK 73126 Docket#180054

- 1. Did allow Ronnie Strange to fill an out-of-date DOT cylinder (Serial #1/2003); thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (E) (8).
- 2. Did allow Ronnie Strange to fill an out-of-date DOT cylinder (Serial #H2860709); without the use of scales; thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (E) (7).
- 3. Did allow, Ronnie Strange, to fill a DOT cylinders without a card of competency; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (C) (1) (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty upon rendering evidence and testimony, and assessed a penalty of \$1500.00.

Sterling Transport Co Inc., P.O. Box 456 ATTN: Chris Conrad, Lakeview, NC 28350 Docket#180055

1. Did allow Leo Orpag (Trailer #91290) to serve a Liquefied Petroleum Gas System that was improperly installed, and in a dangerous condition; thus violating LAC 55:IX.139 (A). **Continued until**

October 2018.

Aherens Brothers Transport Inc., P.O. Box 178 ATTN: Amy Hodges, Brenham, TX 77834 Docket#180056

- 1. Did fail to register Transport Truck (#1003); thus violating LAC 55:IX.166 (A).
- 2. Did fail to maintain trailer (#1003) in good condition; thus violating LAC 55:IX.169 (B). **Continued until**

October 2018.

APPLICATIONS

The following applicant for a Name Change was heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission

Corner Store #387 (Class 6X)	
Change To:	
Corner Store 647 Belle Terre Blvd. LaPlace, LA 44711	

The following applicant for a Class 4 Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission

Daigle Welding Supply 1706 West Landry ATTN: Ciji Thibodeaux	
Opelousas, LA 70570	

The following applicants for a Class 6 Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission

5401 Virginia Way ATTN: Licensing	Parkside Grocery 9421 Hwy 165 ATTN: Jay Gosain Woodworth, LA 71485
29521 Walker South Rd. ATTN: Kathy Hebert	E & S Quickstop LLC 7610 Highway 26 ATTN: Stacy Lovejoy Oberlin, LA 70655

The following applicants for a Class 6X Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Wag-APak XII	Murphy Oil USA #8808
22020 Hwy 20	510 West Lee Drive
Vacherie, LA 70090	Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Juban Chervon	Spearsville General Store of Union
27750 Juban Road	1385 Hwy 15
Denham Springs, LA 70726	Spearsville, LA 71277
Countryside Exxon LLC	Haughton Country Store
7980 Barksdale Blvd.	9011 Hwy 157
Bossier City, LA 71112	Haughton, LA 71037
Tony's Stop #2	Food Junction
213 Hwy 167	962 Hwy 174
Bernice, LA 71222	Coushatta, LA 71019
R & E Jefferson LLC	Deli 2 Go
6492 Jefferson Hwy.	1295 Hwy 397
Harahan, LA 70123	Lake Charles, LA 70615
Super Discount Gas	Brooks General Store
2727 S. Claiborne Ave.	36365 Hwy 38
New Orleans, LA 70125	Mount Hermon, LA 70450
Crapanzano Brothers Inc.	Dryades Public Market
3875 Hwy 190 West	1307 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd.
Hammond, LA 70401	New Orleans, LA 70113
Delhi Express	Fifty Nine Shell
317 Main Street	68090 Hwy 59
Delhi, LA 71232	Mandeville, LA 70471

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Sunnyhill Petro Plus	Hwy 59 Quick Stop
24609 Hwy 440	2195 Hwy 59
Kentwood, LA 70444	Mandeville, LA 70471
Excel Mart #12	Smoker's Paradise
3722 Front Street	1605 Hwy 80 E
Winnsboro, LA 71295	Monroe, LA 71203
Shah's Kwik Stop	County Valley
1734 N. University	2939 Hwy 182
Lafayette, LA 70507	Sunset, LA 70584
Cajun Corner	Jennings Truck stop
24395 Hwy 190 East	1919 Evangeline Road
Krotz, LA 70750	Jennings, LA 70546
Phillips Road Food Mart	East Main Street Food Mart
105 Phillips Road	200 East Main Street
Westlake, LA 70669	Ville Platte, LA 70586
Save & Go	Kajeunes Food Mart
4452 Ryan St.	2979 South Union
Lake Charles, LA 70605	Opelousas, LA 70570
Quick Mart #1 118 East Jim Pickens Sulphur, LA 70663	Oberlin Building Supplies 408 3 rd Street Oberlin, LA 70655

September 2018 FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

RELATED:

THERE WERE NO RELATED FIRES TO REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2018.

UNRELATED:

FIRE: Southern LP Gas, Jonesville, reported a fire that destroyed the residence of Lettie Osfeen, Jonesville, LA. Cause of fire reported as electrical. No injuries or product loss reported. FIRE: O'Nealgas, Homer, reported a fire that destroyed the residence of Lonnie Randall, Homer, LA. Cause of fire reported as undetermined. No injuries or product loss reported.

September 2018

CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

THERE WERE NO COMDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS TO REPORT

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday October 24, 2018 at 7919 Independence Blvd, 2nd Floor Conference Room, Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting is for

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VIOLATIONS

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Aherens Brothers Transport Inc., P.O. Box 178 ATTN: Amy Hodges, Brenham, TX 77834 Docket#180056

- 1. Did fail to register Transport Truck (#1003); thus violating LAC 55:IX.166 (A).
- 2. Did fail to maintain trailer (#1003) in good condition; thus violating LAC 55:IX.169 (B).

Acord Transportation Inc., P.O. Box 492 ATTN: Dusty Stagg, Chandler, OK 74834 Docket#180057

1. Did fail to register Transport Truck (#7112); thus violating LAC 55:IX.166 (A).

Martin Transport Inc., P.O. Box 191 ATTN: JR Sheridan, Kilgore, TX 75663 Docket#180058

1. Did fail to register Transport Truck (#2135); thus violating LAC 55:IX.166 (A).

Sterling Transport Co. Inc., P.O. Box 456 ATTN: Chris Conrad, Lakeview, NC 28350 Docket#180059

1. Did deliver to or receive LP Gas from improperly installed bulk storage plant located at Sharc Processing LLC, 15160 Intercoastal Rd. New Orleans, LA. A total of 253 transport shipments were made between April and August 2018; thus violating LAC 55: IX.139 (A).

Herring Gas Co. Inc., P.O. Box 667 ATTN: Dennis Walker, Meanville, MS 39653 Docket#180060

- 1. Did allow, Mike Griffith, to fill an ASME container (#23501) with improper piping; thus violating LAC 55: IX 172 (A).
 - 2. Did allow, Mike Griffith, to fill an ASME container (#23501) with improper container support; thus violating
- LAC 55: IX 172 (A).
- 3. Did allow, Mike Griffith, to fill an ASME container (#23501) without proper distance; thus violating LAC 55: IX 172 (A).

Roy Grocery, 1200 Oak Park Blyd, ATTN: Yo Chinh, Lake Charles, LA 70601 Docket#180061

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Sandylake Xpress, 1101 Fourth St. ATTN: Ashley Wiley, Jonesville, LA 71343 Docket#180062

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X)

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permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Ranch Outlet LLC, 3324 Evangeline Thruway. ATTN: Lindsey Richard, Lafayette, LA 70507 Docket#180063

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

F & A of Bunkie LLC, 516 Southwest Main Street. ATTN: Ahmed Gulzar, Bunkie, LA 71322 Docket#180064

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Red River South Handi Mart, 7980 Barksdale Blvd. ATTN: Amanda Dillard, Bossier City, LA 71112 Docket#180065

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Southern Propane Inc, 901 Strang, ATTN: Bryan Willingham, Laporte, TX 77571 Docket#180066

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 2) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Peak Velocity Inc., 7019 Old Fayetteville Rd. ATTN: Kirby Johnson, Garland, SC 28441 Docket#180067

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 7) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Oak Super Discount Inc., 8539 Oak St. ATTN: Raed Abdelkader, Harvey, LA 70058 Docket#180068

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

More for Less #25, 3324 3610 E. Napoleon St. ATTN: Rafiq Maredia, Sulphur, LA 70663 Docket#180069

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Thunder Bayou Store LLC, 11191 River Highland Dr. ATTN: John Ross, St. Amant, LA 70774 Docket#180070

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

T & T Texaco, 101 South Service Road, ATTN: TJ Cranford, Ruston, LA 71270 Docket#180071

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Lakeview Market, P.O. Box 21791. ATTN: Javed Ali, Longview, LA 70652 Docket#180072

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

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Hole In the wall Seafood, 18651 Hwy 16. ATTN: Jacob David, Port Vincent, LA 70726 Docket#180073

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Gas Check, 617 N. Thomson Ave. ATTN: Nashreen Zia, Iowa, LA 70647 Docket#180074

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Fuel Plus Too Inc., 20886 Hwy. 176 N. ATTN: Frank Grimes, Dry Prong, LA 71423 Docket#180075

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Belle Chasse Express, 7812 Hwy 23. ATTN: Jadallah Zaben, Belle Chasse, LA 70037 Docket#180076

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Bayou Adventure, 27725 Main St. ATTN: Shannon Bordelon, LaCombe, LA 70445 Docket#180077

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Bar L Feed & Farm Supply, 600 Topsy Rd. ATTN: Paul Lambert, Lake Charles, LA 70611 Docket#180078

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Ama Foodmart, 10569 River Rd. ATTN: Alah Nassar, Ama, LA 70031 Docket#180079

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

A & N Mini Mart, 1939 Hwy 135. ATTN: Wanda Poland, Winnsboro, LA 71295 Docket#180080

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

<u>Limarco Logistic LLC, 5701 Woodway Drive, Ste.102. ATTN: Stewart Black, Houston, TX 77057 Docket#180081</u>

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 7) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Gemini Motor Transport LP, P.O. Box 2610. ATTN: Andy Lash, Oklahome, OK 73126 Docket#180082

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 7) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Midstream Transportation Company LLC, P.O. Box 1715. ATTN: Lisa McAdams, Center, TX 75935 Docket#180083

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class 6X) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

APPLICATIONS

The following applicants have applied for a Class 2 Permit, were administratively granted and are to be ratified by the Commission:

Louisiana Power Sports	Laws Plumbing LLC
3715 Benton Rd. ATTN: Richard Farmer	P.O. Box 188 ATTN: Chris Laws
Bossier City, LA 71111	Keatchie, LA 71046

The following applicants have applied for a Class 6 Permit, were administratively granted and are to be ratified by the Commission:

5401 Virginia Way ATTN: Licensing	Sattler Supply Co. P.O. Box 832 ATTN: Brandon Sattler Eunice, LA 70535
R & L Food Mart 4600 Moss St. ATTN: Laurie Hebert Lafayette, LA 70507	

The following applicants have applied for a Class 6X Permit, were administratively granted and are to be ratified by the Commission:

Gregory's express Mart LLC	GPM Southeast LLC
1495 Hwy 490	8565 Magellan Pkwy
Chopin, LA 71447	Richmond, VA 23227

NOTICE: ALL APPLICANTS FOR NEW PERMITS MUST HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE (OWNER, MANAGER OR OFFICER) AT THE MEETING. THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS ARE CLASS 6-X, R-1 & R-2 REGISTRATIONS AND NAME CHANGES FOR SUCH.

BY ORDER OF THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS COMMISSION

JOHN W. ALARIO, DIRECTOR

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