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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORI

PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

BOBBY JINDAL GOVERNOR

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TO ALL DEALERS:

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

COMPLIANCE AUDITS ARE ONGOING STATEWIDE IN REFERENCE TO FILLING OUT- OF-DATE CYLINDERS, NOT USING SCALES WHEN FILLING C

STATE POLICE - Transportation and Environmental Safety Section

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 APPLICABLE EMPLOYEES THAT ARE NOT EXEMPT AND HAVE NOT COMPLETED CETP TRAINING WILL NOT BE ABLE TO RENEW THEIR CARDS OF CC 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 HOLDERS. PROPANE PERMIT HOLDERS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY NO LESS THAN \$150.00. CLASS 6X - YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SI LOCATIONS WITH COMPLETE ADDRESSES AND STORE NUMBERS ALONG WITH YOUR PERMIT RENEWAL. THE PERMIT REN EACH LOCATION

CLASSES 1, 4, AND 6 PERMIT HOLDERS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY THE MARKET DEVELOPMENT ASSESSMENT. PLEASE SEE YOU FOR INSTRUCTIONS.

AS A REMINDER TO ALL NEW APPLICANTS AND SUPPLIERS, Application requests shall be ADMINSTRATIVELY GRANTED by the office of the Director upon cor 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 inch application, permit fee, filing fee, certificate of insurance on approved proprietary form, and may include employee certification, sketch of installations, and/or inspections of 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 i Commission ratifying the permit at their first subsequent meeting after the applicant has completed all necessary requirements.

****REMINDER**** TRAINING AVAILABLE****REMINDER****

**TRAINING ON HOW TO PROPERLY CONDUCT LEAK CHECKS AS WELL AS ANY OTHER SAFETY TRAINING THAT MAY BE NEEDED CAN BE DONE 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 call 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, Major Ma Melinda Long.

VIOLATIONS

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 I guilty and assessed a penalty of \$15000.00; suspended \$10,000 provided there are no further violations for one year.

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). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$300.00; Suspended penalty reviolations for 6 months.

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). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$300.00; Suspended penalty provided t for 6 months.

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). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$300.00; Suspended penalty provided t for 6 months.

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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 tot 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). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$250.00

2. Did allow, Mike Griffith, to fill an ASME container (#23501) with improper container support; thus violating

LAC 55: IX 172 (A). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$250.00

3. Did allow, Mike Griffith, to fill an ASME container (#23501) without proper distance; thus violating

LAC 55: IX 172 (A). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$250.00

Roy Grocery, 1200 Oak Park Blvd. 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. Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.

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) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Commission accepted guilty plea by waiver and payment of \$\\$

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. <u>Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.</u>

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. Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.

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. Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00.

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. <u>Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.</u>

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. <u>Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.</u>

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. <u>Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.</u>

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. Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00.

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. <u>Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00</u>.

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. Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.

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. <u>Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.</u>

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. Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00.

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. Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00.

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. Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00.

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. Commission accepted guilty plea by waiver and payment of \$\\$

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. Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00.

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. <u>Commission accepted Out-of-business and dismissed charge.</u>

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

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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>Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$350.00</u>.

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

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

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

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APPLICATIONS

The following applicant for a Class 2 Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission

P.O. Box 188 ATTN: Chris Laws Keatchie, LA 71046		
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The following applicants for a Class 6 Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission

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

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

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October 2018 FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

RELATED:

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

UNRELATED:

FIRE: Herring Gas Co. Inc., Winnsboro, reported a fire that destroyed the residence of Steve Williams, Winnsboro, LA. Cause of fire reported as a grease f loss reported.

FIRE: O'Nealgas Inc., Choudront, reported a fire that destroyed the residence of Robert Craft, Dubach, LA. Cause of fire reported as undetermined. No inj reported.

CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday November 28, 2018, at 7919 Independence Blvd, Conference Room Rouge, LA. The meeting is for routine business transpiring during the month and will be continued at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, November 29 at 7919 Conference Room 3000, 3rd Floor, Baton Rouge, LA. Thursday morning, violations will be heard and applications for permits will be considered.

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APPLICATIONS

The following applicants have applied for a Class 1 Permit, were administratively granted and are to be ratified by the Commission:

Universal Services & Associates 127 WPS Road ATTN: Wade Grundmeyer	
Belle Chasse, LA 70037	

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

3715 Benton Rd. ATTN: Richard Farmer	Metro Electric & Maintenance, Inc. 211 W. Evergreen St. ATTN: Charlie Riser
Bossier City, LA 71111	Lafayette, LA 70501

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

Tractor Supply Company #2321 (Rayville)	R & L Food Mart
5401 Virginia Way ATTN: Licensing	4600 Moss St. ATTN: Laurie Hebert
Brentwood, TN 37027	Lafayette, LA 70507

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

Moose's	Mel's Quick Stop
31416 LA Hwy 16	1894 Veteran Memorial Hwy.
Denham Springs, LA 70726	Eunice, LA 70535
Stripes Convenience Stores	Eddie's Wreaker & Service Center
P.O. Box 219088	1410 Front Street
Dallas, TX 75221	Slidell, LA 70458
The Gheens Store	Lucky's Mart
1904 Hwy 654	3121 W. Park Ave.
Gheens, LA 70355	Gray, LA 70359

M & S Fuel Mart	Hammond Express Inc.
2105 Hwy 20	17702 Highway 190E
Vacherie, LA 70090	Hammond, LA 70401
Major Discount	Tod's Catering Services and Specialty Meats
1707 Gardere Ln. Ste. D	2180 S. Albert St.
Baton Rouge, LA 70820	Lutcher, LA 70071
Marty J's Truckstop	Galvez Hardware & Outdoor Cooking
4994 Hwy 56	41049 Hwy 42
Chauvin, LA 70344	Prairieville, LA 70769
Best Stop Quick Mart #8	LaPalco Hardware
11066 Arnold Road	2020 Lapalco Blvd.
Denham Springs, LA 70726	Harvey, LA 70058
Kenner Ice House & Sauve's Snoballs & Sweets	Kerry's Hardware Inc.
2151 Williams Blvd.	2011 Bayou Blue Rd.
Kenner, LA 70062	Houma, LA 70364
River Side Marina, LLC	Magnolia Mini Market
29504 Hwy 22	2209 LaPalco Blvd.
Springfield, LA 70462	Harvey, LA 70058

The following applicant have not met the requirements for a Permit with the Commission were denied and are hereby required to reapply:

Travis Grocery 101 Derbigney St. Bogalusa, LA 70427	
Bogalusa, LA /042/	

NOTICE: ALL APPLICANTS FOR NEW PERMITS MUST HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE (OWNER, MANAGER OR OFFICER) AT THE MEETING. THE ONLY EXIX, 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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