



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND
CORRECTIONS

PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

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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COMPLIANCE AUDITS ARE ONGOING STATEWIDE IN REFERENCE TO FILLING OUT-OF-DATE CYLINDERS, NOT USING SCALES WHEN FILLING CYLINDERS AND OTHER COMMISSION RULES AND REGULATIONS.

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

Please notify T.E.S.S., as a courtesy, prior to flaring any L. P. Gas tanks. Toll free number is 1-877-925-6595.

TO ALL DEALERS “CONDEMNED INSTALLATIONS” – IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!

Any L. P. Gas or Anhydrous Ammonia installation or system found **“NOT”** in compliance with the Revised Statutes or the Commission’s Rules and Regulations will be **“CONDEMNED”** for further use until compliance is achieved. This will be accomplished by posting a **“CONDEMNED INSTALLATION”** decal on the installation or system or by publishing it in the monthly AD letter.

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

The L. P. Gas Commission requires proof of insurance **on a Commission proprietary certificate of insurance form as of November 1, 2005**. This proprietary certificate of insurance will be provided via facsimile or via mail upon request or can be downloaded from our website at www.dps.louisiana.gov/lpg . Insurance requirements are \$1,000,000 in each class of insurance required by Commission rules.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

SEVERAL NEW RULES AND SOME AMENDED RULES ARE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007. Please refer to our web site for these new rules and amended rules.

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.

TRAINING AVAILABLE

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.

******REMINDER********REMINDER******

The L. P. Gas Commission Web Home Page Internet address is www.dps.louisiana.gov/lpg .

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission continued its regular meeting on Thursday, January 29, 2008, at 7919 Independence Blvd., Conference Room B, Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. James Hopson, with the following members present:

Mr. Greg Morrison, Commissioner; Mr. Henry D. Smith, Commissioner; Mrs. Carol Ann Cleveland, Commissioner

VIOLATIONS

Dodge City Farm Supply Inc, 101 Hatchell Lane-ATTN: Jimmy Smith, Denham Springs, LA 70726 Docket # 90001

1. Did allow Donald Guy to fill a DOT cylinder without a card of competency; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (C)(1) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$150.00; Suspend \$75.00 provided there are no further violations for one year.
2. Did allow Donald Guy to fill an out-of-date DOT cylinder (12-89, Serial # C7830443); thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (E)(10). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$300.00; Suspend \$150.00 provided there are no further violations for one year.
3. Did allow Donald Guy to fill a DOT cylinder, (serial #C7830443), without the use of scales; thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (E)(8). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$150.00; Suspend \$75.00 provided there are no further violations for one year.

APPLICATIONS

The following applicants for a Name Change were postponed until February:

J & W Testing Co (Class 2)	Sportsman One Stop (Class 6)
Change To:	Change To:
J & W Testing LLC	Sportsman's One Stop, Inc.

PO Box 354 – ATTN: Charles Watkins
Yale, OK 74085

14506 Scenic Hwy – ATTN: Raymond Fuller
Baton, Rouge, LA 70806

The following applicants for a Permit were postponed until February:

McConnell’s Soil Depot LLC (Class 6)
14 Plantation Lane – ATTN: Kim Guillory
Covington, LA 70433

Kissner Co. (Class 6)
10000 US 190 West
Port Allen, LA 70767

The following applicant for a Class 2 Permit, was amended to a Class R1 Permit, was heard, and is hereby ratified by the Commission:

Babineaux Plumbing, Inc.
PO Box 9021 – ATTN: Rodney Babineaux
New Iberia, LA 70562-9021

The following applicant for a Class 2 Permit was heard and is hereby ratified by the Commission:

Southern Propane Inc.
901 Strang – ATTN: Bryan Willingham
LaPorte, TX 77571

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

South Shreveport Mobile Home Villa
PO Box 92 – ATTN: John McGrew
Keithville, LA 71047

Couvillion’s Ace Hardware LLC
4323 Monroe Hwy – ATTN : Chuck Couvillion
Ball, LA 71405

The following applicant for a Class 7 Permit was heard and is hereby ratified by the Commission:

Praxair Distribution Inc.
5229 River Rd. – ATTN: Keith Wentworth
Jefferson, LA 70123

The following applicant for a Class 6X Permit was heard and is hereby ratified by the Commission:

Secc Limited
1001 N Main St
Loreauville, LA 70552

JANUARY 2009
FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

RELATED:

THERE WERE NO RELATED FIRES TO REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2009.

UNRELATED:

FIRE: Onealgas, Inc., Choudrant, reported a fire destroyed the residence of Randi Gwilt, Ruston, LA. Fire initiated from unattended stove. No injuries or product loss reported.

ACCIDENT: Lake Arthur Butane Co. Inc., Lake Arthur, reported an **at-fault** accident which occurred off Demarest Rd, Welsh, LA. A butane truck was overturned in a ditch with half of it being loaded. No fire was

reported. No injuries or product loss reported.

ACCIDENT: Enterprise Transportation Co., Houston, TX, reported an **at-fault** accident which occurred at I-10 West near Exit 242, New Orleans, LA. Vehicle made a sudden stop on Interstate and was hit by truck. Driver of other vehicle was injured. Damage was reported. No fire or product loss was reported.

ACCIDENT: Amerigas Propane LP., Lafayette, reported a **not-at-fault** accident which occurred at Valero Corner Store, Lafayette, LA. Vehicle drove into front of store. Exchange cage damaged, along with store front and vehicle front bumper. No fire reported. No injuries or product loss reported.

INCIDENT: Inspector Terry McLain reported an **at-fault** incident which occurred at Amerigas, Amite, LA. Driver was attempting to load delivery truck and a leak occurred. Driver received chemical burns and was hospitalized. Some product loss was reported. No fire resulted.

CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

THERE WERE NO CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS TO REPORT FOR JANUARY 2009.

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 18, 2009, at 7919 Independence Blvd, Conference Room B, Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting is for routine business transpiring during the month and will be continued at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, February 19, 2009, at 7919 Independence Blvd, Conference Room B, Baton Rouge, LA. Thursday morning, violations will be heard and applications for permits will be considered.

VIOLATIONS

John Courville, 7645 Delaney Rd – ATTN: John Courville, Iowa, LA 70647 Docket # 90002

1. Did engage in the L.P. Gas business without the required (Class 1) permit; thus violating R.S. 40:1847 (A) (1) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.
2. Did fail to provide documentation of a pressure test and inspection (Lambert Chapel Church) as required; thus violating LAC 55:IX.175 (A) (1-7).
3. Did fail to provide proof of insurance as required; thus violating LAC 55:IX.107 (3).
4. Did allow John Courville to install L.P. Gas systems without a card of competency; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (C)(1) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Lake Arthur Butane Co. Inc., P O Box 686 – ATTN: Dominique Monlezun, Lake Arthur, LA 70549 Docket # 90003

1. Did place a system into service at a place of public assembly (Lambert Chapel Church) without an approved sketch; thus violating LAC 55:IX.159 (2).

Deridder U Pak, 1001 East 1st Street – ATTN: Farhan Patel, Deridder, LA 70634 Docket # 90004

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.

Discount Stop, 1001 Metairie Rd. – ATTN: Kevin LaCour, Metairie, LA 70005 Docket # 90005

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.

Discount Stop LLC, 1001 Metairie Rd. – ATTN: Kevin LaCour, Metairie, LA 70005 Docket # 90006

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.

Flying B Transportation, RR3 Box 56 – ATTN: Beverly Ball, Meeker, OK 74855 Docket # 90007

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.

Naylor Mechanical Services Inc., P O Box 318120 – ATTN: Mr. Billie, Baton Rouge, LA 70815 Docket # 90008

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class R2) 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 Name Change and are to be ratified by the Commission:

<p>J & W Testing Co (Class 2)</p> <p>Change To:</p> <p>J & W Testing LLC PO Box 354 – ATTN: Charles Watkins Yale, OK 74085</p>	<p>Sportsman One Stop (Class6)</p> <p>Change To:</p> <p>Sportsman’s One Stop, Inc. 14506 Scenic Hwy – ATTN: Raymond Fuller Baton, Rouge, LA 70806</p>
<p>Weyerhaeuser Company (Class 5)</p> <p>Change To:</p> <p>International Paper Co. P.O. Box 377 – ATTN: Carl Gunder Campti, LA 71411</p>	<p>Hwy 29 & 13 Quick Stop LLC (Class 6X)</p> <p>Change To:</p> <p>Moreau’s Quick Stop, LLC 183 Hwy 13 N Eunice, LA 70535</p>
<p>S.S. Fordoche Grocery Store (Class 6X)</p> <p>Change To:</p> <p>Saad, LLC 5661 Fordoche Road Fordoche, LA 70732</p>	

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

<p>McConnell’s Soil Depot LLC 14 Plantation Lane – ATTN: Kim Guillory Covington, LA 70433</p>	<p>Kissner Co. 10000 US 190 West – ATTN: John Kissner Port Allen, LA 70767</p>
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Kief Hardware Inc 18242 West Main – ATTN: James Cabirac Galliano, LA 70354	
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The following applicants have applied for a Class 6X Permit and are to be ratified by the Commission:

CM Farms LLC of Dry Creek 105 Vickers Street Reeves, LA 70658	Complete Stop #12 3755 Ambassador Caffery Lafayette, LA 70503
Maxie Pierce Grocery, Inc 25191 LA 333 Abbeville, LA 70510	Prairie Cajun Specialty Meats 1819 Basile Eunice Hwy 190 Basile, LA 70515
Spot's Corner Inc. 3955 Hwy 190 Elton, LA 70523	Misti Ahrens d/b/a Topsy Grocery 5806 Topsy Bell Rd Ragley, LA 70657

SPECIAL NOTICE : IT IS REQUIRED THAT ALL NEW CLASS 6 APPLICANTS ATTEND THE SAFETY MEETING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE THURSDAY COMMISSION HEARING.

NOTICE : ALL APPLICANTS FOR NEW PERMITS MUST HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE (OWNER, MANAGER OR OFFICER) AT THE MEETING ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2009, AT 7919 INDEPENDENCE BLVD., CONFERENCE ROOM B, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA. THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS ARE CLASS 6-X, R-1 & R-2 REGISTRATIONS, 7-E & A4-E EMERGENCY PERMITS AND NAME CHANGES FOR SUCH.

BY ORDER OF THE LIQUEFIED
PETROLEUM GAS
COMMISSION
CHARLES M. FULLER,
DIRECTOR