



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND  
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PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

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AD # 1549

TO ALL DEALERS:

**IMPORTANT NOTICE: 2001 SCHOOL BUS/MASS TRANSIT REGISTRATIONS**

Units not registered with 2001 decals **may not be fueled** with L. P. Gas.

**WARNING!!!! WARNING!!!! WARNING!!!!**

UNDERCOVER OPERATIONS ARE ON GOING STATEWIDE IN REFERENCE TO FILLING OF  
OUT OF DATE CYLINDERS AND NOT USING SCALES WHEN FILLING CYLINDERS.  
BEWARE!!!!!!!!!!

**ATTN: ALL PERMIT HOLDERS**

Please be advised that any document (sketch, insurance, letter, fire and accident  
report etc.) submitted to the Commission from all permit holders must contain  
the EXACT dealer name that was approved by the Commission.

**\*\*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*\***

The L. P. Gas Commission Web Home Page is now "OPERATIONAL". The Internet  
address is [www.dps.state.la.us/lpg/home.html](http://www.dps.state.la.us/lpg/home.html). Most information can be  
downloaded. All information on the site is current and will be updated daily. The  
site contains various forms and information such as: the LA Revised Statutes for  
L. P. Gas and Anhydrous Ammonia. Application forms to apply for various permits  
(L. P. Gas, Anhydrous Ammonia, Registrations and Name Changes), Dealer  
Sketch Form, Installation Report Form, Fire Report Form, Accident Report Form,  
Monthly Sales and Purchases Form (for both Class 1 and Class 4),  
Transport/Delivery Truck Waiver of Inspection Form, Reciprocal Examination and

## Reciprocal Inspection Forms, AD letters current as well as archived.

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission continued its regular meeting Thursday, October 25, 2001 at 1723 Dallas Drive, Suite A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman with the following members present:

Mr. James Hopson, Chairman  
Mr. Kenneth Weber, Vice-Chairman  
Mr. Donald Kiper, Commissioner  
Mr. John Montecino, Commissioner

also present were the Director, Charles Fuller and various dealers.

### VIOLATIONS

Mary Lou's Chevron Food Marts, P. O. Box 523-ATTN: Dwayne Poe, Provencal, LA 71468, Docket #10107

1. Did allow employee, Leon Kirkland, to fill an out-of-date DOT L. P. Gas cylinder without being requalified; thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (E)(10). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$300.00 suspended provided he remains out of the L. P. Gas business.

Michael D. Simmons, 7939 Jefferson Hwy., Baton Rouge, LA 70807, Docket # 10131

1. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Postponed until the November meeting.

Mark S. Folse, 122 Jane Lane, St. Rose, LA 70087, Docket # 10132

1. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$500.00.

Meyer Auto Parts Inc., 2222 S. Broad St.-ATTN:David Meyer Goldberg, New Orleans, LA 70125, Docket # 10133

1. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems;

thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$500.00.

Houma Automotive Products, 1404 Grand Caillou Rd.-ATTN:Joe Pinero, Houma, LA 70363, Docket 10134

1. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Postponed until the November meeting.

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B & B Refrigerants, 407 Cloud Dr.-ATTN:James Bingman, Baton Rouge, LA 70814, Docket #10135

1. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Postponed until the November meeting.

Mark S. Folse, 122 Jane Lane, St. Rose, LA 70087, Docket #10136

1. Did engage in the L. P. Gas business without obtaining the required permit; thus violating R. S. 40:1847(A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$250.00.

2. Failed to provide a Certificate of Insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$225.00.

3. Did engage in the L. P. Gas business without obtaining the required card of competency; thus violating R. S. 40:1849(C) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$225.00.

4. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$1,000.00.

5. Did willfully or knowingly violate a rule or regulation of the Commission which endangers human life or health, LAC 55:IX.183; thus violating R. S. 40:1846.1(C)(2)(a) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$1,000.00.

6. Did sell liquefied petroleum gas that was not odorized with an approved odorant as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(5) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$1,000.00.

Cash Mart RV Inc., 1705 Florida Blvd.-ATTN:Charles Smith, Denham Springs, LA 70726, Docket # 10137

1. Did sell liquefied petroleum gas without obtaining the proper permit; thus violating R. S. 40:1847(A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Postponed until the November meeting.

2. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Postponed until the November meeting.

3. Did willfully or knowingly violate a rule or regulation of the Commission which endangers human life or health, LAC 55:IX.183; thus violating R. S. 40:1846.1(C)(2)(a) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Postponed until the November meeting.

4. Did sell liquefied petroleum gas that was not odorized with an approved odorant as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(5) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Postponed until the November meeting.

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Enviro-Safe Refrigerant King of N. Baton Rouge, 3771 St. Katherine Ave.-ATTN:Huey L. Langley, Sr., Baton Rouge, LA 70805, Docket # 10138

1. Did engage in the L. P. Gas business without obtaining the required permit; thus violating R. S. 40:1847(A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$250.00 suspended provided there are no other violations.

2. Failed to provide a Certificate of Insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$225.00 suspended provided there are no other violations.

3. Did engage in the L. P. Gas business without obtaining the required card of competency; thus violating R. S. 40:1849(C) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$225.00 suspended provided there are no other violations.

4. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$1,000.00 suspended provided there are no other violations.

5. Did willfully or knowingly violate a rule or regulation of the Commission which endangers human life or health, LAC 55:IX.183; thus violating R. S. 40:1846.1(C)(2)(a) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$1,000.00 suspended provided there are no other violations.

6. Did sell liquefied petroleum gas that was not odorized with an approved odorant as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(5) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$1,000.00 suspended provided there are no other violations.

Bayou Rd Lumber & Hrdwr Co LLC, P. O. Box 479-ATTN:Eugene Bujol, Plaquemine, LA 70764, Docket # 10139

1. Did allow employee, Ralph J. Dickerson, Jr., to fill an out-of-date DOT L. P. Gas cylinder without being requalified; thus violating LAC 55:IX.181(E)(10). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$300.00 and ordered to remain after the meeting to watch a safety film.

2. Did allow employee, Ralph J. Dickerson, Jr., to fill a cylinder with L. P. Gas

without the required card of competency; thus violating R. S. 49:1849(C)(1) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$225 suspended and ordered to remain after the meeting to watch a safety film.

3. Did allow employee, Ralph J. Dickerson, Jr., to fill a cylinder with L. P. Gas without the POL plug in the valve as require; thus violating LAC 55:IX.181, NFPA 58 - 1995, 4-2.2.2. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$100.00 suspended and ordered to remain after the meeting to watch a safety film.

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Gene Tallo Seafood Inc., 54013 Hwy. 1062-ATTN:Gene Tallo, Loranger, LA 70446, Docket #10140

1. Failed to provide a Certificate of Insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Postponed until the November meeting.

Lucky 7 Truck Stop, 4322 Hwy 90-ATTN:Danny Somme, Des Allemands, LA 70030, Docket #10141

1. Failed to provide a Certificate of Insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$225.00.

Zachary Seafood Inc., 9415 Main St.-Ste A-ATTN:Tommy Hall, Zachary, LA 70791, Docket #10142

1. Did fail to submit payment for civil penalties assessed on Docket #10094 by the L. P. Gas Commission within 30 days after final assessment; thus violating R. S. 40:1848(B) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and ordered to "Cease and Desist" all L. P. Gas operations and permit was revoked by the Commission.

#### APPLICATIONS

The following name change application was heard and is hereby granted by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

El Paso NGL Marketing, LP Mangham Texaco

Name change to: Name change to:

El Paso NGL Marketing Company LP Olivo's One Stop  
4 Greenway Plaza - Suite 466\_439 A. J. Stephens Road  
Houston, TX 70046 Baskin, LA 71219

The following application for a Class 6 permit was heard and is hereby granted by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

Brooks General Store Quick Stop Bait & Tackle  
P. O. Box 41 P. O. Box 581  
Mt. Hermon, LA 70450 Springfield, LA 70462

Hoover's Grocery Vermilion Crawfish Wholesalers  
22615 LA Hwy 22 P. O. Box 70  
Maurepas, LA 70449 Maurice, LA 70555

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The following application for a Class 6 permit was postponed until the November meeting:

Quick Nick's  
15019 Hwy 21 South  
Bogalusa, LA 70427

The following application for a Class 6 permit was dismissed by the Commission:

Dwayne's Car Care & Tire Center LLC  
228 South Bullard St.  
Opelousas, LA 70570

The following applications for Class 6X permits were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

A & P #69 On the Bayou  
P. O. Box 60093 234 East 22nd St.  
New Orleans, LA 70160 Cut Off, LA 70345

B-Quik Sav-A-Center #42  
5235 Essen Lane P. O. Box 60093  
Baton Rouge, LA 70809 New Orleans, LA 70160

Danny & Clyde's Food Store Inc.  
2000 Bell Chasse Hwy-Ste 300  
Gretna, LA 70056

The following application for a Class 6X permit was removed as it has not met all requirements of this Commission:

Speedway  
P. O. Box 1580-ATTN:Sharon Stevens  
Springfield, OH 45501

The following application for amending a Class 6 permit to a Class 6X permit was ratified by the Commission:

Indian Mound Grocery & Deli  
16935 Liberty Rd.  
Greenwell Springs, LA 70739

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The following application for a Class 7 permit was heard and is hereby granted by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

Red Ball Oxygen Co. Inc.  
P. O. Box 7316  
Shreveport, LA 71137-7316

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### FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

One dealer reported a related fire damaged a home. The flash fire was caused from a leak in the wall by the water heater. There was loss of product and no injuries were reported.

One dealer reported a related incident of a flash fire at a business. The cause of the fire was from the pilot button being held down to long. There was loss of product and injuries were reported.

Several dealers reported six unrelated fires and three accidents. The fires destroyed three homes, destroyed one mobile home, damaged a truck and the bay area of a business and a pool deck. The cause of the fires are believed to be electrical problems, refueling a truck, nicking a service line while stumping grinding and the others unknown. There was a loss of product and no injuries were reported.

Several dealers reported accidents occurred when a driver fell asleep crossed the interstate and struck the dealer's vehicle, another when their driver lost control of his vehicle turning it over in a ditch, and

the other when their driver was following too close to the vehicle in front of him and struck the vehicle. There was no loss of product and injuries were reported.

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 14, 2001 at 1723 Dallas Drive, Suite A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The meeting is for routine business transpiring during the month and will be continued at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, November 15, 2001 at 1723 Dallas Drive, Suite A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. At the Thursday morning meeting violators will be dealt with and applications will be considered.

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5. Did sell liquefied petroleum gas that was not odorized with an approved odorant as required; thus violating R. S 40:1846(B)(5) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

B & B Refrigerants, 407 Cloud Dr.-ATTN:James Bingman aka Bingham, Baton Rouge, LA 70814, Docket #10144

1. Did engage in the L. P. Gas business without obtaining the required permit; thus violating R. S. 40:1847(A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

2. Failed to provide a Certificate of Insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R. S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

3. Did engage in the L. P. Gas business without obtaining the required card of competency; thus violating R. S. 40:1849(C) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

4. Did sell a refrigerant containing liquefied petroleum gas for use in mobile air conditioning systems; thus violating R. S. 40:1846(B)(3)(f) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.
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#### APPLICATIONS

The following applicants have applied for a name change:

Super Saver Citgo The BOC Group

Name change to: Name change to:

Super Saver The BOC Group Inc.  
P. O. Box 1545 P. O. Box 100  
Lake Charles, LA 70602 Slidell, LA 70459

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E-Z Serve

Name change to:

E-Z Serve Convenience Stores Inc.  
P. O. Box 61719  
Durham, NC 27715

The following applicants have applied for Class 6 permits:

Lane's 66 Sam's Stop

421 East Bridge St. 3565 Hwy 1  
St. Martinville, LA 70582 Marksville, LA 71351

Quick Nick's  
15019 Hwy 21 South  
Bogalusa, LA 70427

The following applicants were administratively granted Class 6X permits pending ratification by the Commission:

Phil's Fast Stop Inc.  
P. O. Box 276  
Kinder, LA 70648

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

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NOTICE: ALL APPLICANTS WHETHER FOR NEW PERMITS OR CHANGE OF NAME MUST HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE (OWNER, MANAGER OR OFFICER) AT THE MEETING ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2001 AT 1723 DALLAS DRIVE, SUITE A, BATON ROUGE, LA. THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS ARE CLASS 6-X AND ANHYDROUS AMMONIA WHO PRESENTLY HOLD A PERMIT WITH THIS COMMISSION.

BY ORDER OF LIQUEFIED  
PETROLEUM GAS COMMISSION

CHARLES M. FULLER  
DIRECTOR