

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!!!

PROPANE REBATE PROGRAM – THE REBATE PROGRAM FOR APPLIANCES IS CURRENTLY SUSPENDED. PLEASE SEE A CLASS 1 OR IV DEALER FOR REBATES ON THE PURCHASE OR CONVERSION OF PROPANE FUELED COMMERICAL LAWNMOWERS. PLEASE CONTACT THIS OFFICE OR VISIT www.louisianapropane.com FOR MORE INFORMATION AND/OR FUTURE UPDATES.

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

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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****

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

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission scheduled regular meeting for Thursday, December 18, 2014, at 7919 Independence Blvd. Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Mr. James Hopson, with the following members present:

Mrs. Carol A. Cleveland, Vice-Chairwoman, Henry D. Smith, Commissioner, Mr. Charles W. Cain, Commissioner; also present, John W. Alario, Executive Director; Major Frank Ducote and Attorney Justin Bello.

VIOLATIONS

Shawson Gas LLC, 1107 South 5th Street ATTN: David Ballagh, Leesville, LA 71446 Docket#140056

- 1. Did allow Donald Scott Bulcak to transport a 250 gallon propane tank (serial # 103620) with more than 5 percent of the water capacity in liquid form over the highways of Louisiana; thus violating
- LAC 55:IX.181 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as amended, NFPA 58-2008-9.6.2.1.
 - 2. Did allow Donald Scott Bulcak to transport a 250 gallon propane tank (serial # 311978) with more than 5 percent of the water capacity in liquid form over the highways of Louisiana; thus violating
- LAC 55:IX.181 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as amended, NFPA 58-2008-9.6.2.1.
 - 3. Did allow Donald Scott Bulcak to transport a 250 gallon propane tank (serial # 47483) with more than 5 percent of the water capacity in liquid form over the highways of Louisiana; thus violating
- LAC 55:IX.181 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as amended, NFPA 58-2008-9.6.2.1.
 - 4. Did allow Donald Scott Bulcak to transport a 250 gallon propane tank (no serial #) with more than 5 percent of the water capacity in liquid form over the highways of Louisiana; thus violating
- LAC 55:IX.181 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as amended, NFPA 58-2008-9.6.2.1.

APPLICATIONS

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

Hooked Up RV Repair LLC	
328 Country Club Drive ATTN: Ricky Smith	
New Iberia, LA 70563	

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

P.O. Box 319 ATTN: Keith Jackson	Weston Outdoors LLC 1000 Bonin Rd ATTN: Scot Simon Lafayette, LA 70508
DC Grocery LLC 208 Ruth Dr. ATTN: Candas Scalia Ragley, LA 70657	

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

Callaway Transport LLC P.O. Box 1651 ATTN: Steve Callaway	
Silsbee, TX 77656	

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

Kakoolala Enterprises Inc. dba 1 Stop 536 Martin Luther King Drive Grand Coteau, LA 70541 Trosclair & Sons LLC dba Butcher Boy	Hollywood Truck Plaza & Casino 2051 Hwy 90 Berwick, LA 70342 Lake Life Stop & Go
58045 Belleview Rd. Plaquemine, LA 70764	3297 Hwy 605 Newellton, LA 71357
Silverstop LLC dba Corner Express 2760 Country Club Rd. Lake Charles, LA 70605	Richard Retail Invest., Inc. dba Peppers Fresh Mkt. 17497 Airline Highway Prairieville, LA 70769
BDRWEW LLC dba E-Z Stop 101 W. Airline Hwy. Laplace, LA 70068	David I Inc. dba Saints Express 3357 W. Airline Hwy Reserve, LA 70084
Orion Properties LLC dba Franklin Travel Center 1032 Hwy 317 Suite A Franklin, LA 70538	LA. Heartland Properties dba Sibley Lake One Stop 985 Hwy 504 Natchitoches, LA 71457
Hinton Enterprises LLC dba Excel Mart #5 7701 Hwy 165 S Columbia, LA 71418	Refuel on the go with Joe LLC 1390 Brownswitch Rd. Slidell, LA 70461
Dowlet Inc. dba Gardere Meat Market 2509 Gardere Ln. Ste. A Baton Rouge, LA 70820	ADFARE, LLC dba Smokers Paradise #6 3214 Cypress Street West Monroe, LA 71291
Tipton's Service Center LLC dba Tipton's Service Center 2630 Military Road Ringgold, LA 71068	McLawrence Foods of Oak Grove, Inc. dba Mac's Fresh Market #13 803 East Main St. Oak Grove, LA 71263

DECEMBER 2014 FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

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RELATED:

THERE WERE NO RELATED FIRES TO REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2014.

UNRELATED:

FIRE: O' Nealgas, Inc., Choudrant, reported a fire that destroyed the property of Fred Leachman, Choudrant, LA. Cause of fire reported started due to a campfire. No injuries or product loss reported.

FIRE: O' Nealgas, Inc., Choudrant, reported a fire that destroyed the property of Jerry Jerks, Jamestown, LA. Cause of fire reported as electrical. No injuries or product loss reported. FIRE: Lacox Propane, Hammond, reported a fire that destroyed the property of Tommy Temple, St. Amant, LA. Cause of fire reported started in the fireplace. No injuries or product loss reported.

FIRE: Lacox Propane, Hammond, reported a fire that destroyed the property of Norma Francois, Independence, LA. Cause of fire reported as undetermined. No injuries or product lost reported. FIRE: Lacox Inc., Franklinton, reported a fire that destroyed the property of John Riles, Mt. Hermon, LA. Cause of fire reported as unknown. No injuries or product loss reported. FIRE: Propane Industrial Gas, Franklinton, reported a fire that destroyed the property of Camile Molina, Folsom, LA. Cause of fire reported unknown. No injuries or product loss reported.

DECEMBER 2014 CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

NO CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED REPORTED

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday January 21, 2015, at 7919 Independence Blvd, Conference Room C & D, 1st Floor, Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting is for routine business transpiring during the month and will be continued at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, January 22, 2015, at 7919 Independence Blvd, Conference Room C & D, 1st Floor, Baton Rouge, LA. Thursday morning, violations will be heard and applications for permits will be considered.

VIOLATIONS

Sam's Discount Tobacco, 1623 W Kirby Place ATTN: Mike Wadi, Bossier, LA 71112 Docket# 140057

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.

Quality LP Gas Service & Equipment LLC, P.O. Box 850702 ATTN: Stan Bilyeu, Mesquite, TX 75149 Docket# 140058

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.

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Nexcom Navy Exchange NSA, 400 Russell Avenue BLDG 502-A, ATTN: Becki Dillon, Belle Chase, LA 70037 Docket# 140059

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.

EZ Mart 1 Inc., 1504 Henderson Hwy. ATTN: Azal Aljawi, Breaux Bridge, LA 70517 Docket# 140061

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.

Craws & Claws LLC, 1601 Hwy 70 ATTN: Robert Conner, Morgan City, LA 70380 Docket# 140062

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.

Cedarholly Investment LLC, 3001 Daulaut Dr. ATTN: Jim Claxton, Duson, LA 70529 Docket# 140063

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.

Cajun Express, 2376 Fawn Rdg. ATTN: Vick Wagar Awan, Lake Charles, LA 70541 Docket# 140064

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.

Ringgold Hardware Feed & Farm Supply Inc., 2230 Mill St. ATTN: Tom Gingles, Ringgold, LA 71068 Docket# 140065

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.

Root LLC-Veterans, 5920 Veterans Blvd ATTN: Khaled Hamdi, Metairie, LA 70002 Docket# 140066

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.

Thomas Food Mart, 4415 Thomas Rd. ATTN: Faez Hijaz, Baton Rouge, LA 70811 Docket# 140067

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 Pak It York, 3437 New Monroe Rd. ATTN: Bill York, Bastrop, LA 71220 Docket# 140068

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.

- 1. Did place into service at a place of public assembly, (Kendrick Ferry Church) without an approved sketch; thus violating LAC 55:IX.179 (C) (3).
- 2. Did service a system without the required gas utilization equipment shutoff valve thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (A).
- 3. Did service a system without the required emergency exterior shutoff valve thus violating LAC 55:IX.181 (A).
- 4. Did allow driver Dewayne Reeves to fill an ASME container not properly sized for BTU appliance load at place of public assembly; thus violating LAC 55:IX.179 (F).

Chevron Gas-N-Go, 206 Ambassador Caffery, ATTN: Glynn Hux, Scott, LA 70583 Docket# 140070

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.

Whitetail Butcher Shop LLC, 53210 Ragusa Rd. ATTN: Angelo Mannino, Independence, LA 70443 Docket# 140071

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.

UNO Shell, 85 Chateau Mouton Dr. ATTN: Mohammad Cheema, Kenner, LA 70037 Docket# 140072

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.

Simmesport Express, 16675 Hwy 1, ATTN: Nick Jones, Simmsport, LA 71369 Docket# 140073

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.

Robert's Family M.R.K.T., 81801 Hwy 21. ATTN: Thomas Robert, Bush, LA 70431 Docket# 140074

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>Luke's RV Sales & Service Inc., 5554 Hwy 90 E, ATTN: Martin Hoffpauir, Lake Charles, LA 70615</u> <u>Docket# 140075</u>

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.

Lahaye Specialty Market LLC, 10105 Island Rd. ATTN: Cindy Lahaye, Ventress, LA 70783 Docket# 140076

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.

L & L Court, P.O. Box 102, ATTN: Lionel Bailey, Edgard, LA 70049 Docket# 140077

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.

Transcontinental Shell, 85 Chateau Mouton Dr. ATTN: Mohammad Cheema, Kenner, LA 70037 Docket# 140078

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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Keep Moving Food Mart, 6890 Kent Dr. ATTN: Hong Dang, Baker, LA 70714 Docket# 140079

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.

Diamond Food Mart, 1604 Airline Dr. ATTN: Ali Shah, Bossier City, LA 71112 Docket# 140080

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.

Chataignier Foods, 1309 Windsor Place, ATTN: Alex Jabbar, Chataignier, LA 71303 Docket# 140081

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.

26 Express, 3504 W. Prien Lake Rd., ATTN: Nasseer Yaqube, Lake Charles, LA 70605 Docket# 140082

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.

786 MSTT Inc., 3450 W. Esplanade Ave., ATTN: Emad Nassar, Metairie, LA 70002 Docket# 140083

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.

AB Food Mart, 2238 Jonesboro Rd, ATTN: Amire Stewart, West Monroe, LA 71292 Docket# 140084

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.

Air Liquide Speciality Gases US LP, 2700 Post Oak Blvd., ATTN: Susan Cathey, Houston, LA 77056 Docket# 140085

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required (Class A1) permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Carters Grocery, 9285 Cockerham Rd., ATTN: David Strange, Denham Springs, LA 70726 Docket# 140086

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 applicant has applied for a Class 1 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Metro Lift Propane	
P.O. Box 2737 ATTN: Stephen Messonnier	
Reserve, LA 70084	

The following applicant has applied for a Class 2 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Martin Plumbing Co. LLC	Superior RV LLC
P.O Box 2266 ATTN: Donald L. Martin	2360 N. Bolton Ave. ATTN: Emmitt Wells

	Natchitoches, LA 71457	Alexandria, LA 71303	l
	C & S FirePlaces, LLC		
- 1	9804 Hwy 171 ATTN: Richard Suire		l
	Longville, LA 70652		

The following applicant has applied for a Class 3 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

C & S FirePlaces, LLC	
9804 Hwy 171 ATTN: Richard Suire	
Longville, LA 70652	

The following applicant has applied for a Class 5 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Transport Refrigeration Sales and Services, Inc.	
dba GenSouth	
190 Park Place ATTN: Wayne Bridges	
St. Rose, LA 70087	

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

1131 Pecan Drive ATTN: Katie Cooper Marksville, LA 71351	Richard Retail Investments Inc. dba Peppers Fresh Market 17497 Airline Highway ATTN: Lee Richard Prairieville, LA 70769
Kirks U Need A Butcher 713 Surrey St. ATTN: Blake G. Gallet Lafayette, LA 70501	

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

Harold Johnson dba Harolds	Bernard Seafood Express LLC
1930 N. Washington ATTN: Harold Johnson	204 Carmen St. ATTN: Leon Johnson
Bastrop, LA 71220	Cottonport, LA 71327

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