

# 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.

\*\*\*\*<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 FOR TRAINING.

### **GENERAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- 1. YOU MUST FULLY COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM. If the application does not include the required fees, current certificate of insurance, or does not include a copy of the certificate of insurance, the application will be returned to the applicant.
- 2. Formal application for the permit shall be submitted to the Office of the Director.
- 3. Remit a filing fee of \$150.00 for all classes. *This fee shall accompany the application*.
- 4. Remit a permit fee of \$150.00 for the first year operation for all classes except Class III applicants. *This fee shall accompany the application*. Class III applicants must remit a permit fee of \$500.00 for

the first year operation. In addition, Class III applicants, must submit a location approval form with \$150.00 per location. *This fee shall accompany the application*.

- 5. Class VI-X applicants must include a detailed list of multiple locations that include complete addresses and store numbers with the application and a payment of \$150.00 per location. *This fee shall accompany the application.*
- 6. Shall provide proof of insurance on file in the Office of the Director on a commission proprietary certificate of insurance or one substantially equivalent issued by a Louisiana licensed agent in the minimum sum of \$1,000,000.00, in the classes of insurance as required by the Commission.

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.

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission scheduled regular meeting for Wednesday, June 24, 2020 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; also present, John W. Alario, Executive Director; and Attorney Melinda Long.

### **VIOLATIONS**

# Alisha's Food Mart, 20508 Hwy 22 East, Ponchatoula, LA 70454 Docket# 200106

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). Commission accepted guilty plea by waiver and payment of \$250.00 penalty.

### Fred's Inc., 6625 Lenox Park Dr., Memphis, TN 38115 Docket# 200107

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). Commission accepted OOB and dismissed charge.

### Hoppin Harley Food Mart, 48012 Hwy 1065, Tickfaw, LA 70466 Docket# 200110

2. 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). Commission accepted guilty plea by waiver and payment of \$250.00 penalty.

### Kenney Seafood Inc., 400 Ponchartrain Dr., Slidell, LA 70458 Docket# 200111

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). Commission accepted guilty plea by waiver and payment of \$250.00 penalty.

### O'Keefe Feed & Seed, 900 N. Columbia St., Covington, LA 70433 Docket# 200113

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). Commission accepted OOB and dismissed charge.

## **APPLICATIONS**

The following applicant applied for a Class A2 Permit was heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Byrnes Mechanical Contractors, Inc. 115 Ridgedale Drive West Monroe, LA 71291	
The following applicant applied for a Class R1	Permit was heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission
Judice Service Inc. 107 Lafferty Dr. Broussard, LA 70518	
The following applicant applied for a Class 2 I	Permit was heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:
Huckabee Plumbing Inc. P.O. Box 67 West Monroe, LA 71294	
The following applicant applied for a Class 4 I	Permit was heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Parker Gas Co. Inc. dba Rapid Xchange	
P.O. Box 2588	
Clinton, LA 28329	

The following applicant applied for a Class 5 Permit was heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Hugg & Hall Equipment Co. 8101 Fourche Rd. Little Rock, AR 72209	
Little Rock, AR 72209	

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

Wesco Gas and Welding Supply, Inc. P.O. Box 10546	Lafitte One Stop LLC 39 Oak Ally Blvd.
Prichard, LA 36610	Marrero, LA 70072
1	Round Up Express LLC P.O. Box 53 Plattenville, LA 70393
Ragin Trailers 2601F SE Evangeline Thruway Lafayette, LA 70508	Zachary Feed and Seed 20987 Plank Road Zachary, LA 70791
U-Haul Moving and Storage of Houma 6210 Chef Menteur Hwy. New Orleans, LA 70126	

# The following applicants applied for a Class 7 Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Merrell Transport, LLC	Terry Transport LLC
P.O. Box 14559	P.O. Box 13080
Tulsa, OK 74116	McCamey, TX 79752
Praxair Distribution, Inc.	
5111 Choctaw Drive	
Baton Rouge, LA 70805	

# The following applicants applied for a Class 8 Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Praxair Distribution, Inc.	Wesco Gas and Welding Supply, Inc.
5111 Choctaw Drive	P.O. Box 10546
Baton Rouge, LA 70805	Prichard, LA 36610

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

Kaplan Express	Hole in the Wall Seafood
507 W. Veterans Memorial Dr.	18651 Hwy 16
Kaplan, LA 70568	Port Vincent, LA 70726
Nelson Point	Smay's Convenience
5841 Nelson Rd.	365 West Pine Street
Lake Charles, LA 70605	Ponchatoula, LA 70454
PA Hilltop	Country Food Store 1 LLC
59269 Hwy 10	1936 Nursery Hwy.
Bogalusa, LA 70427	St. Martinville, LA 70582
Fast Stop	Wag-A-Pak X
3901 W. Airline Hwy.	420 Bayou Gardens Blvd.
Reserve, LA 70068	Houma, LA 70364
Best Stop 46	Kaplan Food Mart
14291 Hwy 22 W	801 E. Veterans Memorial Dr.
Ponchatoula, LA 70454	Kaplan, LA 70548
Hartman's True Value	Fred's Amusements Inc.
13171 Highway 90	4001 Highway 30
Boutte, LA 70039	St. Gabriel, LA 70776
MI Ranchito Grocery and Meat Market	Sportsman's Crossing Food Mart
2438 Morganza Hwy.	22618 Walker Rd. S
New Roads, LA 70760	Denham Springs, LA 70726
Lil Boo's Corner Store LLC	Guidry Hardware & Supply Inc.
415 St. Clair Rd. Ste. A	1818 Jefferson Street
Boyce, LA 71409	Lafayette, LA 70501
Best Stop #9 2544 Highway 10 Jackson, LA 70748	Shawn's Supercenter #4 149 Choupique Cottonport, LA 71327
Petrus Feed & Seed Stores Inc.	Nola Discount Convenience LLC
2914 N. Bolton Ave.	2200 Barataria Blvd.
Alexandria, LA 71303	Marrero, LA 70772

Manns Grocery	Cameron Rental Supply, LLC
1964 Harmon Johnson Rd.	715 Marshall St.
Monroe, LA 71202	Cameron, LA 70631
Watson Fuel Express	Duckroost Seafood and Boudin LLC
34036 Hwy 16	8187 John LeBlanc Blvd.
Denham Springs, LA 70706	Sorrento, LA 70778
One Stop Wonder Shop	Hahnville Supermarket
8248 Hwy 26	15661 River Rd.
Oberlin, LA 70655	Hahnville, LA 70057
Ruby Rouge Seafood LLC	Cameron Rental Supply, LLC
6603 E. Old Spanish Trail	715 Marshall St.
Jeanerette, LA 70544	Cameron, LA 70631

### **JULY 2020**

### FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

### **RELATED:**

FIRE: O' Nealgas Inc., Choudrant, reported a fire that destroyed the residence of Peter Beni, Marion, LA. Fire initiated when homeowner was lighting the stove. Severe burns were reported. No product loss reported.

#### **UNRELATED:**

THERE WERE NO UNRELATED FIRES TO REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2020.

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### **July 2020**

### CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

THERE WERE NO COMDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS TO REPORT FOR JULY.

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., July 29, 2020 at 7919

Independence Blvd, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Conference Rooms C & D, Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting is for routine business transpiring during the month and will be continued at 8:30 a.m., violations will be heard and applications for permits will be considered.

### **VIOLATIONS**

NO VIOLATIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY.

## **APPLICATIONS**

The following applicant have applied for a Class 6 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

House of Pawn Inc. 381 Hwy 165 North Attn: John Carruth Oakdale LA 71463	
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The following applicant have applied for a Class 7 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Merrell Transport, LLC	
17345 East Admiral Place Attn: Darryl Sartwell	
Tulsa, OK 74116	

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

Tony's Mini Mart	Kajeune's Food Mart #2
1807 Main St.	241 W. Maple St.
Elton, LA 70532	Eunice, LA 70535
Boone's Auto and Truck	Lockport Farm Market & Building Supplies, Inc.
717 Ave G	7814 Hwy. 308
Kentwood, LA 70444	Lockport, LA 70374
Tank Farm C- Store	Stop & Save
7667 Elliot Rd.	3215 Hwy 90
Lake Charles, LA 70605	Westlake, LA 70669
Lafayette Corner Express	Big Lake C- Store
1525 N. University Ave.	6880 Big Lake Rd.
Lafayette, LA 70506	Lake Charles, LA70605
U Pak It	Breaux Bridge Corner Express
615 Sam Houston Jones Parkway	215 W. Mills Ave.
Lake Charles, LA 70611	Breaux Bridge, LA 70517
Kaplan Quick Stop	USA Travel Plaza 8
501 E. Veterans Memorial Blvd.	629 Hwy 3033
Kaplan, LA 70548	West Monroe, LA 71292
Super Save #11	Eunice Corner Express
4217 Sterlington Rd.	801 W. Laurel Ave.
Monroe, LA 71203	Eunice, LA 70535
Super Saver	Raceway
1631 Sampson St.	5770 Johnston Street
Westlake, LA 70669	Lafayette, LA 70506
Lewisburg Grocery	24/7 Express
1011 Hwy 357	1671 Hwy 190
Church Point, LA 70525	Eunice, LA 70535
AK Petroleum	Beaux's Sport and Goods
5120 Nelson Rd.	6011 Highway 80
Lake Charles, LA 70605	Princeton, LA 71067
City Town Meat Market #3	City Town Meat Market #4
4850 Beechwood Dr,	3475 N. Acadian Thruway

**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

The L.P. Gas Commission Web Home Page Internet address is <a href="www.dps.louisiana.gov/lpg">www.dps.louisiana.gov/lpg</a>.