



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COMPLIANCE AUDITS ARE ONGOING STATEWIDE IN REFERENCE TO FILLING OUT-OF-DATE CYLINDERS, NOT USING SCALES WHEN FILLING CYLINDERS AND OTHER COMMISSION RULES AND REGULATIONS.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

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.

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

PROPANE REBATE PROGRAM - PLEASE SEE A CLASS I OR IV DEALER FOR REBATES ON THE PURCHASE OF A PROPANE-FUELED APPLIANCE IN A NEW CONSTRUCTION OR REPLACEMENT OF A NON-PROPANE APPLIANCE IN AN EXISTING HOME. REBATES INCLUDE WATER HEATERS (TANK & TANKLESS), FURNACES, DRYERS, GAS LOGS, GAS LIGHTS, COMMERCIAL LAWN MOWERS AND COOKTOP/STOVES. PROPANE REBATES END JUNE 30, 2013. PLEASE CONTACT THIS OFFICE OR VISIT WWW.LOUISIANAPROPANE.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION.

AS A REMINDER TO ALL NEW APPLICANTS AND SUPPLIERS, Application requests shall be ADMINISTRATIVELY 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 scheduled regular meeting for Thursday, January 24, 2013, at, 7919 Independence Blvd, Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting was called to order by the 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; LT Col Adam White; Attorney Paul Schexnayder.

VIOLATIONS

Luke’s RV Sales & Service Inc., 5554 Hwy 90 E ATTN: Martin Hoffpauir, Lake Charles, LA 70615 Dk #120063

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. Commission accepted guilty plea by waiver and payment of \$150.00 penalty.

Safeway Transportation Inc., 3499 I-10 Frontage Rd – ATTN: Greg Stewart, Port Allen, LA 70767 Dk #130001

1. Did fail to have the required safety inspection on transport/delivery truck (#P10510) as required; thus violating LAC 55:IX.166 (B). Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$150.00; Suspended penalty provided there are no further violations for one year.

Safeway Transportation Inc., 3499 I-10 Frontage Rd – ATTN: Greg Stewart, Port Allen, LA 70767 Dk #130002

1. Did fail to have the required safety inspection on transport/delivery truck (#P11524) as required; thus violating LAC 55:IX.166 (B). Found guilty in absentia and assessed a penalty of \$150.00; Suspended penalty provided there are no further violations for one year.
2. Did allow Wilburn Sheffield to operate a transport (#P11524) in the state of Louisiana without a card of competency; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (C)(1)(a) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Commission found not guilty upon rendering evidence and testimony, and dismissed charge.

Martin Transport Inc., PO Box 191 ATTN: Sherry Reeher, Kilgore, TX 75663-0191 Dk #130003

1. Did allow Dimitri L. Black to operate a trailer (#2315) over the highways of Louisiana without a card of competency; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (C)(1)(a) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$150.00; Suspended penalty provided there are no further violations for one year.

APPLICATIONS

The following applicants for a Name Change were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

Serignan Chevron (Class 6) Change To: Serignan Service 6544 St. Claude Ave ATTN: Armand Serignan Arabi, LA 70032	Bus Group Inc (Class 5) Change To: Alliance Bus Group Inc 56396 Frank Pichon Drive ATTN: Eugene Hotard Slidell, LA 70458
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The following applicant for a Class 6 Permit was heard and is hereby ratified by the Commission:

Roofing Supply LLC 800 Edwards Ave ATTN: Todd J. Robichaux New Orleans, LA 70123	
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The following applicants for a Class 6X Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

S & P Food Store Corporation 850 Gardere Lane Baton Rouge, LA 70820	Imperio Supermarket LLC 10781 Florida Blvd. Baton Rouge, LA 70815
Fleniken's One Stop Inc 447 Hwy 37 Clifton, LA 70722	Star Convenience Corp 2950 Belle Chasse Hwy Ste A Gretna, LA 70056
EZ Mart 1 Inc 1504 Henderson Hwy Breux Bridge, LA 70517	Vick Investments LLC dba Super Saver Express 2706 S. Beglis Parkway Sulphur, LA 70663
South Miles Investment Group Inc dba Vallot's Grocery 619 S. Miles St. Abbeville, LA 70510	New Line Inc. dba Northside Moving Co. 121 Bolton Ave Alexandria, LA 71302

JANUARY 2013
FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

RELATED:

THERE WERE NO RELATED FIRES TO REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2013.

UNRELATED:

FIRE: Lake Arthur Butane Co. Inc., Lake Charles, reported a fire at the residence of David Burnett, Ragley, LA. Cause of fire reported from outdoor fireplace; heat transferred to wall and ignited. No injuries or product loss reported.

ACCIDENT: LacoX Inc., Franklinton, reported an **at-fault** accident at 33667 Hwy 40, Bush, LA. Driver got off shoulder of road and over corrected, went off road and turned over. No fire, injuries or product loss reported.

ACCIDENT: Safeway Transportation Inc., Port Allen, reported an **at-fault** accident at Highway 147, Arcadia, LA. Driver was behind trailer carry oil equipment which hung over four feet without flags and suspended, trailer brake lights were not visible. Traffic stopped and Safeway driver struck it from behind. No fire or product loss reported. Injuries were reported.

ACCIDENT: Buddy's Home Gas, Mamou, reported an **at-fault** accident at 2531 Vidrine Hwy & Hwy 10, Ville Platte, LA. Driver of other vehicle was pulling boat trailer, made a right turn with

no signal. Driver of Buddy's Home Gas struck boat trailer. No fire, injuries or product loss reported.

JANUARY 2013
CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

THERE WERE NO COMDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS TO REPORT FOR JANUARY 2013.

The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 26, 2013, 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., Wednesday, February 27, 2013, 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

Ballard Gas, PO Box 769 ATTN: Trenton Ballard, Roseland, LA 70456 Docket #130004

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 Food Mart, 5971 Vine St ATTN: AJ Abdul Jabar, Chataignier, LA 70524 Docket #130005

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.

Cross Roads, PO Box 45 ATTN: B J Rowell, Ida, LA 71044 Docket #130006

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.

Enon Dollar & More LLC, 48511 Hwy 437 ATTN: Tara Jones, Franklinton, LA 70438 Docket #130007

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.

Hoppin Harleys Intrstate Trvl Cntr, 13154 Hwy 442 West ATTN: Harley L. Perry, Tickfaw, LA 70466 Dk #130008

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.

Juban Express #1, 8404 Florida Blvd. ATTN: Sam Hatel, Denham Springs, LA 70726 Docket #130009

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.

Q Mart, 585 N. Foster ATTN: Yasar Alhalmi, Baton Rouge, LA 70806 Docket #130010

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.

SP Truck Stop Inc., PO Box 460 ATTN: Elaine M. Matthews, Tangipahoa, LA 70465 Docket #130011

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.

Williana Country Store, 3687 Hwy 167 ATTN: Kimber Sanders, Dry Prong, LA 71423 Docket #130012

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 applicants have applied for a Name Change and are to be ratified by the Commission:

Terra Mississippi Nitrogen, Inc. (Class A1) Change To: CF Industries Nitrogen, LLC PO Box 468 ATTN: Allen Hawkins Donaldsonville, LA 70346	Brookshire Brothers LTD. (Class 6X) Change To: Brookshire Brothers Inc. 1201 Ellen Trout Drive Lufkin, TX 75902
David Orsot Plumbing (Class R1) Change To: David Orsot Plumbing & Heating Inc. PO Box 16008 Lake Charles, LA 70616	

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

Cole Septic LLC 16375 Old Atlanta Rd. ATTN: Carla Hataway Vivian, LA 71082
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The following applicant has applied for a Class 6 Permit, was administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Campers To Go LLC 14730 Louise Street ATTN: Monya Crowell Port Vincent, LA 70726
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The following applicants have applied for a Class 6X Permit, were administratively granted and are to be ratified by the Commission:

Cat Island Grocery 1244 Hwy 848 Columbia, LA 71418	K & R Brothers dba Polk Pit Stop 11411 Lake Charles Hwy Leesville, LA 71446
Talisheek Grocery & Moore LLC 32006 Hwy 435 Talisheek, LA 70464	DG Auto Care Center LLC 13360 E. Main Larose, LA 70373

The following applicant has applied for a Class 6X Permit and is unable to meet the requirements of the Commission; therefore, it is requested that the application be withdrawn:

Saad Alisha LLC dba Alishas Bayou Bargains 28178 Hwy 190 Lacombe, LA 70445	
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NOTICE: ALL APPLICANTS FOR NEW PERMITS MUST HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE (OWNER, MANAGER OR OFFICER) AT THE MEETING ON **WEDNESDAY, 8:30 A.M., FEBRUARY 27, 2013, AT 7919 INDEPENDENCE BLVD, CONFERENCE ROOM C & D, 1st FLOOR, BATON ROUGE, LA.** 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