#### TO ALL DEALERS:

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 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.

#### \*\*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*\* TRAINING AVAILABLE\*\*\*\*REMINDER\*\*\*\*

\*\*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 March 20, 2024 at 7919 Independence Blvd. Baton Rouge, LA. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Ira Cleveland with the following members present:

Commissioner Dominique Monlezun; Commissioner Francis Todd Thompson; also present, Don Robin, Executive Director, and Attorney Jason Hessick.

# **VIOLATIONS**

Sissy's U-Pak-It, 1630 East Madison ATTN: Sissy Brantley, Bastrop, LA 71220 Docket#2024001

- 1. Did allow (Zachary Lane Welch) to fill a dot container without a card of competency: thus violating R.S. 40:1846 LAC: IX.123 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.
- 2. Did allow (Zachary Lane Welch) to fill an out of date DOT cylinder: Thus violating NFPA 58 (2017) (5.2) (5.2.2.3).
- 3. Did allow (Zachary Lane Welch) to fill the container without the proper use of a scale: Thus Violating LAC: 55 IX (181) (E) (2). Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$250.00.

# **APPLICATIONS**

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

The following applicants applied for a Class OA I crim	t was neare and are nerely radined by the Commission.
True Value Rental	RV Masters
3637 Williams Blvd.	1041 E. Airline Hwy.
Kenner, LA 70065	LaPlace, LA 70068
Fisherman's Quick Stop	A2 Quick Stop LLC
45020 Hwy 191	1813 Hwy 171
Many, LA 71449	Montgomery, LA 71454
Big Buck's #1	Big Buck's # 2
1601 South Vienna Street	2893 Hwy 33
Ruston, LA 71270	Ruston, LA 71270
Hunting Fishing One Stop	Ardoin's Grocery & Market
17680 US 190 East	321 N. St. John St.
Port Barre, LA 70577	Washington, LA 70589
Floyd's Morley Marina LLC	Rice City Chevron
7673 Choctaw Road	530 N. Eastern Ave.
Brusly, LA 70719	Crowley, LA 70526
Xpress Mart	Tiger Discount
3126 Mills St.	13654 Airline Hwy.
Carencro, LA 70520	Gonzales, LA 70737
Rubios Wag A Bag LLC	Evans Corner Store #5
3961 Hwy 112	3531 Ryan Street Ste. A
Forest Hill, LA 71430	Lake Charles, LA 70605
Raceway #902	Village Station Scott
2800 Hwy 14	6337 Cameron Street
New Iberia, LA 70560	Scott, LA 70583

# **MARCH 2024**

#### FIRES AND ACCIDENTS

#### **RELATED:**

THERE WERE NO RELATED FIRES TO REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2024.

#### **UNRELATED:**

FIRE: O'Nealgas Inc., Choudrant, LA reported a fire destroyed the residence of Cole and Lindsey Stevenson,

Ruston, LA. Cause of fire reported as unknown. No injuries or product loss reported.

FIRE: Herring Gas, Jena, LA reported a fire destroyed the residence of Phillip & Jill Riggs Georgetown, LA. Cause

of fire reported as chimney catching on fire. No injuries or product loss reported.

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### CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS

THERE WERE NO COMDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS TO REPORT FOR MARCH 2024.

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 10:00 a.m., April 17, 2024 at 7919

Independence Blvd, Conference Room C & D -1st Floor, Baton Rouge, LA.

Wednesday morning, violations will be heard and applications for permits will be considered.

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#### **APPLICATIONS**

The following applicants have applied for a Class 2 Permit, were administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Invision Technical Solutions	Audubon Plumbing Heating & Cooling Inc.
5557 Vidrine Rd.	61322 Magnolia Dr.
Ville Platte, LA 70586	LaCombe, LA 70445

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

Sherman's Glass Inc.	
1480 Veterans Ave.	
Ponchatoula, LA 70454	

The following applicants have applied for a Class A4 Permit, were administratively granted and is to be ratified by the Commission:

Hilco Liquid Transport LLC	Hilco Transport LLC
7700 Kenmont Road	7700 Kenmont Road
Greensboro, NC 27409	Greensboro, NC 27409

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

Alleman's Grocery	On The Run #36
4215 Bull Island Rd.	101 S. College Road
New Iberia, LA 70560	Lafayette, LA 70503
Raceway #754	Birdies Riverside
2435 North Parkerson Ave.	1524 Hwy 44
Crowley, LA 70526	Reserve, LA 70084

The following applicants applied for a Permit and was unable to meet the requirements of the Commission; therefore, it is requested that all application be withdrawn:

Campti Quick Stop	Star Fuel Grocery LLC
3035 Hwy 71	31564 Highway 15
Campti, LA 71411	Clayton, LA 71326
Big Oak Construction	
3745 Choctaw Dr.	
Baton Rouge, LA 70805	

#### **VIOLATIONS**

#### A & B Tobacco, 2410 E. Napoleon ATTN: Bill Downs, Sulphur, LA 70663 Docket #2024002

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.

## Brothers Petroleum, 2439 Manhattan Blvd. ATTN: Yolanda Graves, Harvey, LA 70058 Docket #2024003

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.

# Buck Stop, 2939 Hwy 182. ATTN: Wicky, Sunset, LA 70584 Docket #2024004

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.

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 Don Robin, Executive Director