



**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONS**

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**TO ALL DEALERS:**

**WARNING!!!!**

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**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 T.E.S.S., as a courtesy, prior to flaring any L. P. Gas tanks. Their toll free number is 1-877-925-6595. This is a courtesy to State Police for any incoming calls they may receive and good public relations with the public.

**TO ALL DEALERS “CONDEMNED INSTALLATIONS” - IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!**

Any L. P. Gas or Anhydrous Ammonia installation or system found **“NOT”** in compliance with the Revised Statutes or the Commission’s Rules and Regulations will be **“CONDEMNED”** for further use

until compliance is achieved. This will be accomplished by posting a **“CONDEMNED INSTALLATION”** decal on the installation or system or by publishing it in the monthly AD letter.

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The L. P. Gas Commission requires proof of insurance in the office on or before the expiration date on the certificate of insurance. If the certificate of insurance is not received on or before the expiration date a citation will be issued. Permit holders must “Cease and Desist” L.P. Gas operations immediately.

**\*\*INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS HAVE GONE UP TO \$1,000,000. THE 1,000,000 REQUIREMENT SHALL BE EFFECTIVE ON THE FIRST PROOF OF INSURANCE REQUIRED AFTER DECEMBER 1, 2003.\*\***

**IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL NEW APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS:**

**NEW APPLICANTS MUST HAVE THE COMPLETE AND CORRECT NAME OF THE BUSINESS ON THE APPLICATION AND THE EXACT SAME NAME ON THE**

**CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE. INCORRECT APPLICATIONS CAN NOT BE PROCESSED AND WILL BE RETURNED!**

**\*\*TRAINING ON HOW TO PROPERLY CONDUCT LEAK CHECKS AS WELL AS ANY OTHER 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.state.la.us/lpg/home.html](http://www.dps.state.la.us/lpg/home.html) .

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission continued its regular meeting Thursday, November 18, 2004 at 7919 Independence Blvd., 1st Floor – Conference Room B, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. James Hopson, with the following members present:

Mrs. Rhonda  
Watson,  
Commissioner  
Mr. Greg  
Morrison,  
Commissioner  
Mr. Jimmy  
Long,  
Commissioner

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

**VIOLATIONS**

Parker Propane Co. PO Box 245-ATTN: Pete Darbonne, Dequincy, LA 70633 Docket # 40121

1. Did continue to engage in the L.P. Gas business without paying the required permit fee; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (A) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended. Found guilty and assessed a penalty of \$500.00.

Lucky 7 Truck Stop, 4322 Hwy. 90-ATTN: Danny Somme, Des Allemands, LA 70030 Docket # 40122

1. Did fail to provide proof 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 \$250.00.

Philo's Fisherman's Supply, 1304 St. Charles St.-ATTN: Art Chauvin, Houma, LA 70360 Docket #40123

1. Did fail to provide proof 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 \$250.00; suspended fine.

**APPLICATIONS**

The following applications for a Name Change were heard and are hereby granted by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

<p>The BOC Group Inc. – Class 6</p> <p>Change to:</p> <p>Airgas Specialty Gases, Inc. 1075 Cinclare Drive Port Allen, LA 70767</p>	<p>The BOC Group Inc. – Class 7</p> <p>Change to:</p> <p>Airgas Specialty Gases, Inc. 1075 Cinclare Drive Port Allen, LA 70767</p>
<p>The BOC Group Inc. – Class 8</p> <p>Change to:</p> <p>Airgas Specialty Gases, Inc. 1075 Cinclare Drive Port Allen, LA 70767</p>	

The following application for an R1 Registration was heard and is hereby ratified by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

<p>Coastal Mechanical Contractors, Inc. 318 Venture Blvd. Houma, LA 70360</p>
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The following applications for a Class 6 Permit were heard and are hereby granted by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

<p>Lil Red's Inc . 100 W. Hwy 90 Iowa, LA 70647</p>	<p>Junction Grocery 8460 Hwy. 190 West Merryville, LA 70653</p>
<p>Dixie RV Superstores, LLC 43135 Pumpkin Center Road Hammond, LA 70403</p>	<p>Airgas – Gulf States Inc.-Lafayette 1300 Surrey Street Lafayette, LA 70501</p>
<p>Northshore Service Center Inc. d/b/a Stop Gas-n-Go 2501 North Hwy. 190 Covington, LA 70433</p>	<p>United Rentals (North America), Inc. 13249 Airline Hwy. Gonzales, LA 70737</p>

The following application for a Class 6 Permit was heard and continued until next month:

<p>Billy's Feed &amp; Hardware LLC 2901 Belgis Pkwy. Sulphur, LA 70663</p>
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The following applications for a Class 6X Permit were heard and are hereby ratified by the Commission:

WJ Development LLC d/b/a Corner Stop Chevron 3111 U.S. Hwy. 90E Broussard, LA 70517	Sun Rose LLC d/b/a T & P's 1519 Hwy. 165 Fenton, LA 70640
Davis Seafood 515 Bosco Hwy. Church Point, LA 70525	OP Bordelon Electric Appliances 15227 Hwy. 451 Moreauville, LA 71355

The following application for a Class 6X Permit was heard and continued until a sketch is received:

McLawrence Foods, LLC d/b/a Mac's Fresh Market #8 320 Plank Road St. Joseph, LA 71366
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The following application for a Class 8 Permit was heard and is hereby granted by the Commission pending completion of Commission requirements:

Airgas – Gulf States Inc.-Lafayette 1300 Surrey Street Lafayette, LA 70501
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**NOVEMBER 2004**  
**FIRES AND ACCIDENTS**

**RELATED:**

FIRE: Ferrellgas, reported a fire damaged the residence of Aura Tompkins, Doyline, LA. The cause of fire was from gas logs installed by a non-licensed dealer, Hol-Mont Sales and Rental. No loss of product or injuries reported.

**UNRELATED:**

FIRE: Ferrellgas, Natchitoches, reported a fire destroyed the residence of John E. Miller, Florien, LA. The cause of fire is still under investigation. No loss of product, one death reported.

FIRE: Cordill Propane, Winnsboro, reported a fire damaged the residence of Martha Anderson,

Winnsboro, LA. The cause of fire was from lightening. No loss of product or injuries reported.

FIRE: Herring Gas Co. Inc., reported a fire destroyed the residence of Casandra Bennett, Bush, LA. The cause of fire was from car under carport. Fire extended to house. No loss of product or injuries reported.

FIRE: Ferrellgas, West Monroe, reported a fire destroyed a chicken house at Red Barn Farm, Bernice, LA. The cause of fire was electrical. No loss of product or injuries reported.

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FIRE: Ferrellgas, reported a fire at residence of Byron Avery, Calhoun, LA. The cause of fire was from grease on electric stove. No loss of product or injuries reported.

ACCIDENT: Dufour Petroleum, reported an **at-fault** accident in which the driver pulled into the travel lane of driver two to make a left hand turn. Driver two struck rear of trailer. Driver one was issued a ticket for failure to yield. No loss of product, one injury reported.

INCIDENT: Ferrellgas, reported an **at-fault** incident in which a small amount of LP Gas was released into the air.

**NOVEMBER, 2004**

**CONDEMNED/UNCONDEMNED SYSTEMS**

Lacox Propane Gas Company, Hammond, LA, reported the following tank stolen. Tank condemned by Commission:

1. 150 gallon, Best tank, located last at 24548 Bloodriver Road, Springfield, LA. Serial #8948.

Mr. John Baudin of Harrell Gas, permanently condemned the following LP Gas tank:

1. Gallons and manufacturer unknown, Located at 63399 Russell Town Rd., Roseland, LA. Serial # unknown. Condemned due to improper appliance installation.

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The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission will meet at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 15, 2004 at The Church Street Inn, 120 Church Street, Natchitoches, LA 71457, in the Cane River Meeting Room. The meeting is for routine business transpiring during the month and will be continued at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, December 16, 2004 at The Church Street Inn, 120 Church Street, Natchitoches, LA 71457, in the Cane River Meeting Room. At the Thursday morning meeting violators will be dealt with and applications will be considered.

**VIOLATIONS**

Rees Street Texaco LLC, 1813 Rees Street-ATTN: Charles Fuselier, Breaux Bridge, LA 70517 Docket # 40124

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

LA Coca-Cola Bottling Co., 5601 Citrus Blvd.-ATTN: Jackie Wishom, Harahan, LA 70123 Docket # 40125

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

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Best Stop Express LLC, 2850 Belle Chase Hwy.-ATTN: Chuck Mince, Gretna, LA 70056 Docket # 40126

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

Deep South Country Store & Hardware-ATTN: William Grantham, Bush, LA 70431 Docket # 40127

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

Dixie Well Supply, 500 Florissant Rd.-ATTN: Rosiland White, St. Bernard, LA 70085 Docket # 40128

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

G. T. S. Grocery Inc., 5806 Topsy Bell Rd.-ATTN: Gwen Quibodeaux, Ragley, LA 70657 Docket # 40129

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

Industrial Welding Supply-Slidell, 60077 Hwy. 11 North-ATTN: Glenn Orgeron, Slidell, LA 70458 Docket # 40130

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

Jiffy Gas, Po Drawer 580-ATTN: James Pierrotti, Kinder, LA 70648 Docket # 40131

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

Roussel's Garden Express, 1301 W. Airline Hwy.-ATTN: Richard Roussel, Laplace, LA 70068 Docket # 40132

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

Stop N Go, LLC 3751 Baratavia Blvd.-ATTN: Chuck Mince, Marrero, LA 70648 Docket # 40133

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

Hol-Mont Sales & Rental, 1040 Hwy. 531-ATTN: Jeff Bridges, Minden, LA 71055 Docket # 40134

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

Venture Transport Logistics LLC, 200 Corporate Blvd. Suite 104-ATTN: Paul Welch, Lafayette, LA 70501 Docket # 40135

1. Did allow Earl Bolden Jr. to transport LP Gas cylinders without a card of competency; thus violating R.S. 40:1849 (C) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Dean Lemoine Plumbing, 5127 Hwy. 115-ATTN: Dean Lemoine, Bunkie, LA 71322 Docket # 40136

1. Did fail to provide proof of insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R.S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

Woodworth Corner Store, P.O. Box 408-ATTN: Harold Muse, Woodworth, LA 71485 Docket #40137

1. Did fail to provide proof of insurance with this Commission as required; thus violating R.S. 40:1847 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

### APPLICATIONS

The following applicants have applied for a Name Change:

Brother's Ace Hardware – Millerville (Class 6)	Farrell Simmons Groc/Washeteria (Class 6)
Change to:	Change to:
Brother's Ace Hardware, Inc. 3085 Millerville Road Baton Rouge, LA 70816	Farrell E. Simmons Propane 38021 Hwy. 438 Mt. Hermon, LA 70450

The following applicant has applied for an R1 Registration and is to be ratified by the Commission:

McGee Plumbing and Mechanical, Inc. 5780 Old Marksville Highway Pineville, LA 71360
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The following applicants have applied for a Class 6 Permit:

Billy's Feed & Hardware LLC 2901 Belgis Pkwy. Sulphur, LA 70663	Dean White Consulting Inc. d/b/a Lincoln Road Stop N Save 560 Lincoln Road Monroe, LA 71203
The R.V. Shop Inc. 14340 S. Choctaw Ext. Baton Rouge, LA 70819	Bayou Trailer Park 7216 Chef Menteur Hwy. New Orleans, LA 70126

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

Delaune's Hardware Inc. d/b/a Delaune's Do It Center 16019 Hwy. 44 Prairieville, LA 70769	T-Chunkman LLC d/b/a Piggly Wiggly 1001 North Main Loreauville, LA 70552
Frost Market 19806 Hwy. 42 Livingston, LA 70754	Louisiana Feed & Supply Co. Inc. 20987 Plank Road Zachary, LA 70791
Joshua's Marina, Inc. 309 Buras Boat Harbor Rd. Buras, LA 70041	R & Y LLC Veterans Store 2316 Veterans Blvd. Metairie, LA 70002
LA Gas, LLC 4457 W. Metairie Ave. Metairie, LA 70001	Racing Express 300 Lee Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70808
Rende's Quik Stop 14012 Hwy. 44 Gonzales, LA 70737	Amil LLC d/b/a Spur Discount Zone 451 Berhman Hwy. Gretna, LA 70056
Tool Time Rental Inc. 225 New Roads St. New Roads, LA 70767	Lambright's LLC 13496 Hwy. 10 Pitkin, LA 70656
Lakeside Kwikmart 3675 Hwy. 4 East Columbia, LA 71418	

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

**NOTICE** : ALL APPLICANTS, WHETHER FOR NEW PERMITS OR CHANGE OF NAME, MUST HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE (OWNER, MANAGER OR OFFICER) AT THE MEETING ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2004 AT THE CHURCH STREET INN, 120 CHURCH STREET, NATCHITOCHE, LA 71457, IN THE CANE RIVER MEETING ROOM. THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS ARE CLASS 6-X AND ANHYDROUS AMMONIA WHO PRESENTLY HOLD A PERMIT WITH THIS COMMISSION.

BY ORDER OF THE LIQUEFIED  
PETROLEUM GAS COMMISSION

CHARLES M. FULLER  
DIRECTOR



