To,

All Auto LPG Operators
(As per list attached)


Sirs

It has been noted that containers fitted to vehicles are not checked for the genuineness and the date of periodical test before filling with LPG at Auto LPG Dispensing Stations. Filling of the test due containers with LPG not only violates Rule 26 of the Gas Cylinders Rules, 2004, but may also endanger public safety. Hence, you are advised to develop a fool proof mechanism so that spurious and test due containers are not filled with LPG at your Auto LPG Dispensing Stations.

Your attention is also drawn to this office circular no. PV(ALDS)/Misc./2008 dt. 17/10/2008 and again advised to ensure that:

a. Unloading of auto LPG road tankers is carried out during sunrise to sunset only.

b. LPG tankers being utilized for delivery of auto LPG is of fixed chassis type provided with internal type excess flow check valve and having pay load not exceeding 12.5 MT.

You are therefore, advised to comply with above recommendations and submit a report by 31st October, 2015 to this office.

Yours faithfully,

[ Dr. S. Kamal ]
Chief Controller of Explosives

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action:
1. The Joint Secretary, The Ministry of Road transport & Highways, Transport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi 110001.

   It is requested to issue advisory to all State Transport Authorities for endorsement of details of LPG Cylinders/containers fitted to the vehicles and periodic test dates of LPG containers while issuing yearly fitness certificate of the vehicle and marking of service life etc. of the LPG containers/Cylinders in vehicle’s registration Book.

2. All Circle and sub-circle Offices