

Figure: 16 TAC §9.15(e)  
(Revised January 2020)

**TABLE 1. LP-Gas Penalty Schedule Guideline**

<b>LP-Gas Rule/Statute</b>	<b>General Description</b>	<b>Typical Minimum Penalty Amount/Range</b>
Tex. Nat. Res. Code, Chapter 113	Any violation of Chapter 113, Texas Natural Resources Code	\$1,000-2,500
16 TAC §9.4(a)	Retention of records	\$500
16 TAC §9.4(d)	Licensee and registrant obligations	\$2,500
16 TAC §9.7(a)	Performing LP-gas activities without proper certification and/or license	\$500
16 TAC §9.7(d)	Copies of licenses and/or certifications	\$100
16 TAC §9.7(g)	Company representative and/or branch manager	\$500
16 TAC §9.7(h)	Performing container manufacturing activities without proper registration	\$500
16 TAC §9.7(j)	License renewals and manufacturer registration lapse, 1-2 months	\$500
16 TAC §9.7(j)	License renewals and manufacturer registration lapse, 3-4 months	\$750
16 TAC §9.7(j)	License renewals and manufacturer registration lapse, 5-6 months	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.7(j)	License renewals and manufacturer registration lapse, more than 6 months	\$1,000-2,500
16 TAC §9.9	Requirements for certificate renewal	\$250
16 TAC §9.11	Employee transfers	\$100
16 TAC §9.12	Trainees	\$500-1,000
16 TAC §9.13	General installers and repairman exception	\$500-1,000
16 TAC §9.17	Designation and responsibilities of company reps	\$500
16 TAC §9.21	Franchise tax certification and assumed name certificates	\$500
16 TAC §9.22	Changes in ownership, form or name of dealership	\$500
16 TAC §9.23	Limitation/avoidance of licensee liability	\$2,500
16 TAC §9.26	Insurance and self-insurance requirements	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.28	Reasonable safety provisions	\$2,500
16 TAC §9.32	Consumer safety notification	\$500
16 TAC §9.35	Written procedure for leak check	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.36(a)	Report of an LP-gas incident/accident	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.36(c)	Completed Form 20	\$100
16 TAC §9.36(e)	Category P must notify supplier of incident	\$250
16 TAC §9.41	Testing LP-gas systems in school facilities	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.101(b)	Filings for stationary installations Form 501 (< 10,000 gal AWC), 1-5 occurrences	\$100
16 TAC §9.101(b)	Filings for stationary installations Form 501 (< 10,000 gal AWC), 6-10 occurrences	\$200
16 TAC §9.101(b)	Filings for stationary installations Form 501 (< 10,000 gal AWC), >10 occurrences	\$500
16 TAC §9.101(c)	Filings for stationary installations Form 500 (>= 10,000 gal AWC)	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.109	Physical inspection of stationary installation	\$250-1,000
16 TAC §9.113	Maintenance	\$250-1,000
16 TAC §9.114(a)	Odorization in accordance with NFPA 58	\$500-2,500
16 TAC §9.126(a)-(b)	All appurtenances and equipment shall be listed	\$1,000

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16 TAC §9.126(c)	Licensee or operator of equipment not listed but approved for use by manufacturer shall maintain documentation	\$250
16 TAC §9.129	Manufacturer's nameplate and markings	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.131	200 PSIG working pressure stationary vessels	\$500-1,000
16 TAC §9.132	Sales to unlicensed individuals	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.134	Connecting container to piping	\$250-1,000
16 TAC §9.135	Unsafe or unapproved containers, cylinders or piping	\$500-2,500
16 TAC §9.136	Filling DOT containers	\$500-2,500
16 TAC §9.137	Inspection of containers at each filling	\$500
16 TAC §9.140	Uniform protection standards	\$100-750
16 TAC §9.141	Uniform safety requirements	\$100-750
16 TAC §9.142	LP-gas storage and installation requirements	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.143	Bulkhead, internal valve, ball valve and ESV protection	\$500-2,500
16 TAC §9.201	Applicability (includes 49 CFR 100-185)	\$500-2,500
16 TAC §9.202	Registration and transfer of LP-gas transports	\$500-1,500
16 TAC §9.203	School bus, public transportation, mass and special transit	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.204	Maintenance of vehicles	\$250-1,000
16 TAC §9.206	Vehicle identification labels	\$50-100
16 TAC §9.208	Testing requirements	\$250-1,000
16 TAC §9.211	Markings	\$250
16 TAC §9.212	Manifests	\$250
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 adopted by reference unless otherwise listed	\$250-2,500
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 7.1.2.1 underground piping cover requirements	\$250-750
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 7.1.7.1 connection of plastic piping	\$500-1,000
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 7.1.7.3 tracer wire	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 7.7.2.1 cap all outlets	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 8.2.3 test for leakage	\$1,500
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 9.1.1.2 appliance installation	\$500-1,000
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 9.6.8 sediment trap	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.301	NFPA 54 Section 12.2.1 venting of appliances	\$500-1,000
16 TAC §9.306	Room heaters in public buildings	\$250-1,000
16 TAC §9.307	Identification of converted appliances	\$100-250
16 TAC §9.308	Identification of piping installation	\$100-250
16 TAC §9.311	Special exceptions for appliance connectors and piping support on agricultural and industrial structures	\$100-500
16 TAC §9.312	Certification requirements for joining methods	\$500
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 adopted by reference unless otherwise listed	\$250-2,500
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 6.4.1.1 (distance from container), first occurrence	\$500
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 6.4.1.1 (distance from container), 2nd occurrence	\$750
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 6.4.1.1 (distance from container), 3 or more occurrences	\$1,000

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16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 5.2.2.3 and 11.3.1.5 (requalification of cylinders), 1-10 cylinders	\$500
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 5.2.2.3 and 11.3.1.5 (requalification of cylinders), 11-20 cylinders	\$750
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 5.2.2.3 and 11.3.1.5 (requalification of cylinders), >20 cylinders	\$1,000
16 TAC §9.401	NFPA 58 Section 9.4.8 (chock blocks)	\$100-250
16 TAC §9.403	Sections in NFPA 58 not adopted by reference or adopted with change or additional requirements	\$250-2,500