

# PUBLIC NOTICE



## CRACKDOWN ON UNLICENSED LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS (LPG) OPERATIONS

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The Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC) in conjunction with the Directorate of Criminal Investigations (DCI) recently impounded 12 bulk LPG road tankers at the Namanga Border.

During the operation, thirteen (13) suspects were arrested. The suspects were arraigned in Court and charged with importation, transportation and sale of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) without valid licences issued under the Energy Act 2006.

ERC shall intensify countrywide surveillance in the LPG sector to curb the following malpractices:

- a. Importation and sale of LPG that does not meet Kenyan Standards;
- b. Transportation of bulk LPG without a valid licence from ERC;
- c. Wholesale of bulk LPG without a valid licence from ERC;
- d. Operation of LPG storage and filling plants without valid licences from ERC;
- e. Filling of LPG cylinders without the authority of the brand owner.
- f. Filling and sale of LPG cylinders that do not meet Kenya Standards.

Members of the public are urged to be vigilant and to immediately report any suspected instances of malpractice in the petroleum subsector to the Commission through: [compliance@erc.go.ke](mailto:compliance@erc.go.ke) or hotline numbers 0708 444 000 or 0709 336 000.

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