

## a) Requirements for Licence for Retail of LPG via Smart Meter Technology:

- 1. Certificate of Incorporation / Business Registration Certificate;
- 2. CR12 from the Registrar of companies (should not be older than 1 year at the time of submission of the application. Further, if a Limited company appears as part of the shareholders, provide the company's CR12 plus all the Directors' IDs);
- 3. Legible Copies of Identification Documents (*IDs/Passports for all the directors*);
- 4. Valid Work Permits Class "G" for all foreign directors working in Kenya (Foreign directors not resident in Kenya should provide a notarized declaration. Further, any employee given Powers of Attorney by a foreign director should provide a copy of their identification document);
- 5. A valid Tax Compliance Certificate for the applicant from the Kenya Revenue Authority;
- 6. A valid Single Business Permit for the premises of operation from the respective County Government;
- 7. Proof of ownership of at least 5,000 cylinders of either 0.5,1,3,6 or 13kg or a written authority for distributorship of a particular brand from a licensed LPG cylinder brand owner;
- 8. A valid Fire Clearance Certificate for the premises from the respective County Government;
- Type Approval Certificate for the smart meter from the Department of Weights and Measures;
- 10. A valid calibration certificate for the smart meter from the Department of Weights and Measures;
- 11. ATEX certification for the smart meter;
- 12. Certificate of conformity for the smart meter-valve assembly from the Kenya Bureau of Standards;
- 13. Customer service charter; and
- 14. Customer complaints handling procedure.

## b) Online application procedure:

To apply, visit the Online Services Portal on the EPRA website and follow the following steps:

1. Click "Create Account";

- 2. Click on "License Management" then select "New Licence Application";
- 3. Select the preferred Category in this case Retail of LPG Via Smart Meter Technology;
- 4. Read and accept the licence conditions provided and click on "Proceed with registration icon";
- 5. Follow the application process step by step by filling in the required information and click "Save";
- 6. Attach the required documents as per the licence category; and
- 7. Submit the application.

## c) Requirement for renewal:

- 1. *CR12* from the Registrar of companies (should not be older than 1 year at the time of submission of the application. Further, if a Limited company appears as part of the shareholders, provide the company's CR12 plus all the Directors' IDs);
- 2. Legible Copies of Identification Documents (IDs/Passports for all the directors);
- 3. Valid Work Permits Class "G" for all foreign directors working in Kenya (Foreign directors not resident in Kenya should provide a notarized declaration. Further, any employee given Powers of Attorney by a foreign director should provide a copy of their identification document);
- 4. A valid Tax Compliance Certificate for the applicant from the Kenya Revenue Authority;
- A valid Single Business Permit for the premises of operation from the respective County Government;
- 6. Proof of ownership of at least 5,000 cylinders of either 0.5,1,3,6 or 13kg or a written authority for distributorship of a particular brand from a licensed LPG cylinder brand owner;
- 7. A valid Fire Clearance Certificate for the premises from the respective County Government;
- 8. A valid calibration certificate for the smart meter from the Department of Weights and Measures;
- 9. Customer service charter; and
- 10. Customer complaints handling procedure.

## d) Licence processing period, duration and charges:

- 1. Applications for licences are evaluated within 30 calendar days from date of receipt.
- 2. No fees are charged for Petroleum Business Licences issued by EPRA.