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## NEW CONTROLLED PRICES FOR LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS (LPG)

The Supplies Control Unit (SCU) in the Ministry of Agriculture, Food Security and Enterprise is hereby informing the general public that effective <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>February 16<sup>th</sup></u>, <u>2021</u> new fixed controlled prices will be introduced for the sale of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG). This change now reflects the sale by wholesale volume and retail sale by volume in both urban and rural areas.

WHOLESALE		
District	Per Gallon	
Belize District	\$3.42	
Cayo District	\$3.42	
Orange Walk District	\$3.42	
Corozal District	\$3.42	
Stann Creek District	\$3.42	
Toledo District	\$3.42	

RETAIL			
Urban Area	Per Pound	Per Gallon	
Belize City	\$1.14	\$5.02	
Belmopan	\$1.14	\$5.02	
San Ignacio Town	\$1.14	\$5.02	
Benque Viejo Del Carmen Town	\$1.14	\$5.02	
Orange Walk Town	\$1.14	\$5.02	
Corozal Town	\$1.14	\$5.02	
Dangriga Town	\$1.14	\$5.02	
Punta Gorda Town	\$1.14	\$5.02	

RETAIL			
Rural Area	Per Pound	Per Gallon	
Rural areas of the Belize District	\$1.16	\$5.12	
Rural areas of the Cayo District	\$1.16	\$5.12	
Rural areas of the Orange Walk District	\$1.16	\$5.12	
Rural areas of the Corozal District	\$1.16	\$5.12	
Rural areas of the Stann Creek District	\$1.16	\$5.12	
Rural areas of the Toledo District	\$1.16	\$5.12	





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The monthly increase in February is due to an upward bound in acquisition prices, as US Gulf Coast stocks continue to dwindle in the face of strong and steady residential demand, particularly for propane.

The general public is advised that the prices established for imported LPG are based on the mixtures of 70:30 (Propane: Butane) only as per requirement of the Belize National Standard Specification for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) BZS 21:2012. For further information, kindly contact the office of the Belize Bureau of Standards at 822-0446, 822-0447 or via email at bbs@btl.net or scu@bbs.gov.bz.

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