

**Gazette**  
officielle  
**DU Québec**

Part

**2**

**No. 44A**

29 October 2020

**Laws and Regulations**

Volume 152

**Summary**

Table of Contents  
Regulations and other Acts  
Orders in Council  
Ministerial Orders  
Index

Legal deposit – 1st Quarter 1968  
Bibliothèque nationale du Québec  
© Éditeur officiel du Québec, 2020

All rights reserved in all countries. No part of this publication may be translated, used or reproduced for commercial purposes by any means, whether electronic or mechanical, including micro-reproduction, without the written authorization of the Québec Official Publisher.

# NOTICE TO USERS

---

The *Gazette officielle du Québec* is the means by which the Québec Government makes its decisions official. It is published in two separate editions under the authority of the Act respecting the Ministère de l'Emploi et de la Solidarité sociale and the Commission des partenaires du marché du travail (chapter M-15.001) and the Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

Partie 1, entitled "Avis juridiques", is published at least every Saturday. If a Saturday is a legal holiday, the Official Publisher is authorized to publish it on the preceding day or on the following Monday.

Partie 2, entitled "Lois et règlements", and the English edition, Part 2 "Laws and Regulations", are published at least every Wednesday. If a Wednesday is a legal holiday, the Official Publisher is authorized to publish them on the preceding day or on the Thursday following such holiday.

## Part 2 – LAWS AND REGULATIONS

### Internet

The *Gazette officielle du Québec* Part 2 is available to all free of charge and is published at 0:01 a.m. each Wednesday at the following address:

[www.publicationsduquebec.gouv.qc.ca](http://www.publicationsduquebec.gouv.qc.ca)

### Contents

Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, section 4

Part 2 shall contain:

- (1) Acts assented to;
- (2) proclamations and Orders in Council for the coming into force of Acts;
- (3) regulations and other statutory instruments whose publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* is required by law or by the Government;
- (4) regulations made by courts of justice and quasi-judicial tribunals;
- (5) drafts of the texts referred to in paragraphs (3) and (4) whose publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* is required by law before they are made, adopted or issued by the competent authority or before they are approved by the Government, a minister, a group of ministers or a government body; and
- (6) any other document published in the French Edition of Part 2, where the Government orders that the document also be published in English.

### Rates\*

1. Annual subscription to the printed version

Partie 1 «Avis juridiques»:	\$529
Partie 2 «Lois et règlements»:	\$725
Part 2 «Laws and Regulations»:	\$725

2. Acquisition of a printed issue of the *Gazette officielle du Québec*: \$11.32 per copy.

3. Publication of a document in Partie 1:  
\$1.82 per agate line.

4. Publication of a document in Part 2:  
\$1.21 per agate line.

A minimum rate of \$265 is applied, however, in the case of a publication of fewer than 220 agate lines.

\* **Taxes not included.**

### General conditions

The electronic files of the document to be published — a Word version and a PDF with the signature of a person in authority — must be sent by email ([gazette.officielle@servicesquebec.gouv.qc.ca](mailto:gazette.officielle@servicesquebec.gouv.qc.ca)) and received **no later than 11:00 a.m. on the Monday** preceding the week of publication. Documents received after the deadline are published in the following edition.

The editorial calendar listing publication deadlines is available on the website of the Publications du Québec.

In the email, please clearly identify the contact information of the person to whom the invoice must be sent (name, address, telephone and email).

For information, please contact us:

#### Gazette officielle du Québec

Email: [gazette.officielle@servicesquebec.gouv.qc.ca](mailto:gazette.officielle@servicesquebec.gouv.qc.ca)  
1000, route de l'Église, bureau 500  
Québec (Québec) G1V 3V9

### Subscriptions

For a subscription to the printed version of the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, please contact:

#### Les Publications du Québec

Customer service – Subscriptions  
1000, route de l'Église, bureau 500  
Québec (Québec) G1V 3V9  
Telephone: 418 643-5150  
Toll free: 1 800 463-2100

Fax: 418 643-6177

Toll free: 1 800 561-3479

**All claims must be reported to us within 20 days of the shipping date.**

---

## Table of Contents

Page

---

### Regulations and other Acts

---

1128-2020	Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year (Amend.) . . . . .	3053A
-----------	--	-------

---

### Orders in Council

---

1113-2020	Renewal of the public health emergency pursuant to section 119 of the Public Health Act . . . . .	3055A
1145-2020	Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . .	3057A

---

### Ministerial Orders

---

2020-080	Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . .	3059A
2020-081	Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . .	3060A
2020-082	Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . .	3062A
2020-084	Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . .	3063A



## Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

### O.C. 1128-2020, 28 October 2020

Education Act  
(chapter I-13.3)

#### **Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year — Amendment**

Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 447 of the Education Act (chapter I-13.3), the Government may make regulations to be known as the “basic school regulation”;

WHEREAS the Government made the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education (chapter I-13.3, r. 8);

WHEREAS, for the purposes of the 2020-2021 school year, the Government made the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year by Order in Council 1028-2020 dated 7 October 2020;

WHEREAS, under subparagraph 1 of the second paragraph of section 447 of the Education Act, the basic school regulation made by the Government relates to the nature and objectives of educational services, including preschool education, instructional services, student services and special educational services as well as the general organizational framework thereof;

WHEREAS, under subparagraph 2 of the third paragraph of section 447 of the Act, the basic school regulation may establish rules respecting the school calendar;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 458 of the Act, a draft regulation was submitted to the Conseil supérieur de l'éducation for examination;

WHEREAS, by Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020, the Government declared a public health emergency and took certain measures to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS, under section 12 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a proposed regulation may be made without having been published if the authority making it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS, under section 13 of that Act, the reason justifying the absence of such publication must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS, under section 18 of that Act, a regulation may come into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* where the authority that has made it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it, and the reason justifying such coming into force must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS the Government is of the opinion that the urgency owing to the following circumstances warrants the absence of prior publication and such amendment of the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year:

— the COVID-19 pandemic requires that more and more students receive distance educational services;

— distance educational services involve new methods of instruction and require training and planning by teachers and school organizations;

— consultation and coming into force periods would not allow the addition of days dedicated to training and planning for the teaching staff before January 2021;

— it is necessary to provide as soon as possible time for teachers to take further training on distance educational services and plan the organization of those services given the evolution of the epidemiological situation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Education:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020- 2021 school year, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

## **Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year**

Education Act  
(chapter I-13.3, s. 447)

**1.** The Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year, made by Order in Council 1028-2020 dated 7 October 2020, is amended by inserting the following before section 1:

“**0.1.** Section 16 of the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education (chapter I-13.3, r. 8) reads as follows for the 2020-2021 school year:

“**16.** The school calendar for students shall consist of the equivalent of a maximum of 200 days, at least 177 of which must be devoted to educational services.

However, for the students with handicaps and the students living in the low-income areas referred to in the second and third paragraphs of section 12, the school calendar shall consist of the equivalent of a maximum of 200 half-days, at least 177 of which must be devoted to educational services, unless the school board, to the extent and on the conditions determined by the Minister, grants them an exemption.”.

To give effect to the first paragraph, 3 days or half-days devoted to educational services, as the case may be, must be deducted from the school calendar established for the 2020-2021 school year. Not more than 1 day or half-day per month may be deducted.

**2.** This Regulation comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

104689

## Orders in Council

Gouvernement du Québec

### **O.C. 1113-2020, 28 October 2020**

Renewal of the public health emergency pursuant to section 119 of the Public Health Act

WHEREAS the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 to be a pandemic on 11 March 2020;

WHEREAS, under section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS the pandemic constitutes a serious and real threat to the health of the population that requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act;

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 119 of the Act, the public health emergency declared by the Government is effective for a maximum period of ten days at the expiry of which it may be renewed, as many times as necessary, for a maximum period of ten days or, with the consent of the National Assembly, for a maximum period of 30 days;

WHEREAS, under section 121 of the Act, the public health emergency is effective as soon as it is declared or renewed;

WHEREAS, while the public health emergency is in effect, despite any provision to the contrary, the Government or the Minister of Health and Social Services, if the Minister has been so empowered, may, without delay and without further formality, take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS, by Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020, the Government declared a public health emergency and took certain measures to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS the public health emergency was renewed until 29 March 2020 by Order in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, until 7 April 2020 by Order in

Council 388-2020 dated 29 March 2020, until 16 April 2020 by Order in Council 418-2020 dated 7 April 2020, until 24 April 2020 by Order in Council 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, until 29 April 2020 by Order in Council 478-2020 dated 22 April 2020, until 6 May 2020 by Order in Council 483-2020 dated 29 April 2020, until 13 May 2020 by Order in Council 501-2020 dated 6 May 2020, until 20 May 2020 by Order in Council 509-2020 dated 13 May 2020, until 27 May 2020 by Order in Council 531-2020 dated 20 May 2020, until 3 June 2020 by Order in Council 544-2020 dated 27 May 2020, until 10 June 2020 by Order in Council 572-2020 dated 3 June 2020, until 17 June 2020 by Order in Council 593-2020 dated 10 June 2020, until 23 June 2020 by Order in Council 630-2020 dated 17 June 2020, until 30 June 2020 by Order in Council 667-2020 dated 23 June 2020, until 8 July 2020 by Order in Council 690-2020 dated 30 June 2020, until 15 July 2020 by Order in Council 717-2020 dated 8 July 2020, until 22 July 2020 by Order in Council 807-2020 dated 15 July 2020, until 29 July 2020 by Order in Council 811-2020 dated 22 July 2020, until 5 August 2020 by Order in Council 814-2020 dated 29 July 2020, until 12 August 2020 by Order in Council 815-2020 dated 5 August 2020, until 19 August 2020 by Order in Council 818-2020 dated 12 August 2020, until 26 August 2020 by Order in Council 845-2020 dated 19 August 2020, until 2 September 2020 by Order in Council 895-2020 dated 26 August 2020, until 9 September 2020 by Order in Council 917-2020 dated 2 September 2020, until 16 September 2020 by Order in Council 925-2020 dated 9 September 2020, until 23 September 2020 by Order in Council 948-2020 dated 16 September 2020, until 30 September 2020 by Order in Council 965-2020 dated 23 September 2020, until 7 October 2020 by Order in Council 1000-2020 dated 30 September 2020, until 14 October 2020 by Order in Council 1023-2020 dated 7 October 2020, until 21 October 2020 by Order in Council 1051-2020 dated 14 October 2020 and until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020;

WHEREAS, by Orders in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, 223-2020 dated 24 March 2020, 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, 496-2020 dated 29 April 2020, 500-2020 dated 1 May 2020, 505-2020 dated 6 May 2020, 530-2020 dated 19 May 2020, 539-2020 and 540-2020 dated 20 May 2020, 543-2020 dated 22 May 2020, 566-2020 dated 27 May 2020, 588-2020 dated 3 June 2020, 615-2020 dated 10 June 2020, 651-2020 dated 17 June 2020, 689-2020 dated 25 June 2020, 708-2020 dated 30 June 2020, 788-2020 dated 8 July 2020, 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, 813-2020 dated

22 July 2020, 817-2020 dated 5 August 2020, 885-2020 dated 19 August 2020, 913-2020 dated 26 August 2020, 943-2020 dated 9 September 2020, 947-2020 dated 11 September 2020, 964-2020 dated 21 September 2020, 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020 and 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, the Government took certain measures to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS, by Ministerial Orders 2020-003 dated 14 March 2020, 2020-004 dated 15 March 2020, 2020-005 dated 17 March 2020, 2020-006 dated 19 March 2020, 2020-007 dated 21 March 2020, 2020-008 dated 22 March 2020, 2020-009 dated 23 March 2020, 2020-010 dated 27 March 2020, 2020-011 dated 28 March 2020, 2020-012 dated 30 March 2020, 2020-013 dated 1 April 2020, 2020-014 dated 2 April 2020, 2020-015 dated 4 April 2020, 2020-016 dated 7 April 2020, 2020-017 dated 8 April 2020, 2020-018 dated 9 April 2020, 2020-019 and 2020-020 dated 10 April 2020, 2020-021 dated 14 April 2020, 2020-022 dated 15 April 2020, 2020-023 dated 17 April 2020, 2020-025 dated 19 April 2020, 2020-026 dated 20 April 2020, 2020-027 dated 22 April 2020, 2020-028 dated 25 April 2020, 2020-029 dated 26 April 2020, 2020-030 dated 29 April 2020, 2020-031 dated 3 May 2020, 2020-032 dated 5 May 2020, 2020-033 dated 7 May 2020, 2020-034 dated 9 May 2020, 2020-035 dated 10 May 2020, 2020-037 dated 14 May 2020, 2020-038 dated 15 May 2020, 2020-039 dated 22 May 2020, 2020-041 dated 30 May 2020, 2020-042 dated 4 June 2020, 2020-043 dated 6 June 2020, 2020-044 dated 12 June 2020, 2020-045 dated 17 June 2020, 2020-047 dated 19 June 2020, 2020-048 dated 26 June 2020, 2020-049 dated 4 July 2020, 2020-050 dated 7 July 2020, 2020-051 dated 10 July 2020, 2020-052 dated 19 July 2020, 2020-053 dated 1 August 2020, 2020-055 dated 6 August 2020, 2020-058 dated 17 August 2020, 2020-059 dated 26 August 2020, 2020-060 dated 28 August 2020, 2020-061 dated 1 September 2020, 2020-062 dated 4 September 2020, 2020-063 dated 11 September 2020, 2020-064 dated 17 September 2020, 2020-066 dated 18 September 2020, 2020-067 dated 19 September 2020, 2020-068 dated 20 September 2020, 2020-069 dated 22 September 2020, 2020-072 dated 25 September 2020, 2020-074 and 2020-075 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-076 dated 5 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020, 2020-078 dated 10 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020, 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020, 2020-082 dated 25 October 2020 and 2020-084 dated 27 October 2020, the Minister also took certain measures to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS it is expedient to renew the public health emergency for a period of eight days;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Health and Social Services:

THAT the public health emergency be renewed until 4 November 2020;

THAT the measures provided for in Orders in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020, 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, 505-2020 dated 6 May 2020, 566-2020 dated 27 May 2020, 615-2020 dated 10 June 2020, 651-2020 dated 17 June 2020, 689-2020 dated 25 June 2020, 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, 813-2020 dated 22 July 2020, 817-2020 dated 5 August 2020, 885-2020 dated 19 August 2020, 913-2020 dated 26 August 2020, 943-2020 dated 9 September 2020, 947-2020 dated 11 September 2020, 964-2020 dated 21 September 2020, 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020 and 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, and by Ministerial Orders 2020-004 dated 15 March 2020, 2020-007 dated 21 March 2020, 2020-008 dated 22 March 2020, 2020-013 dated 1 April 2020, 2020-014 dated 2 April 2020, 2020-015 dated 4 April 2020, 2020-016 dated 7 April 2020, 2020-017 dated 8 April 2020, 2020-019 and 2020-020 dated 10 April 2020, 2020-022 dated 15 April 2020, 2020-023 dated 17 April 2020, 2020-026 dated 20 April 2020, 2020-027 dated 22 April 2020, 2020-028 dated 25 April 2020, 2020-029 dated 26 April 2020, 2020-030 dated 29 April 2020, 2020-031 dated 3 May 2020, 2020-032 dated 5 May 2020, 2020-033 dated 7 May 2020, 2020-034 dated 9 May 2020, 2020-035 dated 10 May 2020, 2020-037 dated 14 May 2020, 2020-038 dated 15 May 2020, 2020-039 dated 22 May 2020, 2020-041 dated 30 May 2020, 2020-042 dated 4 June 2020, 2020-043 dated 6 June 2020, 2020-044 dated 12 June 2020, 2020-045 dated 17 June 2020, 2020-047 dated 19 June 2020, 2020-048 dated 26 June 2020, 2020-049 dated 4 July 2020, 2020-050 dated 7 July 2020, 2020-051 dated 10 July 2020, 2020-058 dated 17 August 2020, 2020-059 dated 26 August 2020, 2020-060 dated 28 August 2020, 2020-061 dated 1 September 2020, 2020-062 dated 4 September 2020, 2020-063 dated 11 September 2020, 2020-064 dated 17 September 2020, 2020-066 dated 18 September 2020, 2020-067 dated 19 September 2020, 2020-069 dated 22 September 2020, 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-076 dated 5 October 2020, 2020-078 dated 10 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020, 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020, 2020-082 dated 25 October 2020 and 2020-084 dated 27 October 2020, except to the extent that they were amended by those Orders in Council or Ministerial Orders, continue to apply until 4 November 2020 or until the Government or the Minister of Health and Social Services modifies or terminates them;



THAT the Minister of Health and Social Services be empowered to take any measure provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2).

YVES OUELLET,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

104695

Gouvernement du Québec

### **O.C. 1145-2020, 28 October 2020**

Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation

WHEREAS the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 to be a pandemic on 11 March 2020;

WHEREAS, under section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS the pandemic constitutes a serious and real threat to the health of the population that requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act;

WHEREAS, while the public health emergency is in effect, despite any provision to the contrary, the Government or the Minister of Health and Social Services, if the Minister has been so empowered, may, without delay and without further formality, take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS, by Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020, the Government declared a public health emergency and took certain measures to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS the public health emergency was renewed until 29 March 2020 by Order in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, until 7 April 2020 by Order in Council 388-2020 dated 29 March 2020, until 16 April 2020 by Order in Council 418-2020 dated 7 April 2020, until 24 April 2020 by Order in Council 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, until 29 April 2020 by Order in Council 478-2020 dated 22 April 2020, until 6 May 2020 by Order in Council 483-2020 dated 29 April 2020, until

13 May 2020 by Order in Council 501-2020 dated 6 May 2020, until 20 May 2020 by Order in Council 509-2020 dated 13 May 2020, until 27 May 2020 by Order in Council 531-2020 dated 20 May 2020, until 3 June 2020 by Order in Council 544-2020 dated 27 May 2020, until 10 June 2020 by Order in Council 572-2020 dated 3 June 2020, until 17 June 2020 by Order in Council 593-2020 dated 10 June 2020, until 23 June 2020 by Order in Council 630-2020 dated 17 June 2020, until 30 June 2020 by Order in Council 667-2020 dated 23 June 2020, until 8 July 2020 by Order in Council 690-2020 dated 30 June 2020, until 15 July 2020 by Order in Council 717-2020 dated 8 July 2020, until 22 July 2020 by Order in Council 807-2020 dated 15 July 2020, until 29 July 2020 by Order in Council 811-2020 dated 22 July 2020, until 5 August 2020 by Order in Council 814-2020 dated 29 July 2020, until 12 August 2020 by Order in Council 815-2020 dated 5 August 2020, until 19 August 2020 by Order in Council 818-2020 dated 12 August 2020, until 26 August 2020 by Order in Council 845-2020 dated 19 August 2020, until 2 September 2020 by Order in Council 895-2020 dated 26 August 2020, until 9 September 2020 by Order in Council 917-2020 dated 2 September 2020, until 16 September 2020 by Order in Council 925-2020 dated 9 September 2020, until 23 September 2020 by Order in Council 948-2020 dated 16 September 2020, until 30 September 2020 by Order in Council 965-2020 dated 23 September 2020, until 7 October 2020 by Order in Council 1000-2020 dated 30 September 2020, until 14 October 2020 by Order in Council 1023-2020 dated 7 October 2020, until 21 October 2020 by Order in Council 1051-2020 dated 14 October 2020, until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020 and until 4 November 2020 by Order in Council 1113-2020 dated 28 October 2020;

WHEREAS the latter Order in Council provides that the measures provided for by Orders in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020, 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, 505-2020 dated 6 May 2020, 566-2020 dated 27 May 2020, 615-2020 dated 10 June 2020, 651-2020 dated 17 June 2020, 689-2020 dated 25 June 2020, 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, 813-2020 dated 22 July 2020, 817-2020 dated 5 August 2020, 885-2020 dated 19 August 2020, 913-2020 dated 26 August 2020, 943-2020 dated 9 September 2020, 947-2020 dated 11 September 2020, 964-2020 dated 21 September 2020, 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020 and 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, and by Ministerial Orders 2020-004 dated 15 March 2020, 2020-007 dated 21 March 2020, 2020-008 dated 22 March 2020, 2020-013 dated 1 April 2020, 2020-014 dated 2 April 2020, 2020-015 dated 4 April 2020, 2020-016 dated 7 April 2020, 2020-017 dated 8 April 2020, 2020-019 and 2020-020 dated 10 April 2020, 2020-022 dated 15 April 2020, 2020-023 dated 17 April 2020, 2020-026 dated 20 April 2020, 2020-027 dated

22 April 2020, 2020-028 dated 25 April 2020, 2020-029 dated 26 April 2020, 2020-030 dated 29 April 2020, 2020-031 dated 3 May 2020, 2020-032 dated 5 May 2020, 2020-033 dated 7 May 2020, 2020-034 dated 9 May 2020, 2020-035 dated 10 May 2020, 2020-037 dated 14 May 2020, 2020-038 dated 15 May 2020, 2020-039 dated 22 May 2020, 2020-041 dated 30 May 2020, 2020-042 dated 4 June 2020, 2020-043 dated 6 June 2020, 2020-044 dated 12 June 2020, 2020-045 dated 17 June 2020, 2020-047 dated 19 June 2020, 2020-048 dated 26 June 2020, 2020-049 dated 4 July 2020, 2020-050 dated 7 July 2020, 2020-051 dated 10 July 2020, 2020-058 dated 17 August 2020, 2020-059 dated 26 August 2020, 2020-060 dated 28 August 2020, 2020-061 dated 1 September 2020, 2020-062 dated 4 September 2020, 2020-063 dated 11 September 2020, 2020-064 dated 17 September 2020, 2020-066 dated 18 September 2020, 2020-067 dated 19 September 2020, 2020-069 dated 22 September 2020, 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-076 dated 5 October 2020, 2020-078 dated 10 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020, 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020, 2020-082 dated 25 October 2020 and 2020-084 dated 27 October 2020, except to the extent that they were amended by those Orders in Council or Ministerial Orders, continue to apply until 4 November 2020 or until the Government or the Minister of Health and Social Services modifies or terminates them;

WHEREAS Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020, 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020 and 2020-084 dated 27 October 2020 and Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, provides in particular, despite any provision to the contrary of an Order in Council or a Ministerial Order made under section 123 of the Public Health Act, certain special measures applicable in certain territories;

WHEREAS it is expedient to order certain measures to protect the health of the population;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore on the recommendation of the Minister of Health and Social Services:

THAT no person may be in a place whose activities are suspended under subparagraph 5 of the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020 and its subsequent amendments;

THAT, despite the preceding paragraph, a person may be in such a place to carry out an activity that has not been otherwise suspended by an Order in Council or a Ministerial Order.

YVES OUELLET,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

104696

## Ministerial Orders

### M.O., 2020

#### Order number 2020-080 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 21 October 2020

Public Health Act  
(chapter S-2.2)

Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES,

CONSIDERING section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), which provides that the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

CONSIDERING Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020 declaring a public health emergency throughout Québec for a period of 10 days;

CONSIDERING that the public health emergency was renewed until 29 March 2020 by Order in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, until 7 April 2020 by Order in Council 388-2020 dated 29 March 2020, until 16 April 2020 by Order in Council 418-2020 dated 7 April 2020, until 24 April 2020 by Order in Council 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, until 29 April 2020 by Order in Council 478-2020 dated 22 April 2020, until 6 May 2020 by Order in Council 483-2020 dated 29 April 2020, until 13 May 2020 by Order in Council 501-2020 dated 6 May 2020, until 20 May 2020 by Order in Council 509-2020 dated 13 May 2020, until 27 May 2020 by Order in Council 531-2020 dated 20 May 2020, until 3 June 2020 by Order in Council 544-2020 dated 27 May 2020, until 10 June 2020 by Order in Council 572-2020 dated 3 June 2020, until 17 June 2020 by Order in Council 593-2020 dated 10 June 2020, until 23 June 2020 by Order in Council 630-2020 dated 17 June 2020, until 30 June 2020 by Order in Council 667-2020 dated 23 June 2020, until 8 July 2020 by Order in Council 690-2020 dated 30 June 2020, until 15 July 2020 by Order in Council 717-2020 dated 8 July 2020, until 22 July 2020 by Order in Council 807-2020 dated 15 July 2020, until 29 July 2020 by Order in Council 811-2020 dated 22 July 2020, until 5 August 2020 by Order in Council 814-2020 dated 29 July

2020, until 12 August 2020 by Order in Council 815-2020 dated 5 August 2020, until 19 August 2020 by Order in Council 818-2020 dated 12 August 2020, until 26 August 2020 by Order in Council 845-2020 dated 19 August 2020, until 2 September 2020 by Order in Council 895-2020 dated 26 August 2020, until 9 September 2020 by Order in Council 917-2020 dated 2 September 2020, until 16 September 2020 by Order in Council 925-2020 dated 9 September 2020, until 23 September 2020 by Order in Council 948-2020 dated 16 September 2020, until 30 September 2020 by Order in Council 965-2020 dated 23 September 2020, until 7 October 2020 by Order in Council 1000-2020 dated 30 September 2020, until 14 October 2020 by Order in Council 1023-2020 dated 7 October 2020, until 21 October 2020 by Order in Council 1051-2020 dated 14 October 2020 and until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council also empowers the Minister of Health and Social Services to take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Public Health Act;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020 and 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020 and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, provides, among other things, despite any provision to the contrary of an Order in Council or a Ministerial Order made under section 123 of the Public Health Act, certain special measures applicable in certain territories;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council also provides that the Minister of Health and Social Services is empowered to order any modification or clarification of the measures provided for in the Order in Council;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to order certain measures to protect the health of the population;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

THAT the ninth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020 and 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, be further amended by striking out “, Mauricie-et-Centre-du-Québec”;

THAT the measures set out in the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020 and its subsequent amendments also apply

(1) to the territories of the regional county municipalities of Joliette and d'Autray, in the Lanaudière health region; and

(2) to the territory of the Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec health region;

THAT the second paragraph of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020 be revoked;

THAT the third paragraph of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020 be amended by striking out “, and to the territories of the regional county municipalities of Arthabaska and L'Érable, in the Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec health region”;

THAT the measures set out in this Order take effect on 21 October 2020, except

(1) the measures set out in subparagraph 1 of the second paragraph which will take effect on 22 October 2020, except as concerns the measures set out in subparagraph *k* of subparagraph 5 and in subparagraphs 17 to 28 of the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, as amended, which will take effect on 23 October 2020; and

(2) the measures set out in the first paragraph, in subparagraph 2 of the second paragraph and in the third and fourth paragraphs which will take effect on 24 October 2020, except as concerns the measures set out in subparagraph *k* of subparagraph 5 and in subparagraphs 17 to 28 of the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, as amended, which will take effect on 26 October 2020.

Québec, 21 October 2020

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ,  
*Minister of Health and Social Services*

104684

## M.O., 2020

### Order number 2020-081 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 22 October 2020

Public Health Act  
(chapter S-2.2)

Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES,

CONSIDERING section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), which provides that the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

CONSIDERING Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020 declaring a public health emergency throughout Québec for a period of 10 days;

CONSIDERING that the public health emergency was renewed until 29 March 2020 by Order in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, until 7 April 2020 by Order in Council 388-2020 dated 29 March 2020, until 16 April 2020 by Order in Council 418-2020 dated 7 April 2020, until 24 April 2020 by Order in Council 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, until 29 April 2020 by Order in Council 478-2020 dated 22 April 2020, until 6 May 2020 by Order in Council 483-2020 dated 29 April 2020, until 13 May 2020 by Order in Council 501-2020 dated 6 May 2020, until 20 May 2020 by Order in Council 509-2020 dated 13 May 2020, until 27 May 2020 by Order in Council 531-2020 dated 20 May 2020, until 3 June 2020 by Order in Council 544-2020 dated 27 May 2020, until 10 June 2020 by Order in Council 572-2020 dated 3 June 2020, until 17 June 2020 by Order in Council 593-2020 dated 10 June 2020, until 23 June 2020 by Order in Council 630-2020 dated 17 June 2020, until 30 June 2020 by Order in Council 667-2020 dated 23 June 2020, until 8 July 2020 by Order in Council 690-2020 dated 30 June 2020, until 15 July 2020 by Order in Council 717-2020 dated 8 July 2020, until 22 July 2020 by Order in Council 807-2020 dated 15 July 2020, until 29 July 2020 by Order in Council 811-2020 dated 22 July 2020, until 5 August 2020 by Order in Council 814-2020 dated 29 July 2020, until 12 August 2020 by Order in Council 815-2020 dated 5 August 2020, until 19 August 2020 by Order in Council 818-2020 dated 12 August 2020, until 26 August 2020 by Order in Council 845-2020 dated 19 August 2020, until 2 September 2020 by Order in Council 895-2020

dated 26 August 2020, until 9 September 2020 by Order in Council 917-2020 dated 2 September 2020, until 16 September 2020 by Order in Council 925-2020 dated 9 September 2020, until 23 September 2020 by Order in Council 948-2020 dated 16 September 2020, until 30 September 2020 by Order in Council 965-2020 dated 23 September 2020, until 7 October 2020 by Order in Council 1000-2020 dated 30 September 2020, until 14 October 2020 by Order in Council 1023-2020 dated 7 October 2020, until 21 October 2020 by Order in Council 1051-2020 dated 14 October 2020 and until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council also empowers the Minister of Health and Social Services to take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Public Health Act;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020 and 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, provides, among other things, despite any provision to the contrary of an Order in Council or a Ministerial Order made under section 123 of the Public Health Act, certain special measures applicable in certain territories;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council also provides that the Minister of Health and Social Services is empowered to order any modification or clarification of the measures provided for in the Order in Council;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to order certain measures to protect the health of the population;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

THAT the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020 and 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020 and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, be further amended

(1) by replacing subparagraph 3 of the fourth paragraph by the following:

“(3) gather in any other rented hall or community hall made available to any person, in any of the following situations:

(a) for an assembly, a convention, a meeting or other event of the same nature, in which the participants participate while remaining seated;

(b) for the purposes of an activity organized that is

i. within the framework of the mission of a community organization whose activities are related to the health and social services sector; and

ii. necessary to the continuation of its activities, other than event-based or social activities, that are a part of the operation of an enterprise or associated with an educational institution, court of justice, arbitrator, association of employees, professionals, managerial staff, senior administrators or employers, a consular post, a diplomatic or departmental mission or a mission of a public agency;”;

(2) by replacing the fifth paragraph by the following:

“THAT a maximum of 50 persons may

(1) participate, indoors, in a recreational or sports activity, unless

(a) the activity is part of physical education and health, sports study, art study or sports concentration curriculums and other special educational initiatives of the same nature provided in connection with educational services in the youth general education sector provided by a school service centre, a school board or a private educational institution, so long as a minimum two-metre distance is maintained between the students in the different groups; and

(b) the activity is part of the recreational and sports teaching curriculum in college and university teaching programs;

(2) gather in a rented hall or a community hall in cases other than those described in the preceding paragraph;

(3) gather in any other indoor place, other than a private residence or the equivalent, when it is used for the holding of an event-based or social activity;”;

(3) by replacing subparagraph 3 of the ninth paragraph by the following:

“(3) a maximum of 25 persons may,

(a) participate, indoors, in an organized recreational or sports activity, unless

i. the activity is part of physical education and health, sports study, art study or sports concentration curriculums and other special educational initiatives of the same nature provided in connection with educational services in the youth general education sector provided by a school service centre, a school board or a private educational

institution, so long as a minimum two-metre distance is maintained between the students in the different groups; and

ii. the activity is part of the recreational and sports teaching curriculum in college and university teaching programs;

(b) gather in a rented hall or a community hall made available to any person, except in the cases referred to in the fourth paragraph of the operative part of this Order in Council, for which the limit set out in that paragraph remains applicable; and

(c) gather in any other indoor place, other than a private residence or the equivalent, when it is used for the holding of an event-based or social activity;”;

(4) in the tenth paragraph,

(a) by inserting the following after subparagraph *k* of subparagraph 5:

“(l) any indoor place, other than a private residence or the equivalent, when it is used for the holding of an event-based or social activity;”;

(b) by replacing subparagraph 8 by the following:

“(8) no person may be present in a rented hall or a community hall made available to any person, except in the following cases, for which the limit set out in the fourth paragraph remains applicable:

(a) an organized activity within the framework of the mission of a community organization whose activities are related to the health and social services sector; and

(b) an organized activity necessary to the continuation of its activities, other than event-based or social activities, that are a part of the operation of an enterprise or associated with an educational institution, court or tribunal, arbitrator, association of employees, professionals, managerial staff, senior administrators or employers, a consular post, a diplomatic or departmental mission or a mission of a public agency;”.

Québec, 22 October 2020

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ,  
*Minister of Health and Social Services*

104691

## M.O., 2020

### Order number 2020-082 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 25 October 2020

Public Health Act  
(chapter S-2.2)

Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES,

CONSIDERING section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), which provides that the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

CONSIDERING Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020 declaring a public health emergency throughout Québec for a period of 10 days;

CONSIDERING that the public health emergency was renewed until 29 March 2020 by Order in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, until 7 April 2020 by Order in Council 388-2020 dated 29 March 2020, until 16 April 2020 by Order in Council 418-2020 dated 7 April 2020, until 24 April 2020 by Order in Council 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, until 29 April 2020 by Order in Council 478-2020 dated 22 April 2020, until 6 May 2020 by Order in Council 483-2020 dated 29 April 2020, until 13 May 2020 by Order in Council 501-2020 dated 6 May 2020, until 20 May 2020 by Order in Council 509-2020 dated 13 May 2020, until 27 May 2020 by Order in Council 531-2020 dated 20 May 2020, until 3 June 2020 by Order in Council 544-2020 dated 27 May 2020, until 10 June 2020 by Order in Council 572-2020 dated 3 June 2020, until 17 June 2020 by Order in Council 593-2020 dated 10 June 2020, until 23 June 2020 by Order in Council 630-2020 dated 17 June 2020, until 30 June 2020 by Order in Council 667-2020 dated 23 June 2020, until 8 July 2020 by Order in Council 690-2020 dated 30 June 2020, until 15 July 2020 by Order in Council 717-2020 dated 8 July 2020, until 22 July 2020 by Order in Council 807-2020 dated 15 July 2020, until 29 July 2020 by Order in Council 811-2020 dated 22 July 2020, until 5 August 2020 by Order in Council 814-2020 dated 29 July 2020, until 12 August 2020 by Order in Council 815-2020 dated 5 August 2020, until 19 August 2020 by Order in

Council 818-2020 dated 12 August 2020, until 26 August 2020 by Order in Council 845-2020 dated 19 August 2020, until 2 September 2020 by Order in Council 895-2020 dated 26 August 2020, until 9 September 2020 by Order in Council 917-2020 dated 2 September 2020, until 16 September 2020 by Order in Council 925-2020 dated 9 September 2020, until 23 September 2020 by Order in Council 948-2020 dated 16 September 2020, until 30 September 2020 by Order in Council 965-2020 dated 23 September 2020, until 7 October 2020 by Order in Council 1000-2020 dated 30 September 2020, until 14 October 2020 by Order in Council 1023-2020 dated 7 October 2020, until 21 October 2020 by Order in Council 1051-2020 dated 14 October 2020 and until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council also empowers the Minister of Health and Social Services to take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Public Health Act;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020 and 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020, and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, provides, among other things, despite any provision to the contrary of an Order in Council or a Ministerial Order made under section 123 of the Public Health Act, certain special measures applicable in certain territories;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council also provides that the Minister of Health and Social Services is empowered to order any modification or clarification of the measures provided for in the Order in Council;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to order certain measures to protect the health of the population;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

THAT the measures set out in the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020 and its subsequent amendments also apply to the territory of the regional county municipality of L'Assomption, in the Lanaudière health region;

THAT the measures set out in this Order take effect on 26 October 2020, except the measures set out in subparagraph *k* of subparagraph 5 and in subparagraphs 17 to 28 of the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October

2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020 and 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020, and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, which will take effect on 28 October 2020.

Québec, 25 October 2020

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ,  
*Minister of Health and Social Services*

104690

**M.O., 2020**

**Order number 2020-084 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 27 October 2020**

Public Health Act  
(chapter S-2.2)

Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES,

CONSIDERING section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), which provides that the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

CONSIDERING Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020 declaring a public health emergency throughout Québec for a period of 10 days;

CONSIDERING that the public health emergency was renewed until 29 March 2020 by Order in Council 222-2020 dated 20 March 2020, until 7 April 2020 by Order in Council 388-2020 dated 29 March 2020, until 16 April 2020 by Order in Council 418-2020 dated 7 April 2020, until 24 April 2020 by Order in Council 460-2020 dated 15 April 2020, until 29 April 2020 by Order in Council 478-2020 dated 22 April 2020, until 6 May 2020 by Order in Council 483-2020 dated 29 April 2020, until 13 May 2020 by Order in Council 501-2020 dated 6 May 2020, until 20 May 2020 by Order in Council 509-2020 dated 13 May 2020, until 27 May 2020 by Order in Council 531-2020 dated 20 May 2020, until 3 June 2020 by Order in Council 544-2020 dated 27 May 2020, until 10 June 2020 by Order in Council 572-2020 dated

3 June 2020, until 17 June 2020 by Order in Council 593-2020 dated 10 June 2020, until 23 June 2020 by Order in Council 630-2020 dated 17 June 2020, until 30 June 2020 by Order in Council 667-2020 dated 23 June 2020, until 8 July 2020 by Order in Council 690-2020 dated 30 June 2020, until 15 July 2020 by Order in Council 717-2020 dated 8 July 2020, until 22 July 2020 by Order in Council 807-2020 dated 15 July 2020, until 29 July 2020 by Order in Council 811-2020 dated 22 July 2020, until 5 August 2020 by Order in Council 814-2020 dated 29 July 2020, until 12 August 2020 by Order in Council 815-2020 dated 5 August 2020, until 19 August 2020 by Order in Council 818-2020 dated 12 August 2020, until 26 August 2020 by Order in Council 845-2020 dated 19 August 2020, until 2 September 2020 by Order in Council 895-2020 dated 26 August 2020, until 9 September 2020 by Order in Council 917-2020 dated 2 September 2020, until 16 September 2020 by Order in Council 925-2020 dated 9 September 2020, until 23 September 2020 by Order in Council 948-2020 dated 16 September 2020, until 30 September 2020 by Order in Council 965-2020 dated 23 September 2020, until 7 October 2020 by Order in Council 1000-2020 dated 30 September 2020, until 14 October 2020 by Order in Council 1023-2020 dated 7 October 2020, until 21 October 2020 by Order in Council 1051-2020 dated 14 October 2020 and until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2020-060 dated 28 August 2020 provides among other things for special measures regarding the holding of municipal elections in Québec;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020 and 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020, and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, provides for, among other things, despite any provision to the contrary of an Order in Council or a Ministerial Order made under section 123 of the Public Health Act, certain special measures applicable in certain territories;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020 also empowers the Minister of Health and Social Services to take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Public Health Act;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to order certain measures to protect the health of the population;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

THAT the following procedural modifications apply to the holding of municipal elections:

(1) the attestation of a staff member where a person referred to in the first paragraph of section 134.1 of the Act respecting elections and referendums in municipalities (chapter E-2.2) is domiciled or lodged confirming the identity and place of residence of that person may replace the documents that must accompany an application made to the returning officer under that section;

(2) the following persons may send to the returning officer an application under the first paragraph of section 134.1 of that Act:

(a) a person returning from a trip abroad less than 14 days earlier;

(b) a person who has received a COVID-19 diagnosis and is still considered to be a carrier of the disease;

(c) a person showing COVID-19 symptoms;

(d) a person having been in contact with a suspected, probable or confirmed COVID-19 case less than 14 days earlier; and

(e) a person waiting for the results of a COVID-19 screening test;

(3) in a municipality or a borough of 50,000 inhabitants or more, the following is limited to 50:

(a) the number of supporting signatures of electors of the municipality to be included in a nomination paper for the office of mayor or in an application for authorization of an independent candidate to such an office or of an elector who undertakes to run as an independent candidate; and

(b) the minimum number of party members who must be included on the list accompanying the application for authorization of a party that intends to carry on its activities in the territory of such a municipality and for whose Council it intends to present candidates;

(4) in addition to the days referred to in section 174 of the Act respecting elections and referendums in municipalities, an advance poll may also be held on the ninth, eighth and fifth days before polling day;

(5) the polling may also be held on the day before polling day; if the advance poll was held before 2 October 2020, the polling may also be held on the third and the second day before polling day;



(6) every polling station must open at 10:00 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m. or 8:00 p.m., so as to stagger peak periods in the polling station;

(7) an elector may vote using his or her own pencil; and

(8) voting by mail replaces every mobile polling station and is offered to every elector who would have been eligible to vote in such a station, even if the elector is able to move about, and to every elector mentioned in subparagraph 2, and is conducted according to the conditions provided for in the Regulation respecting voting by mail (chapter E-2.2, r. 3) with, for those electors, the following modifications made to facilitate the voting process:

(a) the application of an elector to exercise the right to vote by mail may be made verbally and is valid only for the purposes of the election for which it is made;

(b) the envelope containing all the materials for voting by mail may be sent by the returning officer to the elector as of the twenty-seventh day before polling day;

(c) the instructions for voting sent to the elector in the envelope containing all the necessary materials for voting by mail indicate that sending a photocopy of an identification document with the ballot papers is not necessary if the elector's signature is affixed on the envelope identified as "ENV-2" and the elector's date of birth and, in the case of the elector mentioned in subparagraph 2, the number of a document mentioned in the third paragraph of section 215 of the Act respecting elections and referendums in municipalities is written on the envelope;

(d) an application made to the returning officer to obtain ballot papers that have not been received may be made as of the tenth day before polling day; and

(e) an elector who would have been eligible for mobile voting and who is unable to mark his or her ballot paper may be assisted by a staff member of the facility where the elector is domiciled without the staff member being required to declare on the elector's declaration that the staff member has not already assisted another elector in the poll;

THAT the following be revoked:

(1) the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth paragraphs of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2020-060 dated 28 August 2020;

(2) subparagraphs 12 and 13 of the tenth paragraph of the operative part of Order in Council 1020-2020 dated 30 September 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2020-074 dated 2 October 2020, 2020-077 dated 8 October 2020, 2020-079 dated 15 October 2020, 2020-080 dated 21 October 2020 and 2020-081 dated 22 October 2020 and by Order in Council 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020.

Québec, 27 October 2020

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ,  
*Minister of Health and Social Services*

104694



## Index

Abbreviations: **A**: Abrogated, **N**: New, **M**: Modified

	<b>Page</b>	<b>Comments</b>
Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year . . . . . (Education Act, chapter I-13.3)	3053A	M
Education Act — Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year . . . . . (chapter I-13.3)	3053A	M
Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (Public Health Act, chapter S-2.2)	3057A	N
Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (Public Health Act, chapter S-2.2)	3059A	N
Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (Public Health Act, chapter S-2.2)	3060A	N
Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (Public Health Act, chapter S-2.2)	3062A	N
Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (Public Health Act, chapter S-2.2)	3063A	N
Public Health Act — Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (chapter S-2.2)	3057A	N
Public Health Act — Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (chapter S-2.2)	3059A	N
Public Health Act — Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (chapter S-2.2)	3060A	N
Public Health Act — Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (chapter S-2.2)	3062A	N
Public Health Act — Ordering of measures to protect the health of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic situation . . . . . (chapter S-2.2)	3063A	N
Public Health Act — Renewal of the public health emergency pursuant to section 119 of the Public Health Act . . . . . (chapter S-2.2)	3055A	N
Renewal of the public health emergency pursuant to section 119 of the Public Health Act . . . . . (Public Health Act, chapter S-2.2)	3055A	N

