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Public Health Act
(chapter S-2.2)

Regulation — Modification

Regulation to amend the Regulation under the Public Health Act

WHEREAS, under section 71 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2), the Minister is to compensate, regardless of responsibility, any victim of bodily injury caused by a voluntary vaccination against a disease or infection identified in the regulation made by the Government under section 137 of the Act, when the vaccination has taken place in Québec;

WHEREAS, under paragraph 1 of section 137 of the Act, the Government, by regulation, is to establish in particular the list of vaccines for which compensation may be paid;

WHEREAS the Government declared a public health emergency by Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020 and has taken various 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 where the authority that has made it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

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

WHEREAS, under section 18 of the 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 due to the following circumstances justifies the absence of such publication of the Regulation to amend the Regulation under the Public Health Act and its coming into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*:

- (1) the current COVID-19 pandemic;
- (2) the recent approval of COVID-19 vaccines by Health Canada;
- (3) the urgent need to vaccinate Quebecers to protect the health of the population;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation to amend the Regulation under the Public Health Act;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation under the Public Health Act, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation under the Public Health Act

Public Health Act
(chapter S-2.2, s. 137, par. 1°)

1. The Regulation under the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2, r. 1) is amended in section 4 by inserting the following after the tenth dash:

“—coronavirus infections”.

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

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Orders in Council

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 570-2021, 21 April 2021

Public Health Act
(chapter S-2.2)

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, until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020, until 4 November 2020 by Order in Council 1113-2020 dated 28 October 2020, until 11 November 2020 by Order in Council 1150-2020 dated 4 November 2020, until 18 November 2020 by Order in Council 1168-2020 dated 11 November 2020, until 25 November 2020 by Order in Council 1210-2020 dated 18 November 2020, until 2 December 2020 by Order in Council 1242-2020 dated 25 November 2020, until 9 December 2020 by

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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, 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, 1145-2020 dated 28 October 2020, 1346-2020 dated 9 December 2020, 1419-2020 dated 23 December 2020, 2-2021 dated 8 January 2021, 102-2021 dated 5 February 2021, 135-2021 dated 17 February 2021 and 433-2021 dated 24 March 2021, 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

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

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

THAT the public health emergency be renewed until 30 April 2021;

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, 1039-2020 dated 7 October 2020, 135-2021 dated 17 February 2021 and 433-2021 dated 24 March 2021, and by Ministerial Orders 2020-004 dated 15 March 2020, 2020-007 dated 21 March 2020, 2020-008 dated 22 March 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, 2020-039 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, 2020-067 dated 19 September 2020, 2020-069 dated 22 September 2020, 2020-076 dated 5 October 2020, 2020-084 dated

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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

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Ministerial Orders

M.O., 2021

Ministerial Order number 2021-026 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 14 April 2021

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

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2021 by Order in Council 525-2021 dated 7 April 2021 and until 23 April 2021 by Order in Council 555-2021 dated 14 April 2021;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 433-2021 dated 24 March 2021, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-019 dated 28 March 2021, 2021-020 dated 1 April 2021, 2021-023 dated 7 April 2021 and 2021-025 dated 11 April 2021, and Ministerial Order 2021-020 dated 1 April 2021 provide for, among other things, certain special measures to apply to certain territories;

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

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2021-023 dated 7 April 2021, amended by Ministerial Order 2021-025 dated 11 April 2021, provides that certain persons may not be present in certain territories;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 555-2021 dated 14 April 2021 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 second paragraph of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2021-020 dated 1 April 2021 be amended by replacing “Ville de Gatineau, the regional county municipality of Les-Collines-de-l’Outaouais and the Communauté métropolitaine de Québec” in the portion before subparagraph 1 by “the Outaouais, Chaudière-Appalaches and Capitale-Nationale Health Regions, except the regional county municipalities of Charlevoix, Charlevoix-Est and Portneuf”;

THAT the operative part of Order in Council 433-2021 dated 24 March 2021, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-019 dated 28 March 2021, 2021-020 dated 1 April 2021, 2021-023 dated 7 April 2021 and 2021-025 dated 11 April 2021, be further amended

(1) by replacing subparagraph 20.1 of the fifth paragraph by the following:

“(20.1) a face covering must be worn by every person at all times and for the entire duration of any recreational or sports activity, except in the following cases:

(a) when the only participants in the activity are the occupants of the same private residence or its equivalent or the persons who may be present in such a residence pursuant to subparagraph 3 of this paragraph;

(b) when the exceptions set out in subparagraphs 1, 2 and 4 of the second paragraph of Order in Council 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, as amended, are applicable;

(c) for swimming and water sports;

(d) outside, when the exceptions set out in subparagraph 9 of the second paragraph of Order in Council 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, as amended, are applicable;

(e) if the persons participating in the activity never come closer than two metres to each other;”;

(2) in the sixth paragraph,

(a) by replacing subparagraph *a* of subparagraph 19 by the following subparagraph:

“(a) it is carried out indoors, in either of the following situations:

i. at home, as part of a course in or at which only the occupants of the same private residence or its equivalent participate or attend, provided that a minimum distance of two metres is maintained at all times between the instructor and the other persons; or

ii. on a rink, in a pool or in a place where tennis or badminton may be played, in any of the following situations:

(I) alone or with another person provided that, in the latter case, a minimum distance of two metres is maintained at all times between the persons;

(II) by the occupants of the same private residence or its equivalent; or

(III) as part of a course in or at which only the occupants of the same private residence or its equivalent participate or attend, provided that a minimum distance of two metres is maintained at all times between the instructor and the other persons;”;

(b) by replacing subparagraph 19.1 by the following:

“(19.1) a face covering must be worn by every person at all times and for the entire duration of any recreational or sports activity, except in the following cases:

(a) when the only participants in the activity are the occupants of the same private residence or its equivalent or the persons who may be present in such a residence pursuant to subparagraph 3 of this paragraph;

(b) when the exceptions set out in subparagraphs 1, 2 and 4 of the second paragraph of Order in Council 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, as amended, are applicable;

(c) for swimming and water sports;

(d) outside, when the exceptions set out in subparagraph 9 of the second paragraph of Order in Council 810-2020 dated 15 July 2020, as amended, are applicable;

(e) if the persons participating in the activity never come closer than two metres to each other;”;

(2) by replacing Schedules II and III by the following:

“Schedule II – Yellow zone territories

Nord-du-Québec Health Region;

Gaspésie—Îles-de-la-Madeleine Health Region.

Schedule III – Orange zone territories

Saguenay—Lac-Saint-Jean Health Region;

Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec Health Region;

Estrie Health Region;

Abitibi-Témiscamingue Health Region;

Côte-Nord Health Region.”;

THAT the third paragraph of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2021-023 dated 7 April 2021, amended by Ministerial Order 2021-025 dated 11 April 2021, be further amended by inserting “or to study,” after “go to work”;

THAT no person may be present in the territory of the Abitibi-Témiscamingue or Côte-Nord Health Region, other than the following persons:

(1) persons who have their principal or their secondary residence in one of the territories but in the latter case, only for the purposes of maintenance;

(2) persons who transport goods in the territories;

(3) persons whose travel is necessary for humanitarian purposes;

(4) persons whose travel is necessary to obtain care or services required by their state of health or to furnish such care or services to a person who requires the care or services;

(5) persons who work, carry on their profession or attend an educational institution in the territory;

(6) persons who must enter the territory to comply with a court judgment or a summons to appear before a court, or to allow the exercise of custody or parental access rights;

(7) employees in the federal public service whose place of work is situated in one of the territories and whose presence at the place of work is required by the employer;

(8) persons engaged in the transporting of goods in transit in Québec;

THAT the persons entering one of the territories from a territory listed in Schedule III or IV of Order in Council 433-2021 dated 24 March 2021 and its subsequent amendments, to return to their principal residence self isolate for 14 days upon their return, except persons who travelled to go to work or to study, or for reasons referred to in subparagraphs 3 and 4, and persons who are in a situation described in subparagraph 6;

THAT, despite the preceding, a public health director, a person authorized to act on the director’s behalf or a physician may authorize a person to enter one of those territories on the conditions he or she determines;

THAT the fourth, fifth and sixth paragraphs not apply to persons who are able to establish they were already present in one of the territories concerned before 14 April 2021, until such time as they leave the territory;

THAT this Order take effect on 14 April 2021 at 7:30 p.m.

Québec, 14 April 2021

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ

Minister of Health and Social Services

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M.O., 2021**Ministerial Order number 2021-027 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 16 April 2021**

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 that Order in Council provides that the Minister of Health and Social Services may order any other measure needed to ensure that the health and social services network has the necessary human resources;

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, until 28 October 2020 by Order in Council 1094-2020 dated 21 October 2020, until 4 November 2020 by Order in Council 1113-2020 dated 28 October 2020, until 11 November 2020 by Order in Council 1150-2020 dated 4 November 2020, until 18 November 2020 by Order in Council 1168-2020 dated 11 November 2020, until 25 November 2020 by Order in Council 1210-2020 dated 18 November 2020, until 2 December 2020 by Order in Council 1242-2020 dated 25 November 2020, until 9 December 2020 by Order in Council 1272-2020 dated 2 December 2020, until 18 December 2020 by Order in Council 1308-2020 dated 9 December 2020, until 25 December 2020 by Order in Council 1351-2020 dated 16 December 2020, until 1 January 2021 by Order in Council 1418-2020 dated 23 December 2020, until 8 January 2021 by Order in Council 1420-2020 dated 30 December 2020, until 15 January 2021 by Order in Council 1-2021 dated 6 January 2021, until 22 January 2021 by Order in Council 3-2021 dated 13 January 2021, until 29 January 2021 by Order in Council 31-2021 dated 20 January 2021, until 5 February 2021 by Order in Council 59-2021 dated 27 January 2021, until 12 February 2021 by Order in Council 89-2021 dated 3 February 2021, until 19 February 2021 by Order in Council 103-2021 dated 10 February 2021, until 26 February 2021 by Order in Council 124-2021 dated 17 February 2021, until 5 March 2021 by Order in Council 141-2021 dated 24 February 2021, until 12 March 2021 by Order in Council 176-2021 dated 3 March 2021, until 19 March 2021 by Order in Council 204-2021 dated 10 March 2021, until 26 March 2021 by Order in Council 243-2021 dated 17 March 2021, until 2 April 2021 by Order in Council 291-2021 dated 24 March 2021, until 9 April 2021 by Order in Council 489-2021 dated 31 March 2021, until 16 April 2021 by Order in Council 525-2021 dated 7 April 2021 and until 23 April 2021 by Order in Council 555-2021 dated 14 April 2021;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2020-099 dated 3 December 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-005 dated 28 January 2021, 2021-022 dated 7 April 2021 and 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021, among other things, authorizes certain persons to administer a flu or COVID-19 vaccine or to mix substances to complete the preparation of a COVID-19 vaccine, on certain conditions;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 555-2021 dated 14 April 2021 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 operative part of Ministerial Order 2020-099 dated 3 December 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-005 dated 28 January 2021, 2021-022 dated 7 April 2021 and 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021, be further amended

(1) in the fifth paragraph, by striking out the word “and” at the end of subparagraph 27 and adding the following subparagraphs at the end of the paragraph:

“(28) students who have completed the first year of a college studies program leading to a diploma giving access to the permit to practise the profession of respiratory therapist;

(29) students enrolled in at least the second session of their penultimate year of an undergraduate university studies program in kinesiology or athletic therapy offered in Québec;

(30) students enrolled in at least the second session of their penultimate year of a college studies program in animal health technology or in thanatology offered in Québec;

(31) holders of a degree issued in Québec for an undergraduate university studies program in kinesiology;

(32) holders of a degree issued in Québec for a graduate university studies program in extracorporeal perfusion or a diploma referred to in subparagraph *a* of subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph of section 2 of the Regulation respecting the professional activities that may be engaged in by a clinical perfusionist (chapter M-9, r. 3.1), as amended by Order in Council 1129-2020 dated 28 October 2020;

(33) holders of a diploma issued in Québec for a college studies program in biomedical analysis technology;

(34) holders of a diploma referred to in paragraph 1 of section 2 of the Regulation respecting the acts which, among those that constitute the practice of veterinary medicine, may be performed by classes of persons other than veterinary surgeons (chapter M-8, r. 1);

(35) holders of an embalmer’s licence issued by the Minister of Health and Social Services;

(36) holders of a degree issued in Québec for an undergraduate university studies program in athletic therapy;”;

(2) by striking out the word “and” at the end of subparagraph 3 of the eighth paragraph and adding the following subparagraphs at the end of the paragraph:

“(4) students enrolled in at least the second session of their penultimate year of a university studies program in biology, medical biology, microbiology, neuroscience, biomedical sciences or pharmaceutical or biopharmaceutical sciences;

(5) holders of a degree issued in Québec for an undergraduate university studies program in biology, medical biology, microbiology, neuroscience, biomedical sciences or pharmaceutical or biopharmaceutical sciences;”;

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

“THAT the persons referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 4, 6 to 9, 11 to 14, 16, 18 or 20 to 36 of the fifth paragraph or in the sixth paragraph, authorized to mix substances under the eighth paragraph, and the persons referred to in subparagraphs 4 and 5 of the eighth paragraph, must first have undergone training for that purpose recognized by the Minister of Health and Social Services;”.

Québec, 16 April 2021

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ
Minister of Health and Social Services

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M.O., 2021**Ministerial Order number 2021-028 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 17 April 2021**

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 that Order in Council provides that the Minister of Health and Social Services may order any other measure needed to ensure that the health and social services network has the necessary human resources;

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

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CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2020-099 dated 3 December 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-005 dated 28 January 2021, 2021-022 dated 7 April 2021, 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021 and 2021-027 dated 16 April 2021, among other things, authorizes certain persons to administer a flu or COVID-19 vaccine or to mix substances to complete the preparation of a COVID-19 vaccine, on certain conditions;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2021-017 dated 26 March 2021 provides for, among other things, certain measures to apply to certain service providers of a health and social services institution, an intermediate resource, a family-type resource or a private seniors' residence;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2021-020 dated 1 April 2021, amended by Ministerial Order 2021-026 dated 14 April 2021, provides for emergency measures to apply in certain territories, including the suspension of activities in certain retail sales businesses;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2020-024 dated 9 April 2021 provides, among other things, that certain persons must provide the employer with proof of having received a COVID-19 vaccine dose or have no fewer than three COVID-19 screening tests per week and provide the test results to their employer;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2021-026 dated 14 April 2021 provides for, among other things, certain measures to apply in certain territories;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 555-2021 dated 14 April 2021 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 operative part of Ministerial Order 2020-099 dated 3 December 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-005 dated 28 January 2021, 2021-022 dated 7 April 2021, 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021 and 2021-027 dated 16 April 2021, be further amended

(1) by replacing “employed by” in the portion before subparagraph 1 of the third, fifth and eighth paragraphs by “acting on behalf of”;

(2) by adding the following paragraph at the end:

“THAT every person authorized to administer a flu or COVID-19 vaccine or to mix substances to complete the preparation of a COVID-19 vaccine pursuant to this Ministerial Order may also do so on behalf of any other person or body with which a health and social services institution has concluded an agreement for the provision, on its behalf, of flu or COVID-19 vaccination services;”;

THAT the operative part of Ministerial Order 2021-017 dated 26 March 2021 be amended

(1) by inserting the following after the sixth paragraph:

“THAT the hourly rates set in the preceding paragraph be increased by 20% if the service provider's place of work is situated in one of the following health regions:

- (1) Abitibi-Témiscamingue;
- (2) Côte-Nord;
- (3) Nord-du-Québec;
- (4) Gaspésie—Îles-de-la-Madeleine;
- (5) Nunavik;
- (6) Terres-Cries-de-la-Baie-James;»;

(2) by replacing “in the preceding paragraph” in the seventh paragraph by “in the sixth and seventh paragraphs”;

(3) by inserting the following after the eighth paragraph:

“THAT, despite the sixth paragraph, service providers assigned to a place of work situated in one of the regions listed in the seventh paragraph may receive a refund, on presentation of vouchers, of the following expenses incurred, as applicable:

(1) expenses for travel by automobile, at the maximum rate of 0.48\$ per kilometre travelled between the service provider's residence and place of work;

(2) expenses for travel by a means of transportation other than an automobile;

(3) lodging costs;”;

(4) by replacing “set in that paragraph” in the ninth paragraph by “set in the sixth and seventh paragraphs”;

(5) by inserting the following after the twentieth paragraph:

“THAT the sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh, sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth paragraphs not apply in respect of a service provider assigned before 17 April 2021 to a body in the health and social services sector situated in one of the health regions listed in the seventh paragraph;”;

THAT the second paragraph of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2021-020 dated 1 April 2021, amended by Ministerial Order 2021-026 dated 14 April 2021, be further amended

(1) by inserting the following subparagraph after subparagraph g of subparagraph 3:

“(g.1) pool and spa retailers, but only for service and the sale of items necessary for pool and spa maintenance and repair;”;

(2) by replacing subparagraph c of subparagraph 14 by the following:

“(c) provide distance educational services to students in general adult education and vocational training, unless the acquisition or evaluation of the knowledge in the student’s program of studies requires the student’s presence in the classroom;”;

THAT the operative part of Ministerial Order 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021 be amended

(1) by inserting the following in the second paragraph after subparagraph 2:

“(2.1) despite subparagraph 2, salaried persons who work fewer than three days per week must have a minimum number of COVID-19 screening tests equal to the number of days on which they are at work;”;

(2) by adding the following at the end of the fourth paragraph:

“(5) trainees, interns and students having contact with the users in such an environment;”;

THAT the fourth paragraph of the operative part of Ministerial Order 2021-026 dated 14 April 2021 be amended by adding the following after subparagraph 8;

“(9) persons who have their principal or their secondary residence in the Nord-du-Québec, Nunavik or Terres-Cries-de-la-Baie-James Health Region;”;

THAT subparagraph 1 of the third paragraph of the operative part of this Order take effect on 19 April 2021.

Québec, 17 April 2021

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ

Minister of Health and Social Services

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