

Gouvernement du Québec

**O.C. 1475-96, 27 November 1996**

Mining Act  
(R.S.Q., c. M-13.1)

**Mineral substances, other than petroleum,  
natural gas and brine**  
— Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting mineral substances, other than petroleum, natural gas and brine

WHEREAS under paragraphs 2, 3, 10 and 14 of section 306 of the Mining Act (R.S.Q., c. M-13.1), the Government may, by regulation, prescribe the amount of rental for a lease and the renewal thereof, specify the minimum cost of the work and fix the amount of the royalty payable for the extraction or alienation of surface mineral substances;

WHEREAS under section 308 of the Act, the rental of a mining lease may vary according to the area of the land subject to the mining lease or to whether the land is situated on lands in the public domain or on lands granted, alienated or leased by the Crown for purposes other than mining purposes, depending on whether or not the surface of the soils is utilized or according to the nature of its utilization;

WHEREAS under section 309 of the Act, the amount of the rental for a lease to mine surface mineral substances may vary according to whether the lease is exclusive or not, and the amount of the royalty may vary according to the nature and quality of the substances, the distance between the site where the substances are found and the market served or the availability of the substances in a given region;

WHEREAS under section 312 of the Act, the minimum cost of the work may vary according to the area of the land subject to the mining concession;

WHEREAS under sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 13 March 1996 with a notice that it could be made by the Government upon the expiry of a 45-day period following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister for Mines, Lands and Forests and the Minister of State for Natural Resources:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting mineral substances, other than petroleum, natural gas and brine, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL CARPENTIER,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

**Regulation to amend the Regulation  
respecting mineral substances, other  
than petroleum, natural gas and brine**

Mining Act  
(R.S.Q., c. M-13.1, s. 306, pars. 2, 3, 10, 14,  
ss. 308, 309 and 312)

**1.** The Regulation respecting mineral substances, other than petroleum, natural gas and brine, made by Order in Council 1443-88 dated 21 September 1988 and amended by Orders in Council 1217-91 dated 4 September 1991 and 186-95 dated 8 February 1995, is further amended by substituting the following for section 20:

“**20.** The amount of the annual rental shall be \$35/ha if the parcel of land is situated in the public domain, \$72/ha for that portion of the land also in the public domain used for stockpiling tailings or \$17.50/ha if the parcel is situated on lands granted or alienated by the Crown for purposes other than mining.”

**2.** Section 25 is amended by adding the following after the first sentence:

“As of 1 January 1997, the minimum cost of work to be carried out shall be \$35/ha.”

**3.** Section 32 is amended by substituting “\$200” for “\$165”.

**4.** Section 35 is amended by substituting “\$2 200” for “\$1 100”.

**5.** Section 39 is amended by substituting “\$0.05” for “\$0.02”.

**6.** The following is inserted after section 41:

“**41.1** The holder of a lease to mine surface mineral substances who extracts or removes crushed stone shall pay to the Minister a royalty of \$0.38/m<sup>3</sup> (or \$0.21 per metric ton) of extracted substances.

**41.2** The holder of a lease to mine surface mineral substances who extracts or removes stone used as silica ore shall pay to the Minister a royalty of \$0.73/m<sup>3</sup> (or \$0.40 per metric ton) of extracted substances.”.

**7.** Section 42 is amended by substituting the words “\$0.73/m<sup>3</sup> (or \$0.40 per metric ton)” for the words “\$0.31/m<sup>3</sup> (or \$0.17 per metric ton) of extracted substances.”.

**8.** Section 43 is amended by substituting “\$0.19” for “\$0.17”.

**9.** This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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## O.C. 1480-96, 27 November 1996

An Act respecting income security  
(R.S.Q., c. S-3.1.1)

### Income security — Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income security

WHEREAS in accordance with section 91 of the Act respecting income security (R.S.Q., c. S-3.1.1), the Government, by Order in Council 922-89 dated 14 June 1989, made the Regulation respecting income security;

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend that Regulation;

WHEREAS under section 12 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a proposed regulation may be made without having been published pursuant to section 8 of that Act, if the authority making it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

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* or between that date and the date applicable under section 17 of that Act where the authority that has made it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS under sections 13 and 18 of that Act, the reason justifying the absence of prior publication and 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 justifies the absence of prior publication and such coming into force:

— the amendments provided for in the Regulation attached to this Order in Council concern the adjustment of benefit amounts on the basis of the rate of indexation, and the data on which that rate is established became available only during the month of November 1996;

— the amendments must come into force on 1 January 1997, but the time period required for prior publication and the coming into force would make it impossible to bring the Regulation into force on that date;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of State for Employment and Solidarity and Minister of Income Security:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income security, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL CARPENTIER,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income security

An Act respecting income security  
(R.S.Q., c. S-3.1.1, s. 91, 1<sup>st</sup> par., subpar. 4, and 2<sup>nd</sup> par.)

**1.** The Regulation respecting income security, made by Order in Council 922-89 dated 14 June 1989 and amended by the Regulations made by Orders in Council 1917-89 dated 13 December 1989, 1051-90 dated 18 July 1990, 1733-90 and 1734-90 dated 12 December 1990, 1793-90 dated 19 December 1990, 567-91 dated 24 April 1991, 1721-91 dated 11 December 1991, 285-92 dated 26 February 1992, 379-92 and 380-92 dated 18 March 1992, 868-92 dated 10 June 1992, 1155-92 dated 5 August 1992, 1798-92 and 1799-92 dated 9 December 1992, 123-93 dated 3 February 1993, 825-93 dated 9 June 1993, 1287-93 dated 8 September 1993, 1780-93 dated 8 December 1993, 159-94 dated 19 January 1994, 249-94 dated 9 February 1994, 827-94 dated 8 June 1994, 1160-94 dated 20 July 1994, 260-95 dated 1 March 1995, 1354-95 dated 11 October 1995, 202-96 dated 14 February 1996, 266-96 dated 28 February 1996, 761-96 dated 19 June 1996, 926-96 dated 17 July 1996 and 1290-96 dated 9 October 1996, is further amended, in section 7, by substituting the amounts “\$686”, “\$922”, “\$1 047”, “\$1 025”, “\$1 152” and “\$1 251” for the amounts “\$676”, “\$908”, “1 032”, “\$1 010”, “\$1 135” and “\$1 233”, respectively.