

Gouvernement du Québec

**O.C. 1531-96, 4 December 1996**

An Act respecting collective agreement decrees  
(R.S.Q., c. D-2)

**Solid waste removal**

— **Montréal**  
— **Extension**

Decree to extend the Decree respecting solid waste removal in the Montréal region

WHEREAS the Government made the Decree respecting solid waste removal in the Montréal region (R.R.Q., 1981, c. D-2, r. 29);

WHEREAS the Association des entrepreneurs de services en environnement du Québec Inc., a contracting party to the Decree, is opposed to its automatic renewal;

WHEREAS under section 13.01 of the Decree, it remains in force until 1 January 1997;

WHEREAS the Government may extend that decree under section 8 of the Act respecting collective agreement decrees (R.S.Q., c. D-2);

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend the Decree until 1 January 1998;

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 the Act where 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* where the authority making 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 shall be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS in the opinion of the Government, the urgency due to the following circumstances justifies the absence of prior publication and such coming into force:

— the Decree respecting solid waste removal in the Montréal region is in force until 1 January 1997 and its automatic renewal clause is no longer effective because an employer contracting party has denounced the decree;

— after 1 January 1997, employers now covered by the Decree will no longer be required to grant the working conditions provided for in the Decree, and some of the working conditions of employees not governed by a collective agreement could be downgraded;

— it is essential to further extend the Decree so that it remains in force for the time required to analyze the economic impact of the amendments requested by the opponents to the automatic renewal of that Decree and to give the parties concerned an opportunity to meet with a view to reaching a consensus about the amendments to be made to the present Decree;

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

THAT the Decree to extend the Decree respecting solid waste removal in the Montréal region, attached hereto, be made.

MICHEL CARPENTIER,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

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(R.S.Q., c. D-2, s. 8)

**1.** The Decree respecting solid waste removal in the Montréal region (R.R.Q., 1981, c. D-2, r. 29), amended by Decrees 2220-82 dated 22 September 1982, 2136-82 dated 6 October 1982, 2278-84 dated 11 October 1984, 1124-87 dated 22 July 1987, 1479-88 dated 28 September 1988, 180-90 dated 14 February 1990, 618-90 dated 2 May 1990, and 990-95 dated 19 July 1995, is extended until 1 January 1998.

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