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THIRTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

**Bill 106**

(1997, chapter 30)

**An Act to amend the Press Act**

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**Introduced 24 April 1997**  
**Passage in principle 28 May 1997**  
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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*This bill amends the Press Act to render applicable to newspapers that are distributed free of charge, including the various regional and local weeklies, the retraction process which is presently available under the Act only to newspapers published for sale purposes.*

## **Bill 106**

### **AN ACT TO AMEND THE PRESS ACT**

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1.** Section 1 of the Press Act (R.S.Q., chapter P-19) is amended by replacing the words “and distribution” in the second and third lines by the words “or distribution free of charge”.
- 2.** This Act comes into force on 12 June 1997.