

## Draft Regulations

### Draft Regulation

An Act respecting municipal taxation  
(R.S.Q., c. F-2.1)

### Conditions or restrictions applicable to the exercise of tariffing powers of local municipalities — Amendments

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the conditions or restrictions applicable to the exercise of the tariffing powers of local municipalities, the text of which appears below, may be made by the Government upon the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The purpose of the draft Regulation is to take into account the amendment made by section 54 of Chapter 77 of the Statutes of 1996 to section 244.1 of the Act respecting municipal taxation, which is intended to give regional county municipalities the power to impose a mode of tariffing for all or part of their property, services or activities.

To that end, since the Regulation respecting the conditions or restrictions applicable to the exercise of the tariffing powers of local municipalities applies only to local municipalities as its title shows, the draft Regulation consequently amends it so that it will also apply to regional county municipalities.

To date, study of the matter has shown no impact on the public and on businesses.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Ms. Élène Delisle, advocate, 20, rue Pierre-Olivier Chauveau, 2<sup>e</sup> étage, Québec, G1R 4J3 (tel.: (418) 691-2030; fax: (418) 643-3455).

Any interested person having comments to make is asked to send them in writing, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Minister of Municipal Affairs, 20, rue Pierre-Olivier Chauveau, 3<sup>e</sup> étage, Québec, G1R 4J3.

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### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the conditions or restrictions applicable to the exercise of the tariffing powers of local municipalities

An Act respecting municipal taxation  
(R.S.Q., c. F-2.1, s. 262, par. 8.2)

**1.** The Regulation respecting the conditions or restrictions applicable to the exercise of the tariffing powers of local municipalities, made by Order in Council 1201-89 dated 26 July 1989 and amended by the Regulation made by Order in Council 1091-92 dated 22 July 1992, is further amended in the title by striking out the word “local”.

**2.** Section 1 is amended

(1) by striking out the word “local” wherever it appears; and

(2) by striking out the words “a regional county municipality,”.

**3.** The words “served by the fire protection service of the municipality and does not otherwise contribute to the financing of that service” are substituted for the words “of and is not a ratepayer of the local municipality” in the second paragraph of section 2.

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

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