

Draft Regulation

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

Income security — 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 income security, 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 exclude part of the support payments received, for the purpose of computing income security benefits granted to families with one dependent child less than 5 years of age.

The draft Regulation also provides that the excluded work income provided for in the Regulation comprises that new excluded support income, up to \$100, and that the exclusion of support income be applied first.

The draft Regulation also provides that the excluded work income be increased to \$100 with respect to beneficiaries who are listed as unavailable.

To date, study of the matter has shown a positive impact on the families concerned.

Further information concerning the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Ms. Geneviève Bouchard, Director, Développement des politiques et programmes en sécurité du revenu, 425, rue Saint-Amable, 4^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4Z1; tel.: (418) 646-2564; fax: (418) 643-0019.

Any interested person having comments to make on the draft Regulation is asked to send them in writing, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Minister of State for Employment and Solidarity and Minister of Employment and Solidarity, 425, rue Saint-Amable, 4^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4Z1.

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Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income security^(*)

An Act respecting income security
(R.S.Q., c. S-3.1.1, s. 91, 1st par., subpar. 8 and 2nd par.)

1. The Regulation respecting income security is amended by inserting the following after section 7.1:

“**7.2** The excluded work income referred to in sections 7 and 8.1 shall include the periodic support payments received by a family composed of at least one dependent child less than 5 years of age as of 30 September.

The exclusion of the support payments has priority over the exclusion of work income and allowances or benefits referred to in section 7.1.”.

2. Section 13 is amended by substituting the amount “\$100” for the amounts “\$84” and “\$79”.

3. The following is inserted after section 13.2:

“**13.3** The excluded work income referred to in sections 13 and 14.1 shall include, up to \$100 per month, the periodic support payments received by a family composed of at least one dependent child less than 5 years of age as of 30 September.

The exclusion of the support payments has priority over the exclusion of work income and allowances or benefits referred to in section 13.2.”.

4. Section 14.1 is amended by substituting the amount “\$100” for “\$84”.

5. This Regulation comes into force on 1 June 1998.

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* The Regulation respecting income security, made by Order in Council 922-89 dated 14 June 1989 (1989, G.O. 2, 2443), was last amended by the Regulations made by Orders in Council 1232-97 dated 24 September 1997 (1997, G.O. 2, 4997) and 1556-97 dated 3 December 1997 (1997, G.O. 2, 5833). For previous amendments, refer to the Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 1997, updated to 1 September 1997.