WHEREAS following that publication, no commets were received before the expiry of such 45-day period;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Education and Minister of Child and Family Welfare:

THAT the Regulation respecting certain transitional measures necessary for the application of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL CARPENTIER, Clerf of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation respecting certain transitional measures necessary for the application of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care

An Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care (1997, c. 58, s. 178)

1. A holder of a childcare centre permit or day care centre permit issued by the Minister of Child and Family Welfare under the Act respecting childcare centres and childcare services (R.S.Q., c. S-4.1), amended by Chapter 16 of the Statutes of 1996 and Chapter 58 of the Statutes of 1997, who receives financial assistance pursuant to sections 168 and 170 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care (1997, c. 58) is also governed *mutatis mutandis* by sections 13, 13.2, 41.6.2, 74.4, 74.5 and 76.1 of the Act respecting childcare centres and childcare services, as they read from 1 September 1997.

The first paragraph also applies to a person who remains a holder of a home day care agency permit pursuant to section 160 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care.

2. A holder of a day care centre permit or of a home day care agency permit who receives grants pursuant to section 173 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respect-

ing child day care is governed, in addition to section 173 of that Act, by sections 13, 13.2 and 74.4 of the Act respecting childcare centres and childcare services, as they read from 1 September 1997.

- **3.** An acquirer of a day care centre operated by a permit holder eligible for financial assistance under section 168 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care becomes eligible for that financial assistance as well if he obtains a permit to operate the day care centre at the same address, subject to section 168 of that Act and to sections 1 and 2 of this Regulation.
- **4.** For the fiscal year ending on 31 March 1998, a holder of a childcare centre permit, day care centre permit or home day care agency permit who receives financial assistance pursuant to sections 168 and 170 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Famille et de l'Enfance and amending the Act respecting child day care, or a grant pursuant to sections 160, 167 and 173 of that Act or section 41.6 of the Act respecting childcare centres and childcare services, as it reads from 1 September 1997, shall *mutatis mutandis* submit the financial report prescribed in section 13.2 of that Act if he has received from the Minister, between 1 September 1997 and 31 March 1998, financial assistance or a grant totalling \$15 000 or more.
- **5.** This Regulation has effect from 1 September 1997.
- **6.** 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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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 188-98, 17 February 1998

An Act respecting the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie (R.S.Q., c. M-17)

Signing of certain deeds, documents or writings — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the signing of certain deeds, documents or writings of the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie

WHEREAS under section 8 of the Act respecting the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie (R.S.Q., c. M-17), the Government

may, by regulation published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, determine to what extent a deed, document or writing may bind the Department and may be attributed to the Minister of Industry, Trade, Science and Technology, if it is signed by an officer;

WHEREAS under Order in Council 856-91 dated 19 June 1991, the Regulation respecting the signing of certain deeds, documents or writings of the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie was made;

WHEREAS the Regulation was amended by the Regulation made by Order in Council 102-98 dated 28 January 1998;

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the French text of the Regulation to include deeds, documents or writings of the Department in respect of tourism;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon recommendation of the Minister of State for the Economy and Finance and Minister of Industry, Trade, Science and Technology and of the Minister for Tourism:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the signing of certain deeds, documents or writings of the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL CARPENTIER, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the signing of certain deeds, documents or writings of the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie^(*)

An Act respecting the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie (R.S.Q., c. M-17, s. 8; 1996, c. 72)

1. Paragraph 2 of section 5.5 of the French text of the Regulation respecting the signing of certain deeds, documents or writings of the Ministère de l'Industrie, du

Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie is amended by substituting the following for the part preceding subparagraph *a*:

- "2º le directeur général ou le directeur de l'administration est autorisé à signer:".
- **2.** This Regulation comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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^{*} The Regulation respecting the signing of certain deeds, documents or writings of the Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de la Science et de la Technologie, made by Order in Council 856-91 dated 19 June 1991 (1991, G.O. 2, 2120) was last amended by the Regulation made by Order in Council 102-98 dated 28 January 1998. For previous amendments, refer to the Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 1997, updated to 1 September 1997.