

Regulations and other acts

M.O., 1998

Order of the Minister of Transport

Highway Safety Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-24.2, s. 419)

RESPECTING the thaw periods for 1998 concerning zone 3

WHEREAS under section 419 of the Highway Safety Code (R.S.Q., c. C-24.2), the Minister of Transport may, by an order published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, determine zones where highway traffic is restricted or forbidden for vehicles as designated by him because of thaw, rain, erosion or flood, and the periods when such measures are applicable;

WHEREAS the Vehicle Load and Size Limits Regulation made under paragraphs 17 and 18 of section 621 of the Highway Safety Code determines, for various categories of road vehicles and combinations of road vehicles, the weights limits applicable during the thaw;

WHEREAS, in the Minister's Order of 23 February 1996 published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* on 25 February 1996, the Minister of Transport determined 3 thaw zones;

WHEREAS by that Minister's Order of 23 February 1996, the Minister of Transport has fixed, for the year 1998, a thaw period which begins on March 24 and ends on May 25, as regards to zone 3;

WHEREAS it is expedient to advance the date planned for the end the thaw period published on February 23, 1996, by the Minister's Order in respect of zone 3;

THEREFORE, the Minister of Transport:

Fixes, for the year 1998, the annual thaw period of the zone 3, from March 24, 00:01 until May 17, 00:01.

This Order has effect from the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

Québec, 14 May 1998

JACQUES BRASSARD,
Minister of Transport