Regulations and other acts

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 17-98, 7 January 1998

Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26)

Engineers

— Other terms and conditions for permits to be issued

— Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec

WHEREAS under paragraph *i* of section 94 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26), the Bureau of the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec may, by regulation, determine the other terms and conditions for issuing permits, specialist's certificates or special authorizations, in particular the obligation to serve the periods of professional training and to pass the professional examinations it determines; the regulation may also fix standards of equivalence applicable to the terms and conditions determined therein;

WHEREAS under that section of the Code, the Bureau made the Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec, approved by Order in Council 287-94 dated 23 February 1994;

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Regulation;

WHEREAS under that section of the Code, the Bureau made the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec;

WHEREAS in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft Regulation was published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 19 March 1997, with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval upon the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS under section 95 of the Code, the Office des professions du Québec made its recommendations;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

MICHEL CARPENTIER, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec(*)

Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26, s. 94, par. *i*)

- **1.** The Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec is amended by inserting the following after section 8:
- **"8.1** A candidate or engineer-in-training who holds a diploma recognized by the Government or a diploma obtained upon completion of a program of study agreed to by the Canadian Council of Engineers and who brings out experience acquired outside of Canada is considered to have acquired experience equivalent to that obtained in Canada when all of the following conditions are met:
- (1) the experience was acquired while employed by a firm of which the head office or the head office of the parent firm is in Canada;
- (2) the experience was acquired under the supervision of an engineer or of a member having full rights to practise of a Canadian professional corporation of engineers:

^{*} The Regulation respecting other terms and conditions for permits to be issued by the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec, approved by Order in Council 287-94 dated 23 February 1994 (1994, *G.O.* 2, 1158), was amended once by the Regulation approved by Order in Council 64-96 dated 16 January 1996 (1996, *G.O.* 2, 1002).

- (3) he demonstrates to the evaluator of the experience a good knowledge of local Canadian conditions, notably with regard to law, standards, economy, climate, resources and technology.".
- **2.** This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette* officielle du Ouébec.

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Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26)

Diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates

— Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders

WHEREAS under section 2 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26), subject to inconsistent provisions of a special act, the Professional Code applies to all professional orders and to their members;

WHEREAS under the first paragraph of section 42 of the Professional Code, subject to the provisions of any special act, no person may obtain a permit from a professional order unless he holds, in particular, a diploma recognized as valid for such purpose by regulation of the Government made under the first paragraph of section 184 of the Professional Code;

WHEREAS under section 184 of the Professional Code, as it read in 1983, the Government made, by Order in Council 1139-83 dated 1 June 1983, the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders;

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend the Regulation;

WHEREAS pursuant to the first paragraph of section 184 of the Professional Code, the Government may, by regulation and after obtaining the advice of the Office des professions du Québec, in accordance with subparagraph 7 of the third paragraph of section 12 of the Code,

and of the order concerned, determine the diplomas issued by the educational institutions it indicates which give access to a permit issued by a professional order;

WHEREAS under subparagraph 7 of the third paragraph of section 12 of the Professional Code, the Office des professions du Québec must, in particular, advise the Government on any diploma giving access to a permit issued by a professional order, after consultation, in particular, with the educational institutions and the order concerned, the Fédération des cégeps in the case of a college-level diploma and the Minister of Education;

WHEREAS the consultations required under the abovementioned provisions of the Professional Code were made:

WHEREAS in accordance with the above-mentioned provisions of the Professional Code, the Government obtained, through the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions, the advice of the Office des professions du Québec and of the professional orders concerned, that is, the Ordre professionnel des comptables en management accrédités du Québec and the Ordre professionnel des comptables généraux licenciés du Québec;

WHEREAS in accordance with the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), the draft Regulation attached to this Order in Council was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 27 August 1997 with a notice indicating that the Government could make the Regulation upon the expiry of 45 days following the publication of the draft and asking any person having comments to make to send them to the Chairman of the Office des professions du Québec before the expiry of that 45-day period:

WHEREAS following that publication, the Chairman received no comments regarding these diplomas;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation attached hereto respecting both professional orders;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL CARPENTIER, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif