

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

FIRST SESSION

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Bill 10

(1999, chapter 1)

An Act to amend the Act respecting the National Assembly

Introduced 2 March 1999 Passage in principle 2 March 1999 Passage 2 March 1999 Assented to 3 March 1999

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The object of this bill is to amend the Act respecting the National Assembly to increase from two to three the number of Vice-Presidents of the National Assembly, the first Vice-President and the second Vice-President being elected from among the Members forming the Government and the third Vice-President from among the Members forming the Official Opposition.

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THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- **1.** Section 19 of the Act respecting the National Assembly (R.S.Q., chapter A-23.1) is replaced by the following section:
- **"19.** At the beginning of its first sitting after a general election, the National Assembly shall elect a President and, subsequently, a first, a second and a third Vice-President from among its Members.

The first Vice-President and the second Vice-President shall be elected from among the Members forming the Government and the third Vice-President from among the Members forming the Official Opposition."

- **2.** The Vice-Presidents of the National Assembly elected on 2 March 1999 are deemed to have been elected in accordance with section 19 of the Act respecting the National Assembly as enacted by section 1.
- **3.** This Act has effect from 2 March 1999.
- **4.** This Act comes into force on 3 March 1999.