

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 amend the additional amounts for dependent children related to the family allowances granted under the Act respecting family benefits (1997, c. 57) in order to harmonize them with the amendments made to the amounts of those benefits as of 1 August 1999.

Further information regarding the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Ms. Geneviève Bouchard, Assistant Director General, Politiques de 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 Social Solidarity, 425, rue Saint-Amable, 4^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4Z1.

ANDRÉ BOISCLAIR,
Minister of Social Solidarity

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. 4 and 2nd par.; 1997, c. 57, s. 58)

1. Section 10.5 of the Regulation respecting income security is amended by substituting the amount “\$66.25” for the amount of “\$81.25”.

* 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 1218-98 dated 23 September 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 4048), 1296-98 dated 7 October 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 4264), 1394-98 dated 28 October 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 4426), 1420-98 dated 11 November 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 4481) and 12-99 dated 13 January 1999 (1999, *G.O.* 2, 86). For previous amendments, refer to the *Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire*, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 1998, updated to 1 September 1998.

2. This Regulation comes into force on 1 August 1999.

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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 13 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 20 days following this publication.

The purpose of the draft Regulation is to increase the additional amounts for dependent children related to the national child benefit supplements granted by the federal government in order to harmonize them with the amendments made to those supplements as of next July 1st.

Under section 12 of the Regulations Act, the proposed regulation may be made at the expiry of a period shorter than 45 days because of the urgency due to the following circumstances:

— the amendments provided for in the draft Regulation must come into force as of 1 July 1999 in order to allow families receiving income security benefits who will not receive the maximum amount of the national child benefit supplements to benefit, for that month, from the increase in the additional amount it provides.

To date, study of the matter has revealed a positive impact on persons receiving income security benefits.

Further information regarding the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Ms. Geneviève Bouchard, Assistant Director General, Politiques de 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 20-day period, to the Minister of

Social Solidarity, 425, rue Saint-Amable, 4^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4Z1.

ANDRÉ BOISCLAIR,
Minister of Social Solidarity

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. 4 and 2nd par.; 1997, c. 57, s. 58)

1. Section 10.5.1 of the Regulation respecting income security is amended by substituting the amounts "\$65.41", "\$48.75" and "\$42.50" for the amounts "\$50.41", "\$33.75" and "\$27.50".

2. This Regulation comes into force on 1 July 1999.

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Draft Regulation

An Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services (1998, c. 37)

Financial planners — Compulsory professional development

Notice is hereby given pursuant to sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1) that the By-law of the Institut québécois de planification financière on compulsory professional development may be enacted by the government at the expiry of the 45-day period following publication of this notice.

According to the Institut québécois de planification financière, the proposed By-law makes professional development in the field of financial planning compulsory, in keeping with the general concern of protecting the public. It provides that financial planners shall, once every two years, spend a total of sixty (60) hours on professional development according to specific terms.

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The By-law includes transitory provisions. Financial planners will only be bound by the rules governing compulsory professional development as of the expiry of the six (6) month period following the date the By-law comes into effect.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Mme Claude Beaudoin, Director General, Institut québécois de planification financière, 4, place du Commerce, bureau 420, Île-des-Sœurs, Verdun, (Québec), tel.: (514) 767-4040, 1-800-640-4050, cbeaudoin@iqpf.org.

Any interested persons wishing to comment on the above matter are requested to send two copies of their comments to the Minister of State for the Economy and Finance and Minister of Finance, 12, rue Saint-Louis, bureau 1.01, Québec (Québec) G1R 5L3 before the expiry of the 45-day time period.

BERNARD LANDRY,
*Minister of State for the Economy and Finance
and Minister of Finance*

By-law on the compulsory professional development of financial planners

An Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services (1998, c. 37)

DIVISION I DEFINITIONS

1. In this By-law, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

a) «Institut»: the Institut québécois de planification financière.

DIVISION II GENERAL

2. This By-law sets out the rules governing compulsory professional development in financial planning.

3. For the purpose of this By-law, the seven areas involving personal financial planning are the following:

- a) finance
- b) taxation
- c) law
- d) retirement
- e) successions
- f) investment
- g) insurance.