

Further information may be obtained by contacting Suzanne Messier, Bureau de la sous-ministre de l'Éducation, 1035, rue De La Chevrotière, 15<sup>e</sup> étage, Québec, G1R 5A5; tel: (418) 643-3810.

Any interested person having comments to make on the matter is asked to send them in writing, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Minister of Education, 1035, rue De La Chevrotière, 16<sup>e</sup> étage, Québec, G1R 5A5.

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*Minister of Education,*

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## **Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the definition of resident in Québec\***

Education Act  
(R.S.Q., c. I-13.3, s. 455)

1. Section 1 of the Regulation respecting the definition of resident in Québec is amended by substituting the following for subparagraphs 6 and 7 of the first paragraph:

“(6) he holds a selection certificate issued under section 3.1 of the Act respecting immigration to Québec (R.S.Q., c. I-0.2);

(7) he has been residing in Québec for at least three months without having resided in another province for more than three months and his parents or sponsor do not have their residence elsewhere in Canada;

(8) he was a resident in Québec according to subparagraph 7 for three consecutive years in the last five years; or

(9) his spouse was or is residing in Québec according to one of the preceding subparagraphs.”.

2. 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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## **Draft Regulation**

An Act respecting financial assistance for education expenses  
(R.S.Q., c. A-13.3)

### **Financial assistance for education expenses — 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 financial assistance for education expenses, the text of which appears below, may be made by the Government upon the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation proposes to recognize the status of resident of Québec, for the purposes of the application of the Act respecting financial assistance for education expenses, with respect to persons who have a selection certificate issued under Québec legislation and certain persons who temporarily resided outside Québec. They will thus benefit from the same advantages under the Act as residents of Québec in matters of financial assistance for education expenses. Amendments have also been made to the Regulation to harmonize and clarify certain provisions.

To date, study of the draft Regulation has shown no impact on businesses.

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\* The Regulation respecting the definition of resident in Québec was made by Order in Council 1110-97 dated 28 August 1997 (1997, G.O. 2, 4562).

## Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses\*

An Act respecting financial assistance for education expenses  
(R.S.Q., c. A-13.3, s. 57; 1997, c. 90, s. 12)

1. Section 76 of the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses is amended

(1) by substituting the following for paragraph 3:

“(3) his parents or sponsor are deceased and one of his parents or his sponsor resided in Québec at the time of death;”;

(2) by substituting the following for paragraphs 5, 6 and 7:

“(5) Québec is the last place where he resided for 12 consecutive months without pursuing full-time studies;

(6) he holds a selection certificate issued under section 3.1 of the Act respecting immigration to Québec (R.S.Q., c. I-0.2);

(7) he has resided in Québec for at least three months without having resided in another province for more than three months and his parents or sponsor do not reside elsewhere in Canada;

(8) he resided in Québec in accordance with paragraph 7 for three consecutive years within the previous five years;

(9) his spouse resides or resided in Québec in accordance with one of the above paragraphs.”.

2. 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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\* The Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses, made by Order in Council 844-90 dated 20 June 1990 (1990, *G.O.* 2, 1685), was last amended by the Regulation made by Order in Council 1424-98 dated 19 November 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 4491). For previous amendments, refer to the *Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire*, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 1999, updated to 1 March 1999.

## Draft Regulation

General and Vocational Colleges Act  
(R.S.Q., c. C-29)

### Definition of resident in Québec

#### — 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 the definition of resident in Québec, 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 recognize the status of resident in Québec, for the purposes of the General and Vocational Colleges Act, for persons who hold a selection certificate issued by Québec and for certain persons who have left Québec temporarily. Those persons may benefit from the advantages granted by law to residents in Québec regarding tuition fees.

To date, study of the matter has shown no impact on businesses.

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## Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the definition of resident in Québec\*

General and Vocational Colleges Act  
(R.S.Q., c. C-29, s. 24.4; 1997, c. 87, s. 19)

1. Section 1 of the Regulation respecting the definition of resident in Québec is amended by substituting the following for subparagraphs 6 and 7 of the first paragraph:

\* The Regulation respecting the definition of resident in Québec was made by Order in Council 910-98 dated 8 July 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 3040).