

Gouvernement du Québec

**O.C. 268-99, 24 March 1999**

Forest Act  
(R.S.Q., c. F-4.1)

**Fonds forestier**  
— **Contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements**  
— **Amendments**

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier

WHEREAS under the first paragraph of section 73.4 of the Forest Act (R.S.Q., c. F-4.1), every holder of a timber supply and forest management agreement must, at such intervals as are determined by regulation of the Government, pay to the Minister a contribution for the financing of activities related to seedling production, forest inventory data and forest research;

WHEREAS under the second paragraph of section 73.4 of the Act, the contribution shall be established by the Minister on the basis of a rate per cubic metre of timber, fixed by regulation of the Government, that is applicable to the volume of timber allotted to the agreement holder in his agreement and is determined on the date or dates fixed by the regulation;

WHEREAS under paragraph 18.2 of section 172 of the Act, the Government may, by regulation, fix the rate referred to in section 73.4, the date or dates on which the volume allotted to an agreement holder under an agreement must be determined for the purposes of the contribution, and determine the intervals, dates and methods of payment of the contribution;

WHEREAS in accordance with sections 10, 12 and 13 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier, attached to this Order in Council, was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 17 February 1999 with a notice that it could be made by the Government upon the expiry of 15 days following that publication;

WHEREAS section 18 of that Act provides that a regulation may come into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* where the authority that has approved it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS under section 18 of that Act, the reason justifying such coming into force shall be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS the Government is of the opinion that the urgency due to the following circumstances justifies the coming into force of the regulation attached to this Order in Council on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*:

— the rate per cubic metre is established on the basis of the total volume of timber allotted to the holders of timber supply and forest management agreements and the data is now available for the 1999-2000 fiscal year;

— the rate per cubic metre must be in effect on 1 April 1999 in order to allow the collection of contributions of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier, which would not be the case if the 45-day period of consultation provided for in section 11 of the Regulations Act were fully complied with;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Natural Resources:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

**Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier\***

Forest Act  
(R.S.Q., c. F-4.1, ss. 73.4 and 172, par. 18.2)

1. Section 2 of the Regulation respecting the contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier is amended by adding the following paragraph after paragraph 3:

“(4) \$0.245 for the 1999-2000 fiscal year.”.

\* The Regulation respecting the contribution of holders of timber supply and forest management agreements to the Fonds forestier was made by Order in Council 1115-96 dated 4 September 1996 (1996, *G.O.* 2, 3980) and has not been amended since that date.

2. Section 5 is deleted.

3. This Regulation comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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### O.C. 274-99, 24 March 1999

An Act respecting prescription drug insurance (R.S.Q., c. A-29.01)

#### Basic prescription drug insurance plan — Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the basic prescription drug insurance plan

WHEREAS under subparagraph 3 of the first paragraph of section 78 of the Act respecting prescription drug insurance (R.S.Q., c. A-29.01), the Government may, after consulting the Régie de l'assurance-maladie du Québec, make regulations to determine the cases, conditions and therapeutic indications in and for which the cost of certain medications included in the list drawn up by the Minister under section 60 of the Act is covered by the basic plan; the conditions may vary according to whether the coverage is provided by the Board or under a group insurance contract or an employee benefit plan;

WHEREAS under section 79 of the Act, such a regulation is not subject to the requirements concerning publication and date of coming into force contained in sections 8 and 17 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1);

WHEREAS by Order in Council 1519-96 dated 4 December 1996, the Government made the Regulation respecting the basic prescription drug insurance plan;

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Regulation;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 78 of the Act respecting prescription drug insurance, the Régie de l'assurance-maladie du Québec has been consulted on the amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Health and Social Services:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the basic prescription drug insurance plan, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the basic prescription drug insurance plan\*

An Act respecting prescription drug insurance (R.S.Q., c. A-29.01, s. 78, 1st par., subpar. 3)

1. The Regulation respecting the basic prescription drug insurance plan is amended in the second paragraph of section 2.1:

(1) by inserting the following after subparagraph 18:

(18.01) CLOPIDOGREL: for prevention of ischemic vascular manifestations in persons for whom a platelet inhibitor is indicated but for whom acetylsalicylic acid or ticlopidine is ineffective, contraindicated or poorly tolerated;”;

(2) by substituting the following for subparagraph 28:

“(28) ESTRADIOL-17β: in persons unable to take estrogens orally because of intolerance or where medical factors favour the transdermal route;”;

(3) by substituting the following for subparagraph 29:

“(29) ESTRADIOL-17β/NORETHINDRONE ACETATE: in persons unable to take estrogens or progestogens orally because of intolerance or where medical factors favour the transdermal route;”;

(4) by striking out subparagraphs 47 and 49;

(5) by inserting the words “ineffective or” after the word “are” in paragraph *b* of subparagraph 57;

(6) by substituting the words “severe xerostomia” for the words “xerostomia occurring during radiotherapy” in subparagraph 74;

(7) by inserting the following after subparagraph 85:

“(85.1) TOLTERODINE: for treatment of vesical hyperactivity in persons for whom oxybutynin is poorly tolerated, contraindicated or ineffective;”.

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

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\* The Regulation respecting the basic prescription drug insurance plan, made by Order in Council 1519-96 dated 4 December 1996 (1996, *G.O.* 2, 4941) was last amended by the Regulations made by Orders in Council 1189-98 dated 16 September 1998 (1998, *G.O.* 2, 3949) and 9-99 dated 13 January 1999 (1999, *G.O.* 2, 84). For previous amendments, see the *Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire*, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 1998, updated to 1 September 1998.