
Regulations and other acts

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Order of the Minister of Transport dated 27 April 2000 respecting the thaw periods for 2000 concerning zones 1 and 2

Highway Safety Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-24.2, s. 419)

WHEREAS under section 419 of the Highway Safety Code (R.S.Q., c. C-24.2), the Minister of Transport may, by an order published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, determine zones where highway traffic is restricted or forbidden for vehicles as designated by him because of thaw, rain, erosion or flood, and the periods when such measures are applicable;

WHEREAS the Vehicle Load and Size Limits Regulation made under paragraphs 17 and 18 of section 621 of the Highway Safety Code determines, for various categories of road vehicles and combinations of road vehicles, the weights limits applicable during the thaw;

WHEREAS, in the Minister's Order of February 23, 1996 published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* on February 25, 1996, the Minister of Transport determined 3 thaw zones;

WHEREAS by that Minister's Order published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* on March 6, 2000, the Minister of Transport fixed an early thaw period in respect of zone 1;

WHEREAS it is expedient to advance the date of the early thaw period published on March 6, 2000, by the Minister's Order in respect of zone 1 and on February 23, 1996, by the Minister's Order in respect of zone 2;

THEREFORE, the Minister of Transport:

Fixes, for the year 2000, the annual thaw period of the zones 1 and 2, from March 6, 00:01 until May 2, 00:01 in zone 1 and from March 21, 00:01 until May 14, 00:01 in zone 2.

This Order takes effect from the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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Minister of Transport