

Draft Regulations

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An Act respecting income support, employment assistance and social solidarity (1998, c. 36)

Income support — 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 support, 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 increase the allowed amount of liquid assets of an adult who applies for an employment-assistance allowance and who is sheltered, is required to live in an establishment with a view to his reintegration into society or is the spouse of a student. It also amends the computation of the income of self-employed workers.

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

Further information on this 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; telephone: (418) 646-2564; fax: (418) 643-0019.

Any interested person having comments to make on this 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.

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Minister of Social Solidarity

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income support*

An Act respecting income support, employment assistance and social solidarity (1998, c. 36, s. 156, pars. 5 and 19, and s. 160)

1. Section 9 of the Regulation respecting income support is amended

(a) by substituting the amount “\$737” for “\$375” in the third paragraph; and

(b) by substituting the amount “\$737” for “\$151” in the fifth paragraph.

2. The following section is inserted after section 9:

“**9.1** Notwithstanding section 9, the liquid assets of an independent adult who is sheltered and who applies under the program within six months following the month in which he became ineligible because of excess liquid assets may not exceed \$2 500 if the adult in question was independent and sheltered when he became ineligible.”

3. Section 89 is amended by striking out the last sentence in the first paragraph.

4. Section 90 is amended

(1) by substituting the amount “\$737” for “\$375” in the third paragraph; and

(2) by substituting the amount “\$737” for “\$151” in the fifth paragraph.

5. This Regulation comes into force on 1 May 2000.

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* The Regulation respecting income support, made by Order in Council 1011-99 dated 1 September 1999 (1999, *G.O.* 2, 2881), was last amended by the Regulation made by Order in Council 1373-99 dated 8 December 1999.