

(2) by replacing the word “last” in the fourth paragraph, with the word “first”.

16. Section 47 of the Regulation is hereby amended by replacing “pursuant to section 20 of the Act by a depositor described in section 21” with “by a depositor”.

17. Section 48 of the Regulation is hereby repealed.

18. Section 48.1 of the Regulation is replaced with the following:

“48.1. Financial operations may be effected among the various specific portfolios.

The specific portfolios are:

(a) the specific real estate portfolios composed primarily of real estate assets, shares in real estate corporations or corporations whose object is to acquire, hold, rent or administer real estate properties, as well as evidences of indebtedness relating thereto;

(b) the specific participation portfolios in firms;

(c) the specific hypothec portfolios;

(d) specific portfolios of foreign securities or securities acquired on foreign markets or administered within the scope of overall management of international investments;

(e) specific portfolios of shares and of securities convertible into shares;

(f) specific portfolios of money market securities and cash management;

(g) specific bond portfolios;

(h) specific portfolios of any of the investment categories referred to in subparagraphs *a* to *g* and *i* to *m* and in juxtaposition with financial instruments or contracts;

(i) specific portfolios containing one or more securities;

(j) specific portfolios containing a combination of investment categories referred to in subparagraphs *a* to *i* and *k* to *m*;

(k) specific foreign currency portfolios;

(l) specific portfolios of derivative financial instruments;

(m) specific portfolios of diversified products.”.

19. Section 49 of the Regulation is amended by inserting the following sentence after the first paragraph:

“At the same time, the Fund shall also provide them with a statement of the assets of their respective funds.”.

20. Sections 50 and 50.2 of the Regulation are hereby repealed.

21. This Regulation comes into force on the day of government sanction.

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Gouvernement du Québec

### **O.C. 1427-2000, 6 December 2000**

An Act respecting income support, employment assistance and social solidarity  
(R.S.Q., c. S-32.001)

#### **Income support — Amendments**

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income support

WHEREAS in accordance with the Act respecting income support, employment assistance and social solidarity (R.S.Q., c. S-32.001), the Government made the Regulation respecting income support by Order in Council 1011-99 dated 1 September 1999;

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Regulation;

WHEREAS under section 12 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a proposed regulation may be made without having been published as provided for in section 8 of that Act if the authority making it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS under section 18 of that Act, a regulation may come into force between the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* and the date applicable under section 17 of that Act where the authority that has made it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS under sections 13 and 18 of that Act, the reason justifying the absence of prior publication and 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 absence of prior publication and such coming into force:

— the amendments provided for in the Regulation attached to this Order in Council are related to the annual increase in certain benefits based on the rate of adjustment provided for in the Act respecting the Québec Pension Plan (R.S.Q., c. R-9), which come into force on 1 January 2001; since the data required to establish the adjustments were available only on 21 November 2000, the waiting period related to prior publication and the date of coming into force would make it impossible for the amendments to come into force on 1 January 2001;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Social Solidarity:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income support, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

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

## **Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting income support\***

An Act respecting income support, employment assistance and social solidarity (R.S.Q., c. S-32.001, s. 156, pars. 5, 8, 11, 12, 19, 26, 29 and s. 160)

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

(1) by substituting “\$755”, “\$1 080”, “\$1 280”, “\$1 123”, “\$1 340” and “\$1 540” for “\$737”, “\$1 062”, “\$1 262”, “\$1 096”, “\$1 313” and “\$1 513” respectively in the first paragraph;

(2) by substituting “\$755” for “\$737” in the third paragraph; and

(3) by substituting “\$755” for “\$737” in the fifth paragraph.

2. Section 24 is amended by substituting “\$8.42” for “\$8” in the second paragraph.

3. Section 25 is amended by substituting “\$237” for “\$228”.

4. Sections 26, 27 and 28 are amended by substituting “\$155” for “\$151”.

5. Section 32 is amended by substituting “\$245” for “\$227” and the amount “\$340” for “\$313” wherever it appears.

6. Section 90 is amended

(1) by substituting “\$755”, “\$1 080”, “\$1 280”, “\$1 123”, “\$1 340” and “\$1 540” for “\$737”, “\$1 062”, “\$1 262”, “\$1 096”, “\$1 313” and “\$1 513” respectively in the first paragraph;

(2) by substituting “\$755” for “\$737” in the third paragraph; and

(3) by substituting “\$755” for “\$737” in the fifth paragraph.

7. Section 142 is amended by substituting the following for what follows “Service des pensions alimentaires”:

“730, boulevard Charest Est, 2<sup>e</sup> étage  
Québec (Québec)  
G1K 3J7”.

8. Section 150 is amended by substituting “\$755”, “\$1 080”, “\$1 280”, “\$1 123”, “\$1 340” and “\$1 540” for “\$737”, “\$1 062”, “\$1 262”, “\$1 096”, “\$1 313” and “\$1 513” respectively in subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph.

9. This Regulation comes into force on 1 January 2001.

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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 Regulations made by Orders in Council 339-2000 dated 22 March 2000 (2000, *G.O.* 2, 1840), 546-2000 dated 3 May 2000 (2000, *G.O.* 2, 2206), 637-2000 dated 24 May 2000 (2000, *G.O.* 2, 2535), 707-2000 dated 7 June 2000 (2000, *G.O.* 2, 2661) and 896-2000 dated 13 July 2000 (2000, *G.O.* 2, 3616). For previous amendments, refer to the *Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire*, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 2000, updated to 1 February 2000.