"(c) a share or a bond, bill, note, hypothec, mortgage or similar obligation that was acquired by the taxpayer from a person with whom the taxpayer does not deal at arm's length, other than from a person in respect of whom section 250.1 of the Act may apply for the person's taxation year that includes the time of the acquisition;".

- (2) Subsection 1 has effect from 29 December 1999.
- **2.** This Regulation comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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### **O.C. 1457-2000,** 13 December 2000

An Act respecting labour standards (R.S.Q., c. N-1.1)

#### Labour standards

#### — Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting labour standards

WHEREAS, under section 40, paragraph 1 of section 89 and section 91 of the Act respecting labour standards (R.S.Q., c. N-1.1), the Government may, by regulation, fix standards respecting the minimum wage;

WHEREAS the Government made the Regulation respecting labour standards (R.R.Q., 1981, c. N-1.1, r.3);

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting labour standards was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 25 October 2000 with a notice that it could be made by the Government upon the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS no comments were received on the draft Regulation;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of State for Labour and Employment and Minister of Labour:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting labour standards, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

## Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting labour standards\*

An Act respecting labour standards (R.S.Q., c. N-1.1, ss. 40, 89, par. 1, and 91)

- **1.** Section 3 of the Regulation respecting labour standards is amended by substituting the amount "\$7.00" for the amount "\$6.90".
- **2.** Section 4 is amended by substituting the amount "\$6.25" for the amount "\$6.15".
- **3.** Section 5 is amended by substituting the amount "\$280" for the amount "\$271".
- **4.** This Regulation comes into force on 1 February 2001.

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### O.C. 1458-2000, 13 December 2000

An Act respecting labour relations, vocational training and manpower management in the construction industry

(R.S.Q., c. R-20)

## Commission de la construction du Québec

— Levy

CONCERNING the Levy Regulation of the Commission de la construction du Québec

WHEREAS under subparagraph c of the first paragraph of section 82 of the Act respecting labour relations, vocational training and manpower management in the construction industry (R.S.Q., c. R-20), amended by

<sup>\*</sup> The Regulation respecting labour standards (R.R.Q., 1981, c. N-1.1, r.3) was last amended by the Regulation made by Order in Council 815-2000 dated 21 June 2000 (2000, G.O. 2, 3419). For previous amendments, refer to the *Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire*, Éditeur officiel du Québec, 2000, updated to 1 February 2000.

section 257 of chapter 40 of the Statutes of 1999, the Commission de la construction du Québec may, by regulation approved by the Government and published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, levy upon the employer alone or upon both the employer and the employee or upon the employee alone or, as the case maybe, upon the independent contractor, the amounts required for its administration and fix a minimum amount which an employer is bound to pay per monthly period;

WHEREAS after consulting with the Joint Committee on Construction in accordance with the first paragraph of section 123.3 of the Act, the Commission made the Levy Regulation for the year 2001;

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

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

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

— it is expedient to set the levy for the Commission de la construction du Québec for the year 2001 before 1 January 2001;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Levy Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of State for Labour and Employment and Minister of Labour:

THAT the Levy Regulation of the Commission de la construction du Québec, attached to this Order in council, be approved.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

# Levy Regulation of the Commission de la construction du Québec

An Act respecting labour relations, vocational training and manpower management in the construction industry

(R.S.Q., c. R-20, s. 82, 1st par., subpar. c; 1999, c. 40, s. 257)

- **1.** The levy imposed by the Commission de la construction du Québec for the year 2001 is:
- (1) in the case of an employer, 0.75 of 1% of the total remuneration paid to his employees;
- (2) in the case of an independent contractor, 0.75 of 1% of his remuneration as an independent contractor;
- (3) in the case of an employee, 0.75 of 1% of his remuneration.

Notwithstanding the first paragraph, the minimum amount that an employer or an independent contractor is bound to pay the Commission per monthly period is \$10.

- **2.** The employer shall collect, on behalf of the Commission, the amount levied upon his employees by means of a weekly deduction on their wages.
- **3.** The independent contractor shall deduct weekly, out of the remuneration he received as an independent contractor, the amount levied upon him.
- **4.** The employer and the independent contractor shall remit to the Commission the amount levied for a monthly period in pursuance of this Regulation, not later than on the fifteenth day of the following month.
- **5.** This Regulation comes into force on 1 January 2001.

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