

However, an application for a diploma or training equivalence shall be decided on the basis of the replaced regulations where a committee referred to these Regulations has sent a recommendation to the administrative committee of the Order in respect of that application before the date of coming into force of this Regulation.

12. The present Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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O.C. 137-2001, 21 February 2001

An Act respecting health services and social services (R.S.Q., c. S-4.2)

Determination of a revision date in accordance with the second paragraph of both section 619.8 and section 619.35 of the Act respecting health services and social services (R.S.Q., c. S-4.2)

WHEREAS, pursuant to the fourth paragraph of section 183 of the Act respecting health services and social services, (R.S.Q., c. S-4.2), the organization plan of an institution must be reviewed at least once every three years;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the third paragraph of section 184 and the eighth paragraph of section 186 of the Act, the medical and dental staffing plan of an institution must be reviewed at least once every three years and shall continue in force until the regional board decides on its revision;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the fifth paragraph of section 377 of the Act, the medical staffing plan of a regional board must be reviewed at least every three years and shall continue in force until the Minister of Health and Social Services decides on its review;

WHEREAS the second paragraph of both section 619.8 and section 619.35 of the Act provide that the Government shall fix the date from which every institution or regional board, whichever the case may be, must undertake the revision of its plan in accordance with sections 183 to 187 or 377 of the Act;

WHEREAS it is expedient to fix 1 March 2001 as the date from which every institution or regional board must undertake the revision of its plan;

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

THAT 1 March 2001 be fixed as the date from which every institution must undertake the review of its organization plan and medical and dental staffing plan in accordance with sections 183 to 187 of the Act respecting health services and social services and every regional board must undertake the review of its medical staffing plan in accordance with section 377 of the Act.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

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O.C. 142-2001, 21 February 2001

An Act respecting transportation by taxi (R.S.Q., c. T-11.1)

**Taxi owners' league of their urban area
— Suspension of the requirement imposed on taxi permit holders to pay an annual contribution**

Suspension of the requirement imposed on taxi permit holders to pay an annual contribution to the taxi owners' league of their urban area

WHEREAS under section 49 of the Act respecting transportation by taxi (R.S.Q., c. T-11.1), one taxi owners' league must be established in each urban area and recognized by the Commission des transports du Québec;

WHEREAS under section 50 of that Act, the principal functions of a recognized league are to represent taxi permit holders in an urban area and to promote their interests, especially by improving and promoting transportation by taxi and establishing social benefits; the league shall also promote the quality of service provided to the public;

WHEREAS under the first paragraph of section 52 of that Act, amended by section 321 of chapter 40 of the Statutes of 1999, to finance its activities, a recognized league may, by by-law approved by the majority of votes of the taxi permit holders who vote at a special meeting held for such purpose, fix the annual contribution;

WHEREAS under the first paragraph of section 54 of that Act, a person is required to pay the contribution for each permit he obtains or renews;

WHEREAS under the second paragraph of that section, the Government may suspend the requirement where it sees fit;

WHEREAS it is expedient to suspend as of 21 February 2001 the requirement for the taxi permit holders of an urban area to pay the annual contribution of the taxi owners' league established on their territory;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Transport:

THAT the requirement to pay the annual contribution of the taxi owners' league established under the first paragraph of section 52 of the Act, imposed on taxi permit holders under the first paragraph of section 54 of the Act respecting transportation by taxi (R.S.Q., c. T-11.1), be suspended as of 21 February 2001 for each permit they obtain or renew.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

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