

Regulations and other acts

Gouvernement du Québec

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An Act respecting threatened or vulnerable species
(R.S.Q., c. E-12.01)

Threatened or vulnerable species and their habitats

Regulation respecting threatened or vulnerable species and their habitats

WHEREAS under section 10 of the Act respecting threatened or vulnerable species (R.S.Q., c. E-12.01), the Government may make regulations on the various matters mentioned therein;

WHEREAS in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation respecting threatened or vulnerable species and their habitats attached hereto was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 27 December 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 made concerning that draft Regulation and no amendment was made to it since its publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation respecting threatened or vulnerable species and their habitats without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of the Environment and of the Minister responsible for Wildlife and Parks:

THAT the Regulation respecting threatened or vulnerable species and their habitats, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

JEAN ST-GELAIS,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

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DIVISION I

THREATENED WILDLIFE SPECIES

1. The following are designated as threatened species:

- (1) the beluga, St. Lawrence population (*Delphinapterus leucas*);
- (2) the wolverine (*Gulo gulo*);
- (3) the copper redhorse (*Moxostoma hubbsi*);
- (4) the horned grebe (*Podiceps auritus*);
- (5) the loggerhead shrike (*Lanius ludovicianus*);
- (6) the piping plover (*Charadrius melodus*);
- (7) the Eastern spiny softshell (*Apalone spinifera*).

DIVISION II

VULNERABLE WILDLIFE SPECIES

2. The following are designated as vulnerable species:

- (1) the caribou, Gaspésie population (*Rangifer tarandus*);

the habitat of the caribou, Gaspésie population, corresponds to a "territory, consisting of alpine and subalpine environments where caribous calve, breed, feed and migrate, identified by a plan drawn up by the Minister";
- (2) the Western chorus frog (*Pseudacris triseriata*).

DIVISION III

FINAL

3. This Regulation replaces the Regulation respecting threatened or vulnerable species made by Order in Council 377-2000 dated 29 March 2000.

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