

Amendments to the Rules of practice of the Superior Court of Québec in civil matters

Notice is hereby given that the Rules to amend the Rules of practice of the Superior Court of Québec in civil matters, the text of which appears below, were made by the judges of the Superior Court of Québec by way of a consultation by mail, on June 10, 2002, in accordance with article 47 of the Code of Civil Procedure (R.S.Q., c. C-25).

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Chief Justice

Rules¹ amending the Rules of practice of the Superior Court of Québec in civil matters

1. Rule 5 is amended by adding the following paragraph after its first paragraph :

“Agreements to be attached to a judgment shall be drafted on one side only of a good quality paper measuring 21.25 cm by 28 cm (8.5 inches by 11 inches).”.

2. Rule 15.1 is replaced by the following Rule :

“15.2 Identification of exhibits. An exhibit that has been disclosed, in particular pursuant to Articles 294.1, 402.1 and 403 C.C.P., shall be identified by one letter for each party, followed by a consecutive number.

One series of numbers shall be used from the beginning to the end of a case, and an exhibit shall retain the same identification throughout the conduct of the case.

The identification of the exhibit and the number of the record shall appear on the front and back of each exhibit, if applicable. The number of the record need not be repeated if several exhibits are joined together.”.

3. The following Rule is added after Rule 15 :

“15.1 Further declaration of inscription on the roll for hearing. Unless a dispensation has been obtained, no contested motion introductory of suit shall be placed on the roll for hearing unless a declaration of inscription on the roll for hearing complying with Form II has been produced in accordance with the applicable schedule. This declaration shall be accompanied by a list of the exhibits that have been disclosed.”.

4. Rule 44.1 is amended by the addition of the following paragraph :

“Such transcripts or stenographic notes may be filed in a condensed format along with an alphabetic index.”

5. Rule 48 is repealed.

6. The following Rule is added after Rule 49 :

“49.1 Judgment at the hearing. When a judge renders judgment at a hearing, anyone requesting a transcript of the judgment or a copy of the recording must direct the request to such judge.”.

7. The Table of Contents is amended by the addition in the appropriate places of the following ;

“15.1 Further declaration of inscription on the roll for hearing ;

15.2 Identification of exhibits ;

48. Repealed ;

49.1 Judgment at the hearing.

8. These Rules come into force ten days after their publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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¹ Adopted pursuant to the inherent powers of the Court and Article 47 of the Code of Civil Procedure.