

WHEREAS the Commission de la construction du Québec has made the Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designation of a representative approved by Order in Council 1528-96 dated December 4th 1996;

WHEREAS the Commission de la construction du Québec, after consultation with the Joint Committee on Construction pursuant to section 123.3 of the said Act, has made the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designation of a representative;

WHEREAS in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), the text of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designation of a representative was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of May 15th 2002 with a notice that it could be approved by the Government upon the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS no comment was received following that publication and there is reason to approve the Regulation without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Labour:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designation of a representative, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

ANDRÉ DICAIRE,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designation of a representative*

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. *b* and *f*)

1. Section 13 of the Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designa-

tion of a representative is amended by inserting the following after paragraph 8:

“(8.1) contributions for measures relating to manpower of the residential sector;”.

2. This 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. 1013-2003, 24 September 2003

An Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services
(R.S.Q., c. D-9.2)

Pursuit of activities as a representative — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 196 of the Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services (R.S.Q., c. D-9.2), the Bureau des services financiers may determine by regulation, for each sector and class of sectors, the requirements with which the liability insurance contracts of firms, representatives acting on behalf of a firm without being employees, independent representatives and independent partnerships must be consistent;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of that section, the regulation may, in particular, prescribe the extent of coverage, the amount covered per claim, the amount of the deductible and the notice that must be given before a contract is cancelled;

WHEREAS, under the third paragraph of that section, the regulation must be submitted to the Government for approval with or without amendment;

WHEREAS the Government, by Order in Council 830-99 dated 7 July 1999, approved the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative;

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Regulation;

* The Regulation respecting the register, monthly report, notices from employers and the designation of a representative, approved by Order in Council 1528-96 dated 4 December 1996 (1996, *G.O.* 2, 5328), has only been amended by the regulation approved by Order in Council 218-2000 dated 1 March 2000 (2000, *G.O.* 2, 1302).

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 196 of the Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services, the Bureau adopted the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative;

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 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 the first paragraph of section 18 of that Act, a regulation may come into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* where the authority that approves it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS, under section 13 and the second paragraph of section 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 following circumstances justifies the absence of prior publication and such coming into force of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative:

— as a result of the withdrawal of a number of insurers from the liability insurance market and substantial rate increases in that market, a number of representatives acting on behalf of a firm without being employees must renew their registration as of 1 October 2003, and may not be in a position to obtain professional liability insurance coverage if the coverage requirements are not modified before that date and they consequently would be unable to legally pursue their activities;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation with amendments;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative, the text of which is attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

ANDRÉ DICAIRE,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative*

An Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services
(R.S.Q., c. D-9.2, s. 196)

1. Section 17 of the Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative is amended by replacing “\$5,000” in paragraph 2 by “\$10,000”.

2. This Regulation comes into force on 1 October 2003.

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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 1014-2003, 24 September 2003

An Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services
(R.S.Q., c. D-9.2)

Firm, independent representative and independent partnership — Amendments

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting firm, independent representative and independent partnership

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 196 of the Act respecting the distribution of financial products and services (R.S.Q., c. D-9.2), the Bureau des services financiers may determine by regulation, for each sector and class of sectors, the requirements with which the liability insurance contracts of firms, representatives acting on behalf of a firm without being employees, independent representatives and independent partnerships must be consistent;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of that section, the regulation may, in particular, prescribe the extent of coverage, the amount covered per claim, the amount of the deductible and the notice that must be given before a contract is cancelled;

* The Regulation respecting the pursuit of activities as a representative, approved by Order in Council 830-99 dated 7 July 1999 (1999, G.O. 2, 2066), has not been amended since its approval.