

(6) authorizations, approvals and designations arising from the duties vested in the Minister under the Regulation respecting grants for the purposes of construction (R.R.Q., 1981, c. A-6, r.29) within the scope of the Programme d'appui au financement d'infrastructures; and

(7) all other deeds, writings and documents that may be signed by a member of the personnel under the Associate or Assistant Deputy Minister's authority.

4. A director is also authorized to sign

(1) deeds, notices, certificates, forms and articles related to the Cooperatives Act (R.S.Q., c. C-67.2);

(2) deeds, notices, certificates, forms and documents related to the cooperative investment plan;

(3) certificates issued or revoked in connection with the support measure for the development and funding of cooperatives in Québec pursuant to the Taxation Act; and

(4) validation certificates issued or revoked in connection with a tax holiday on capital for investments in the tourism sector pursuant to the Taxation Act.

5. Every administrative officer is also authorized to sign

(1) certificates of regularity issued under section 281.1 of the Cooperatives Act; and

(2) notices to the enterprise registrar under sections 17 and 18 of the Winding-Up Act (R.S.Q., c. L-4).

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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 264-2004, 24 March 2004

An Act respecting government services to departments and public bodies (R.S.Q., c. S-6.1)

Gazette officielle du Québec — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec*

WHEREAS, under section 26 of the Act respecting government services to departments and public bodies (R.S.Q., c. S-6.1), the Government may, by regulation, fix the subscription price of the *Gazette officielle du*

Québec and establish a tariff of the sums payable for the notices, announcements and documents published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*;

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 the *Gazette officielle du Québec* attached to this Order in Council was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 30 December 2003 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS no comments have been received in respect of the draft Regulation;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Relations with the Citizens and Immigration:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

ANDRÉ DICAIRE,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec**

An Act respecting government services to departments and public bodies (R.S.Q., c. S-6.1, s. 26, pars. 4 and 5)

1. Division II of the Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec* is replaced by the following:

“DIVISION II RATES

6. The annual subscription price for the *Gazette officielle du Québec* is

(1) \$165 for Part 1 in paper form and \$145 for Part 1 on a medium based on information technology; and

* The Regulation respecting the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, made by Order in Council 1259-97 dated 24 September 1997 (1997, G.O. 2, 5107), has not been amended since it was made.

(2) \$225 for the English or French edition of Part 2 in paper form and \$195 for the English or French edition of Part 2 on a medium based on information technology.

7. The selling price of an issue of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* is \$8.50 per copy in paper form and \$8 per copy on a medium based on information technology.

8. The price of a technology-based document included in an issue of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* is \$6.

9. The rate payable for the publication of documents, notices and announcements in Part 1 is \$1.15 per agate line.

The costs shall be paid by the person or authority requesting the publication or, where the publication is requested by the Government, by the person or authority issuing the document, notice or announcement.

10. The rate payable for publishing a document in Part 2 is \$0.75 per agate line. A minimum rate of \$165 is applied, however, in the case of a publication of fewer than 220 agate lines.

The costs shall be paid by

(1) in the case of an Act, Proclamation or Order in Council for the coming into force of an Act, the Minister responsible for the application of the Act concerned;

(2) the person or authority adopting or making regulations or other statutory instruments or, where they are made by the Government, the Minister recommending they be adopted or made;

(3) the person or authority recommending the adoption or making of an Order in Council, Conseil du trésor decision or Minister's order, in the case of Orders in Council, Conseil du trésor decisions or Minister's orders;

(4) the court or tribunal adopting rules of practice, in the case of rules of practice of a court or tribunal; or

(5) in all other cases, the person or authority issuing the document.

If the costs may be paid by more than one person or authority, they shall be paid by the issuer of the document.

11. The amounts set forth in sections 6 to 10 shall be indexed on 1 January 2005 and on 1 January of each year thereafter on the basis of the rate of increase in the general Consumer Price Index for Canada for the period ending on 30 September of the preceding year, as determined by Statistics Canada.

The rates and prices thus indexed that are less than \$35 shall be reduced to the nearest cent if they contain a fraction of a cent less than 0.5¢; they shall be increased to the nearest cent if they contain a fraction of a cent equal to or greater than 0.5¢.

The rates and prices thus indexed that are equal to or greater than \$35 shall be reduced to the nearest dollar if they contain a fraction of a dollar less than \$0.50; they shall be increased to the nearest dollar if they contain a fraction of a dollar equal to or greater than \$0.50.

The Québec Official Publisher shall publish the result of the annual indexing in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

12. The Québec Official Publisher shall send the *Gazette officielle du Québec* free of charge to the public bodies, public servants and other persons listed in Schedule I.”

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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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 271-2004, 24 March 2004

An Act respecting the Ministère des Ressources naturelles, de la Faune et des Parcs (R.S.Q., c. M-25.2)

Program to delegate land and forest management on public intramunicipal lands to regional county municipalities in the Côte-Nord administrative region

WHEREAS the Government and the regional county municipalities (RCMs) in the Côte-Nord administrative region have, within the framework of the government policy on regional development, agreed to increase the contribution of public intramunicipal lands to the revitalization, consolidation and economic development of the region and the local populations;

WHEREAS one of the main measures proposed consists in delegating the management of public intramunicipal lands and forest resources thereon to the RCMs in the Côte-Nord region;

WHEREAS sections 17.13 to 17.16 of the Act respecting the Ministère des Ressources naturelles, de la Faune et des Parcs (R.S.Q., c. M-25.2), section 17.14 being amended by section 51 of chapter 16 of the Statutes of 2003, authorize the Minister of Natural Resources, Wildlife