## **Draft Regulations**

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Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26)

## **Midwives**

- Diplomas giving access to permits
- Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders, the text of which appears below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The purpose of the draft Regulation is to add section 1.31 to the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders in order to determine the diploma giving access to the permit of the Ordre des sages-femmes du Québec.

To date, study of the matter has shown no impact on businesses, including small and medium-sized businesses.

The draft Regulation will be submitted to the Office des professions du Québec and to the Ordre des sagesfemmes du Québec for their opinion. To that end, the Office will seek the opinion of the Order and send it to the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions with its own opinion, following the results of the consultation made with departments, teaching establishments and other interested bodies.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Raymonde Gagnon, President of the Ordre des sagesfemmes du Québec, 430, rue Sainte-Hélène, bureau 405, Montréal (Québec) H2Y 2K7, telephone: (514) 286-1313 or 1 877 711-1313; fax: (514) 286-0008.

Any person having comments to make is asked to send them, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Chair of the Office des professions du Québec, 800, place D'Youville, 10° étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3. The comments will be forwarded by the Office to the Minister

responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions; they may also be forwarded to the professional order concerned and to the interested persons, departments, teaching establishments and other bodies.

JACQUES P. DUPUIS, Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders\*

Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26, s. 184, 1st par.)

- **1.** The Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders is amended by inserting the following after section 1.30:
- **"1.31.** The Baccalauréat en pratique sage-femme from the Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières gives access to the permit issued by the Ordre des sages-femmes du Québec.".
- **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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<sup>\*</sup> The Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated teaching establishments which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders, made by Order in Council 1139-83 dated 1 June 1983 (1983, G.O. 2, 2369), was last amended by the regulations made by Orders in Council 19-2004 dated 14 January 2004 (2004, G.O. 2, 805) and 211-2004 dated 17 March 2004 (2004, G.O. 2, 1148). For previous amendments, refer to the Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire, Québec Official Publisher, 2004, updated to 1 March 2004.