M.O., 2007

Order number AM 2007-014 of the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife dated 28 April 2007

An Act respecting the conservation and development of wildlife (R.S.Q., c. C-61.1)

CONCERNING the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting trapping and the fur trade

THE MINISTER OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDLIFE,

CONSIDERING section 56 of the Act respecting the conservation and development of wildlife (R.S.Q., c. C-61.1) which provides that the Minister may make regulations on the matters mentioned therein;

CONSIDERING section 164 of the Act which provides that a regulation made under section 56 of the Act is not subject to the publication requirements set out in section 8 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1);

CONSIDERING the making of the Regulation respecting trapping and the fur trade by Minister's Order 99026 dated 31 August 1999 which prescribes, in particular, the conditions for the trapping of any animal or any animal of a class of animals;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to amend certain provisions of the Regulation;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

The Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting trapping and the fur trade, attached hereto, is hereby made.

Québec, 28 April 2007

CLAUDE BÉCHARD, Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting trapping and the fur trade*

An Act respecting the conservation and development of wildlife

(R.S.Q., c. C-61.1, s. 56, 3rd par., subpar. 4 and 4th par., subpars. 1 and 2)

1. The Regulation respecting trapping and the fur trade is amended in section 12 by replacing "only during the prescribed trapping periods for that animal and from the second full weekend before that period" in the fourth paragraph by "only during the period from 1 July to 15 August as regards FAMUs 6, 50 and 56 to 66 and, only during the period from 1 July to 31 August as regards FAMUs 1 to 5, 7 to 49, 51 to 55 and 68 to 86".

2. Section 17 is amended

- (1) by replacing "27 to 36" in subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph by "27 to 32";
- (2) by replacing "37" in subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph by "33 to 37".

3. Schedule II is amended

- (1) by adding "(Note 2)" in Column I after the common name of "Beaver", "Canadian lynx", "American marten", "Fisher" and "Raccoon";
- (2) by replacing "(Note 1)" after the common name of "Muskrat" by "(Notes 1 and 2)";
 - (3) by adding the following note after Note 1:

"Note 2:

Implement type 1 to trap beaver, American marten, fisher, muskrat or raccoon, implement type 4 to trap muskrat and implement types 3 and 5 to trap Canadian lynx must be certified to be in conformity with the standards prescribed by the Agreement on International Humane Trapping Standards between the European Union, Canada and the Russian Federation, as confirmed by Order in Council 116-2000 dated 9 February 2000.

^{*} The Regulation respecting trapping and the fur trade, made by Minister's Order 99026 dated 31 August 1999 (1999, *G.O.* 2, 2992), was last amended by the regulation made by Minister's Order 2006-025 dated 15 June 2006 (2006, *G.O.* 2, 1930). For previous amendments, refer to the *Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire*, Québec Official Publisher, 2007, updated to 1 March 2007.

The implements are published by the Fur Institute of Canada, on its website, under the heading "Trap Research and Testing" in the "Traps Meeting Requirements of the Agreement" section.

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

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