## Regulations and other acts

Gouvernement du Québec

## **O.C. 31-2009**, 14 January 2009

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

## Medical electrophysiology technologist

- Professional activities that may be engaged
- Amendment

Regulation amending the Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist

WHEREAS, under paragraph h of section 94 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26), amended by section 62 of chapter 11 of the Statutes of 2008, the board of directors of a professional order may make a regulation determining, among the professional activities that may be engaged in by members of the order, those that may be engaged in by the persons or categories of persons indicated in the regulation, and the terms and conditions on which such persons may engage in such activities:

WHEREAS the board of directors of the Collège des médecins du Québec made the Regulation amending the Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 95 of the Professional Code, amended by section 63 of chapter 11 of the Statutes of 2008, and subject to section 95.2 of the Code, every regulation made by the board of directors of a professional order under the Code or an Act constituting a professional order must be transmitted to the Office des professions du Québec for examination and be submitted, with the recommendation of the Office, to the Government which may approve it with or without amendment:

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 30 July 2008 with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 95 of the Professional Code, amended by section 63 of chapter 11 of the Statutes of 2008, the Office has examined the Regulation and made its recommendation;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 17 of the Regulations Act, a regulation comes into force 15 days after the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* or on any later date indicated in the regulation or in the Act under which the regulation is made or approved;

WHEREAS, under 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 has approved it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it, and the reason justifying such coming into force must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS the Government is of the opinion that the urgency due to the following circumstances justifies the coming into force of the Regulation on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*:

— for reasons of public health, such coming into force is necessary to avoid service interruptions that could occur if medical electrophysiology technologists were no longer authorized to engage in certain professional activities as of 26 January 2009, by the effect of section 6 of the Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist, approved by Order in Council 1281-2005 dated 21 December 2005;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation with amendment;

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

THAT the Regulation amending the Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

GÉRARD BIBEAU, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

## Regulation amending the Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist\*

Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26, s. 94, par. h; 2008, c. 11, s. 62)

- **1.** The Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist is modified by replacing, in section 6, the words "the third anniversary of the date it came into force" by "January 1st, 2010".
- **2.** This Regulation comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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<sup>\*</sup> The Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in by a medical electrophysiology technologist, approved by Order in Council 1281-2005 of December 21, 2005 (2006, *G.O.* 2, 207), has not been amended since its approval.