

Regulations and other Acts

M.O., 2009

Order number 2009-11 of the Minister of Transport dated 8 May 2009

Highway Safety Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-24.2)

CONCERNING the end of the annual thaw periods for the year 2009

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT,

CONSIDERING section 419 of the Highway Safety Code (R.S.Q., c. C-24.2), according to which the Minister of Transport may, by an order published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, determine the locations where the movement of all or some road vehicles designated by the Minister is restricted or prohibited by reason of thawing, rain, erosion or flooding and the periods during which such measures apply;

CONSIDERING the Vehicle Load and Size Limits Regulation, made by Order in Council 1299-91 dated 18 September 1991, under subparagraphs 17 and 18 of the first paragraph of section 621 of the Highway Safety Code, according to which the maximum load limits applicable during thaw periods are determined for various classes of road vehicles and combinations of road vehicles;

CONSIDERING Order 2009-02 dated 12 March 2009, published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 15 March 2009, according to which the Minister of Transport determined the annual thaw periods for the year 2009;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to advance the date scheduled for the end of the thaw period in zones 1, 2 and 3;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

The date and time of the beginning and end of the thaw periods for the year 2009 are hereby determined

— for zone 1, from 16 March, 00:01, to 9 May, 00:01;

— for zone 2, from 23 March, 00:01, to 16 May, 00:01;

— for zone 3, from 30 March, 00:01, to 23 May, 00:01.

This Order takes effect from the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

JULIE BOULET,
Minister of Transport

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