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Bill 14

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**An Act to extend the terms of office of the
board members of public health and
social services institutions**

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

The purpose of this Act is to postpone the elections, designations and co-optations of the board members of the public institutions governed by the Act respecting health services and social services from 2009 to 2010 and, consequently, to extend the terms of the board members in office by one year.

The Act also sets out the manner in which vacancies occurring during the extension period are to be filled.

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THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The elections under sections 135 and 530.63, the designations under sections 137 and 530.64 and the co-optations under sections 138 and 530.65 of the Act respecting health services and social services (R.S.Q., chapter S-4.2), to be held or made in 2009, are postponed to 2010.

Therefore, the terms of office of the members of the boards of directors of the public institutions governed by that Act, except for the executive director or the president and executive director, are extended, despite any inconsistent provision, to the thirtieth day following the day on which the co-optation under section 138 or 530.65 of that Act is completed.

2. Sections 156 and 530.70 of the Act respecting health services and social services apply to a vacancy on a board of directors in an office the term of whose incumbent is continued under this Act. The vacancy is to be filled for the unexpired portion of the term of the board member to be replaced.

3. This Act comes into force on 4 June 2009.