

31. Each transponder must make it possible to identify the road vehicle with which it is associated.

32. The partner must keep a register on the distribution of the transponders, including in particular

(1) the transponder's number;

(2) the class of road vehicle with which it is associated.

33. A person may ask to have a transponder registered in his or her name for a road vehicle, whether or not he or she is the owner of the vehicle.

34. Registration of a transponder may cover more than one class B or C road vehicle, provided that all of those vehicles belong to the same class.

DIVISION 6

PERSON ENTRUSTED WITH THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE ACT FOR THE PURPOSES OF DRAWING UP OFFENCE REPORTS

35. An employee of the partner designated by the Minister of Transport as a person entrusted with the enforcement of the Act respecting transport infrastructure partnerships for the purposes of drawing up the offence report referred to in article 62 of the Code of Penal Procedure (R.S.Q., c. C-25.1) must, at the time he or she is designated,

(1) be of full age;

(2) not have been found guilty of or have pleaded guilty to a criminal offence within the past five years involving the activities he or she may be called on to perform as a result of having been so designated, unless he or she has obtained a pardon;

(3) have taken the oath in Schedule 1 before a person authorized to administer oaths.

DIVISION 7

TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL

36. During the first 90 days following the activation of bridge P-15020 on autoroute 25, any person liable for payment under section 13 of the Act respecting transport infrastructure partnerships for the passage on that bridge of a road vehicle referred to in section 3 of this Regulation is exempted from such payment if he or she applies to the partner for exemption.

37. During the 90 days preceding the activation of bridge P-15020 on autoroute 25, any person who applies to have a transponder for a road vehicle registered in his

or her name is exempted from payment of the toll for the passages of that vehicle on that bridge, provided that the transponder is in the vehicle and is functioning, for a period equal to the number of days between the date of registration of the transponder and the date of activation of bridge P-15020. That period begins on the date of the activation of bridge P-15020.

38. Despite the first paragraph of section 11, a partner may, during the first 90 days following the activation of the toll road infrastructure, establish the amount of a toll at less than the minimum toll rate per axle.

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

SCHEDULE 1

(s. 35)

OATH OF A PERSON ENTRUSTED WITH THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE ACT RESPECTING TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE PURPOSES OF DRAWING UP THE OFFENCE REPORT REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 62 OF THE CODE OF PENAL PROCEDURE

“I, (last name, first name), declare under oath that I will perform all duties and exercise all powers of a person entrusted with the enforcement of the Act respecting transport infrastructure partnerships for the purposes of drawing up offence reports and will do so faithfully, impartially and honestly, to the best of my ability and knowledge.

I also declare under oath that I will neither reveal nor disclose, unless duly authorized to do so, any confidential information that may come to my knowledge in the performance of my duties.”.

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Draft Regulation

Environment Quality Act
(R.S.Q., c. Q-2)

Wood-burning appliances — Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1) and section 124 of the Environment Quality Act, that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting wood-burning appliances, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 60 days following this publication.

The Regulation respecting wood-burning appliances, made by Order in Council 508-2009 dated 29 April 2009, came into force on 1 September 2009. Since that date, only high efficiency wood-burning appliances that comply with the design criteria of CAN/CSA Standard CAN/CSA-B415.1 of the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) or of 40 CFR 60, subpart AAA, Standards of Performance for New Residential Wood Heaters, published by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, may be manufactured, distributed, sold or offered for sale in Québec. The Regulation indicates that it will apply to furnaces and boilers with a nominal heat output of 2 megawatts (MW) or less only as of 1 April 2011.

On 2 March 2010, the CSA revised CAN/CSA Standard CAN/CSA-B415.1 regarding the test protocols for indoor or outdoor warm-air furnaces and boilers. Unlike the version published in 2000, the revised standard does not apply to furnaces and boilers of 2 MW or less. It applies to furnaces and boilers with a nominal heat output of less than 150 kW (0.15 MW), which more adequately corresponds to the output of residential and commercial heating appliances, in accordance with the purpose of the Regulation. Hence, there is no profit or cost associated with the amendment.

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Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 60-day period to Michel Goulet, Director, Direction des politiques de la qualité de l'atmosphère, Ministère du Développement durable, de l'Environnement et des Parcs, édifice Marie-Guyart, 675, boulevard René-Lévesque Est, 5^e étage, boîte 30, Québec (Québec) G1R 5V7; fax: 418 646-0001; email: michel.goulet@mddep.gouv.qc.ca

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Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting wood-burning appliances*

Environment Quality Act
(R.S.Q., c. Q-2, s. 31, 1st par., subpars. *a*, *c* and *d*)

1. The Regulation respecting wood-burning appliances is amended in section 1 by replacing “exceeding 2 MW;” in subparagraph 2 of the second paragraph by “of 150 kW or more”.

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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* The Regulation respecting wood-burning appliances, made by Order in Council 508-2009 dated 29 April 2009 (2009, *G.O.* 2, 1657), was amended by Orders in Council 707-2009 dated 18 June 2009 (2009, *G.O.* 2, 1881) and 245-2010 dated 24 March 2010 (2010, *G.O.* 2, 767A).