

DIVISION IV ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

11. Where a general partnership is continued as a limited liability partnership or where a joint-stock company or a limited liability partnership is established, the architect must ensure, within 15 days of the occurrence, that the partnership or company so notifies its clients.

The notice must specify in general terms the effects of the continuation or establishment, in particular with respect to the architect's professional liability.

12. The documents that may be required pursuant to paragraph 6 of section 3 are the following:

(1) if the architect practises the profession within a joint-stock company,

(a) an up-to-date register of the articles and by-laws of the joint-stock company;

(b) an up-to-date register of the shares of the joint-stock company;

(c) an up-to-date register of the directors of the joint-stock company;

(d) any shareholders' agreement and voting agreement and amendments;

(e) the declaration of registration of the joint-stock company and any update; and

(f) a list of the company's principal officers and their home addresses;

(2) if the architect practises the profession within a limited liability partnership,

(a) the declaration of registration of the partnership and any update;

(b) the partnership agreement and amendments;

(c) an up-to-date register of the partners;

(d) where applicable, an up-to-date register of the directors; and

(e) a complete and up-to-date list of the partnership's principal officers and their home addresses.

DIVISION V FINAL

13. 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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Draft Regulation

An Act respecting immigration to Québec
(R.S.Q., c. I-0.2)

Selection of foreign nationals — Amendment

Notice is hereby given that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation extends from 36 to 48 months the maximum period of validity of a certificate of acceptance issued to a foreign national who wishes to stay temporarily in Québec to work and who is referred to in section 110 of the Immigration and Refugee Protection Regulations (SORS/2002-227). The proposed amendment harmonizes Québec regulations with the recent amendments made to the federal regulations increasing from 3 to 4 years the period granted to live-in caregivers to acquire the experience required to obtain the status of permanent resident.

The draft Regulation does not result in administrative or financial costs for enterprises, including small and medium-sized businesses.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Lucy Wells, Assistant Deputy Minister for Immigration, 360, rue McGill, 4^e étage, Montréal (Québec) H2Y 2E9; telephone: 514 873-0706, extension 21262; fax: 514 873-0453.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the Minister of Immigration and Cultural Communities, 360, rue McGill, 4^e étage, Montréal (Québec) H2Y 2E9.

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Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals

An Act respecting immigration to Québec
(R.S.Q., c. I-0.2, s. 3.3, 1st par., subpar. f.1.0.1)

1. The Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals (c. I-0.2, r.4) is amended by inserting “or, in the case of a foreign national of the live-in caregiver class referred to in section 110 of the Immigration and Refugee Protection Regulations (SORS/2002-227), for a period of not more than 48 months.” after “months” in the second sentence of paragraph 4 of section 50.

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