

Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 399-2010, 5 May 2010

Education Act
(R.S.Q., c. I-13.3)

Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education — Amendments

Regulation to amend the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education

WHEREAS, under section 447 of the Education Act (R.S.Q., c. I-13.3), the Government may make regulations to be known as the “basic school regulation”;

WHEREAS the Government made the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education (R.R.Q., c. I-13.3, r.8);

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education;

WHEREAS, under section 458 of the Education Act, any draft regulation provided for in that section shall be submitted before passage to the Conseil supérieur de l'éducation for preliminary examination;

WHEREAS a draft of the Regulation attached to this Order in Council was submitted to the Conseil supérieur de l'éducation and the Council issued its opinion;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation attached to this Order in Council was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 3 February 2010, with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS comments were made following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

GÉRARD BIBEAU,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education

Education Act
(R.S.Q., c. I-13.3, s. 447)

1. The Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education (R.R.Q., c. I-13.3, r.8) is amended in section 13.1 by inserting “and at the end of the first year of secondary school” in the first paragraph after “elementary education”.

2. The following is inserted after section 18:

“**18.1.** Despite the first paragraph of section 17, the first school days of the school calendar for children in preschool education may be used to allow them to enter school gradually

Each day used for gradual entry to school constitutes, for the purposes of the first paragraph of section 16, the equivalent of one day of class in the school calendar devoted to educational services.

18.2. For students in elementary school and students in the first cycle of secondary school, the school calendar must consist of at least 720 hours devoted to the instruction of the compulsory subjects provided for in section 22 or 23, as the case may be.

For students in the second cycle of secondary school, the calendar must consist of at least 648 hours devoted to the instruction of the subjects provided for in section 23.1 and the elective subjects appearing on the list drawn up by the Minister under the Act.”

3. The following paragraph is added to section 19:

“However, despite subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph, educational services may be offered to students on Saturdays and Sundays, with the parents’ authorization.”.

4. Section 23.1 is amended by inserting the following paragraph after the second paragraph:

“The Secondary IV compulsory subject Ethics and religious culture may, subject to section 26, be taught to Secondary III students and, if applicable, the credits assigned for that subject may be given to those students.”.

5. This Regulation comes into force on 1 July 2010.

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

Certified management accountants — Compulsory continuing education who hold a public accountancy permit

Regulation concerning compulsory continuing education for Québec certified management accountants who hold a public accountancy permit

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 187.10.2 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26), the board of directors of the Ordre des comptables en management accrédités du Québec must determine, by regulation, the continuing education activities in which the holder of a public accountancy permit is required to take part, the penalties for failing to take part in the activities and, where applicable, the cases in which a member may be exempted from taking part in such activities;

WHEREAS the board of directors of the Ordre des comptables en management accrédités du Québec made the Regulation concerning compulsory continuing education for Québec certified management accountants who hold a public accountancy permit;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 95 of the Professional Code, and subject to sections 95.0.1 and 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 concerning compulsory continuing education for Québec certified management accountants who hold a public accountancy permit was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 6 November 2009 with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 20 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 95 of the Professional Code, the Office des professions du Québec has examined the Regulation and made its recommendation;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation with amendments;

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

THAT the Regulation concerning compulsory continuing education for Québec certified management accountants who hold a public accountancy permit, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

GÉRARD BIBEAU,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation concerning compulsory continuing education for Québec certified management accountants who hold a public accountancy permit

Professional Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-26, s. 187.10.2, 2nd par.)

DIVISION I CONTINUING EDUCATION

1. All members of the Ordre des comptables en management accrédités du Québec who hold a public accountancy permit, unless exempted under Division IV, must complete in every 3-year reference period at least 60 hours of continuing education activities, including a minimum of 15 hours per reference year. The 60 hours must cover audit engagements, review engagements and other activities relating to public accountancy.

The members must choose the continuing education activities from the program of activities established by the Order pursuant to section 4.