## **Parliamentary Committees**

## **Select Committee**

## **General consultation**

## Dying with dignity

The Select Committee on Dying with Dignity will be holding public hearings beginning at the end of summer 2010, as part of its general consultation on the issue of dying with dignity. The consultation document is available on the Committee's web page at www.assnat.qc.ca; it may also be obtained by contacting the committee clerk.

Individuals and organizations wishing to express their views on this subject must submit a brief to the Committees Secretariat no later than July 16, 2010. Briefs must be on letter-size paper and include a summary of their contents. They may be sent by email (Word or unlocked PDF) or regular mail, or hand delivered at the reception desk of the Committees Secretariat.

Individuals wishing to voice their views during public hearings without submitting a brief must file a request to that effect with the committee clerk no later than July 16, 2010. The request must include a short statement summarizing the nature of the presentation to be made. Individuals may also fill out the on line questionnaire on the National Assembly website.

On the basis of these briefs and requests, the Committee decides which individuals and organizations it will hear.

Unless the Committee decides otherwise, briefs will be made public and posted on the Committee's web page, along with any personal information they contain.

Deadlines for submitting briefs and requests are subject to change, as is the opening-date for public hearings. If changes are made, the information will be made public via the National Assembly's website without further notice being published in the newspapers. Briefs, requests, correspondence and inquiries should be addressed to Ms Anik Laplante, Clerk of the Select Committee on Dying with Dignity, édifice Pamphile-Le May, 1035, rue des Parlementaires, 3° étage, Québec (Québec) G1A 1A3.

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