2. The period referred to in the first paragraph of section 195 of the Business Corporations Act is 6 months before the day on which the proposal is submitted; the number and value of the outstanding shares referred to in that paragraph are 1% and \$2,000, respectively.

The shares are appraised at their fair market value.

- **3.** The proposal and the attached statement must together not exceed 500 words.
- **4.** The period referred to in paragraph 1 of section 200 of the Business Corporations Act is 90 days before the expiry of 1 year after the date of the notice of meeting for the last annual meeting sent to the shareholders.

The period referred to in paragraph 4 of that section is 2 years.

The period referred to in paragraph 5 of that section is 5 years; the minimum amount of support referred to in that paragraph is, as the case may be,

- (a) 3% of the total number of shares whose voting right was exercised, if the proposal was presented at only one annual shareholders meeting;
- (b) 6% of the total number of shares whose voting right was exercised during the last presentation of the proposal to the holders, if the proposal was presented at 2 annual shareholders meetings;
- (c) 10% of the total number of shares whose voting right was exercised during the last presentation of the proposal to the holders, if the proposal was presented at at least 3 annual shareholders meetings.
- **5.** The period referred to in section 201 of the Business Corporations Act is 2 years after the meeting referred to in that section was held.
- **6.** The period referred to in section 203 of the Business Corporations Act is 21 days as of the receipt of the proposal.
- **7.** This Regulation comes into force on (insert the date of coming into force of the Business Corporations Act (2009, c. 52)).

Draft Regulation

Civil Code of Québec (1991, c. 64)

Tariff of duties

— Acts of civil status, change of name or of designation of sex

— Amendments

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Tariff of duties respecting the acts of civil status and change of name or of designation of sex, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The Government may by regulation, under the third paragraph of article 151 of the Civil Code of Québec (1991, c. 64), fix duties for the issuing of copies of acts, certificates or attestations.

In accordance with that provision, the Government made, by Order in Council 1593-93 dated 17 November 1993, the Tariff of duties respecting the acts of civil status and change of name or of designation of sex.

This draft Regulation amends the Tariff to adjust the amount of the duties payable for the issuing of copies of acts, certificates or attestations and provides for the indexing of those duties.

Further information on the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting the Director of Civil Status, 2535, boulevard Laurier, 4e étage, Québec (Québec) G1V 5C5; telephone: 418 643-1447, extension 2300; fax: 418 644-9018; e-mail: pierre.rodrigue@dec.gouv.qc.ca

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the Minister of Government Services, Dominique Vien, 875, Grande Allée Est, 5° étage, secteur 5.700, Québec (Québec) G1R 5R8.

DOMINIQUE VIEN, Minister of Government Services

Regulation to amend the Tariff of duties respecting the acts of civil status and change of name or of designation of sex*

Civil Code of Québec (1991, c. 64, arts. 64, 73 and 151)

- **1.** The Tariff of duties respecting the acts of civil status and change of name or of designation of sex is amended by replacing section 1 by the following:
- **"1.** The duties payable for the issuing of copies of acts, certificates and attestations are, according to the document, the method of issue and the period indicated, as follows:
- (1) for a certificate of birth, marriage, civil union or death,
- (a) \$28 by electronic means, \$38 by mail and \$43 at the counter until 31 March 2012;
- (b) \$29 by electronic means, \$39 by mail and \$44 at the counter from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013; and
- (c) \$31 by electronic means, \$44 by mail and \$49 at the counter as of 1 April 2013;
 - (2) for a copy of an act of civil status,
- (a) \$35 by electronic means, \$45 by mail and \$50 at the counter until 31 March 2012;
- (b) \$36 by electronic means, \$46 by mail and \$51 at the counter from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013; and
- (c) \$37 by electronic means, \$51 by mail and \$55 at the counter as of 1 April 2013;
 - (3) for a certificate of civil status,
- (a) \$40 by electronic means, \$50 by mail and \$55 at the counter until 31 March 2012;
- (b) \$41 by electronic means, \$51 by mail and \$56 at the counter from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013; and

- (c) \$42 by electronic means, \$56 by mail and \$61 at the counter as of 1 April 2013;
- (4) for an attestation related to an act or to a notation made in an act of civil status, \$6.

The duties payable for an application requiring an accelerated processing are, according to the document, the method of issue and the period indicated, as follows:

- (1) in any case referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 3 of the first paragraph,
- (a) \$50 by electronic means, \$60 by mail and \$65 at the counter until 31 March 2012;
- (b) \$51 by electronic means, \$61 by mail and \$66 at the counter from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2013; and
- (c) \$60 by electronic means, \$65 by mail and \$70 at the counter as of 1 April 2013;
- (2) in the case referred to in subparagraph 4 of the first paragraph, \$35.".
- **2.** Section 2 is revoked.
- **3.** The following Division is added after section 10:

"DIVISION III.1 INDEXING

- **10.1.** The duties prescribed in subparagraphs 1 to 3 of the first paragraph and in subparagraph 1 of the second paragraph of section 1 are indexed on 1 April of each year starting in 2014 according to the rate determined in section 83.3 of the Financial Administration Act (R.S.Q., c. A-6.001).
- **10.2.** The duties prescribed in subparagraph 4 of the first paragraph of section 1, in subparagraph 2 of the second paragraph of section 1 and in sections 4, 5, 5.1, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 are indexed in the same manner, each year as of 2011."
- **4.** 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 Tariff of duties respecting the acts of civil status and change of name or of designation of sex, made by Order in Council 1593-93 dated 17 November 1993 (1993, G.O. 2, 6213), was last amended by the regulation made by Order in Council 490-2002 dated 24 April 2002 (2002, G.O. 2, 2292). For previous amendments, refer to the Tableau des modifications et Index sommaire, Québec Official Publisher, 2010, updated to 1 April 2010.