

2. Section 18 is amended by replacing “\$2,380” in the second paragraph by “\$2,444”.

3. Section 26 is amended by replacing “\$174” in the second paragraph by “\$179”.

4. Section 29 is amended by replacing the amounts in subparagraphs 1 to 6 of the third paragraph by the following amounts:

- (1) “\$176”;
- (2) “\$176”;
- (3) “\$203”;
- (4) “\$388”;
- (5) “\$443”;
- (6) “\$203”.

5. Section 32 is amended

(1) by replacing “\$345” and “\$758” in the first paragraph by “\$354” and “\$778” respectively;

(2) by replacing “\$138” and “\$551” in the second paragraph by “\$147” and “\$571” respectively.

6. Section 33 is amended

(1) by replacing “\$62” in the first paragraph by “\$64”;

(2) by replacing “\$175” in the second paragraph by “\$180”.

7. Section 34 is amended by replacing “\$257” and “\$1,196” in the first paragraph by “\$264” and “\$1,228” respectively.

8. Section 35 is amended by replacing “\$89” in the second paragraph by “\$91”.

9. Section 37 is amended by replacing “\$234” in the fifth paragraph by “\$240”.

10. Section 40 is amended by replacing “\$67” and “\$536” in the first paragraph by “\$69” and “\$552” respectively.

11. Section 50 is amended

(1) by replacing the amounts in subparagraphs 1 to 3 of the first paragraph by the following amounts:

- (1) “\$13,937”;
- (2) “\$13,937”;
- (3) “\$16,688”;

(2) by replacing the amounts in subparagraphs 1 to 3 of the second paragraph by the following amounts:

- (1) “\$3,756”;
- (2) “\$4,753”;
- (3) “\$5,755”.

12. Section 74 is amended by replacing “\$234” and “\$117” in the second paragraph by “\$240” and “\$120” respectively.

13. Section 82 is amended by replacing “\$2,805” and “\$2,101” in the third paragraph by “\$2,881” and “\$2,158” respectively.

14. Section 86 is amended

(1) by replacing the amounts in subparagraphs 1 to 3 of the first paragraph by the following amounts:

- (1) “\$2.14”;
- (2) “\$3.19”;
- (3) “\$107.98”;

(2) by replacing “\$10.38” in the second paragraph by “\$10.66”.

15. This Regulation applies as of the 2011-2012 year of allocation.

16. 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 parental insurance
(R.S.Q., c. A-29.011)

Premium rates under the parental insurance plan — Amendment

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 Regulation respecting premium rates under the parental insurance plan, made by the Conseil de gestion de l'assurance parentale on May 25th 2011 and appearing below, may be approved by the Government, with or without amendment, on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The Regulation modifies the premium rates applicable to employees, persons referred to in section 51 of the Act respecting parental insurance, employers and self-employed workers, as of 1 January 2012.

The majority of workers and employers will be affected by the proposed amendments. The amendments will entail an increase of 3.0¢ per \$100 of payroll for employers, 2.2¢ per \$100 of salary or wages for employees and 3.8¢ per \$100 of income for self-employed workers.

That special adjustment is solely intended to bring down the accumulated deficit of the Parental Insurance Fund. In accordance with section 115 of the Act respecting parental insurance, once achieved, premium rates will have to be returned to their equilibrium level so that the premiums collected will be sufficient to cover the plan's benefits and operating costs, on a yearly basis.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Marie-Christine Bergeron, 1122, Grande Allée Ouest, 1^{er} étage, bureau 104, Québec (Québec) G1S 1E5; telephone: 418 528-8818; fax: 418 643-6738.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the President and Director General of the Conseil de gestion de l'assurance parentale, 1122, Grande Allée Ouest, 1^{er} étage, bureau 104, Québec (Québec) G1S 1E5; telephone: 418 643-1009; fax: 418 643-6738.

JULIE BOULET,
Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting premium rates under the parental insurance plan

An Act respecting parental insurance
(R.S.Q., c. A-29.011, s. 6)

1. The Regulation respecting premium rates under the parental insurance plan (c. A-29.011, r. 5) is amended by replacing section 1 by the following:

“**1.** The premium rate applicable to an employee and to a person referred to in section 51 of the Act is 0.559%.

The premium rate applicable to a self-employed worker is 0.993%.

The premium rate applicable to an employer is 0.782%”.

2. This Regulation comes into force on 1 January 2012.

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Draft Regulation

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

Chartered appraisers

— Code of ethics

— Amendment

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 Code of ethics of the members of the Ordre des évaluateurs agréés du Québec, made by the board of directors of the Ordre des évaluateurs agréés du Québec, may be submitted to the Government which may approve it, with or without amendment, on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation adapts certain rules of ethics to the practice of the profession of chartered appraiser within a partnership or a joint-stock company, as provided in the draft of the Regulation respecting the practice of the profession of chartered appraiser within a partnership or a joint-stock company and updates other existing provisions.

The draft Regulation has no impact on enterprises, including small and medium-sized businesses.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Elena Konson, Ordre des évaluateurs agréés du Québec, 415, rue Saint-Antoine Ouest, bureau 450, Montréal (Québec) H2Z 2B9; telephone: 514 281-9888 or 1 800 982-5387; fax: 514 281-0120; email: ekonson@oeaq.qc.ca

Any person having comments to make is asked to send them, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Chair of the Office des professions du Québec, 800, place D'Youville, 10^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3. The comments will be forwarded by the Office to the Minister of Justice and may also be sent to the Order that made the Regulation as well as to interested persons, departments and bodies.

JEAN PAUL DUTRISAC,
*Chair of the Office des professions
du Québec*
