
Coming into force of Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

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An Act to amend the Election Act to encourage and facilitate voting

(2006, c. 17)

— **Coming into force of certain provisions of the Act**

COMING INTO FORCE of certain provisions of the Act to amend the Election Act to encourage and facilitate voting

WHEREAS the Act to amend the Election Act to encourage and facilitate voting (2006, c. 17) was assented to on 14 June 2006;

WHEREAS, under section 39 of the Act, it comes into force on 14 June 2006, except the provisions of sections 2, 3, 4 and 13, section 14 insofar as it enacts the words “and including particulars about voting in the advance poll and at the returning officer’s office” in the first paragraph of section 227, section 15 insofar as it enacts subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph and the second and third paragraphs of section 262, sections 263 to 280, section 297, the second paragraph of section 301.18 and sections 301.19 to 301.22, section 19 insofar as it enacts the words “and at the returning officer’s office” in the first paragraph of section 327 and sections 21 and 24, which come into force on the date or dates to be set by the Government. However, such a date may not be set before a recommendation to that effect is obtained from the Chief Electoral Officer, stating that all preparations needed for the implementation of those provisions have been made and that the provisions may therefore come into force;

WHEREAS the Chief Electoral Office has stated that all preparations needed for the coming into force of section 15 of the Act insofar as it enacts section 297 have been made and that this provision may therefore come into force as of 26 October 2011;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister responsible for Canadian Intergovernmental Affairs and the Canadian Francophonie and Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions and Access to Information:

THAT the date of coming into force of section 15 of the Act to amend the Election Act to encourage and facilitate voting (2006, c. 17), insofar as it enacts section 297, be set at 26 October 2011.

GILLES PAQUIN,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

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