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### **O.C. 1050-2011,** 19 October 2011

An Act respecting racing (R.S.Q., c. C-72.1)

#### **Betting houses**

#### — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting betting houses

WHEREAS the rule for rounding off increased fees in the Regulation respecting betting houses (c. C-72.1, r. 7) differs from the rules of other regulations administered by the Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux;

WHEREAS it is appropriate to standardize the rules for rounding off those fees;

WHEREAS, under paragraph 4 of section 105 of the Act respecting racing (R.S.Q., c. C-72.1), the Government may, by regulation, determine the fee payable by a person applying for a licence, a certificate or an attestation, the mode and the time of payment, and the fee exigible to obtain a duplicate of such documents;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting betting houses was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 18 May 2011 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Public Security:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting betting houses, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

GILLES PAQUIN, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

# Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting betting houses

An Act respecting racing (R.S.Q., c. C-72.1, s. 105, par. 4)

**1.** The Regulation respecting betting houses (c. C-72.1, r. 7) is amended by replacing the second paragraph of section 8 by the following:

"The adjusted fees are rounded off as follows:

- (1) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is between \$0.01 and \$0.25, they are increased by \$0.25;
- (2) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is between \$0.25 and \$0.50, they are increased by \$0.50;
- (3) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is between \$0.50 and \$1.00, they are increased by \$1.00; and
- (4) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is greater than \$1.00,
- (a) they are reduced to the nearest dollar if they contain a fraction of a dollar less than \$0.50; or
- (b) they are increased to the nearest dollar if they contain a fraction of a dollar equal to or greater than \$0.50.".
- **2.** 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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### **O.C. 1051-2011,** 19 October 2011

An Act respecting racing (R.S.Q., c. C-72.1)

## Standardbred horse racing — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting Standardbred horse racing

WHEREAS the duties payable under the Regulation respecting Standardbred horse racing (c. C-72.1, r. 2) are not currently adjusted;

WHEREAS, under paragraph 4 of section 105 of the Act respecting racing (R.S.Q., c. C-72.1), the Government may, by regulation, determine the fee payable by a person applying for a licence, a certificate or an attestation, the mode and the time of payment, and the fee exigible to obtain a duplicate of such documents;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting Standard-bred horse racing was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 18 May 2011 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Public Security:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting Standardbred horse racing, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

GILLES PAQUIN, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

# Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting Standardbred horse racing

An Act respecting racing (R.S.Q., c. C-72.1, s. 105, par. 4)

- **1.** The Regulation respecting Standardbred horse racing (c. C-72.1, r. 2) is amended in its section 4:
- (1) by striking out "(from 1 April 1984)" in the table in paragraph 1;
- (2) by striking out "from 1 April 1984" in paragraphs 2, 3 and 4.
- **2.** The Regulation is amended by inserting the following after section 21:
- **"21.1.** The fees payable under this Regulation are adjusted on 1 January of each year, based on the percentage change in the All-Items Consumer Price Index for Canada, for the 12-month period ending on 30 September of the preceding year, as determined by Statistics Canada. The adjustment rate may not be less than zero.

The adjusted fees are rounded off as follows:

- (1) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is between \$0.01 and \$0.25, they are increased by \$0.25;
- (2) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is between \$0.25 and \$0.50, they are increased by \$0.50;

- (3) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is between \$0.50 and \$1.00, they are increased by \$1.00; and
- (4) where the annual increase resulting from the adjustment is greater than \$1.00,
- (a) they are reduced to the nearest dollar if they contain a fraction of a dollar less than \$0.50; or
- (b) they are increased to the nearest dollar if they contain a fraction of a dollar equal to or greater than \$0.50.

For the purposes of the first paragraph, the board is to publish each year, after their determination, the new fees by means of a notice in Part 1 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* and, if the board considers it appropriate, by any other means."

**3.** 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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### **O.C. 1052-2011,** 19 October 2011

An Act respecting liquor permits (R.S.Q., c. P-9.1)

## Duties and costs payable under the Act — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting duties and costs payable under the Act respecting liquor permits

WHEREAS certain duties and costs payable under the Regulation respecting duties and costs payable under the Act respecting liquor permits (c. P-9.1, r. 3) are adjusted only every five years;

WHEREAS, under paragraph 4 of section 114 of the Act respecting liquor permits (R.S.Q., c. P-9.1), the board may, in plenary session, make regulations determining the amount of the costs and duties that are payable under that Act or standards permitting to establish such amount and prescribing the terms and conditions of payment;

WHEREAS, under section 116 of that Act, any regulation made by the board must be submitted to the approval of the Government;