Decisions

Décision 1693-2, 21 March 2013

An Act respecting Access to documents held by public bodies and the Protection of personal information (chapter A-2.1)

RESPECTING the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission d'accès à l'information

As the Commission d'accès à l'information was established under the Act respecting Access to documents held by public bodies and the Protection of personal information (chapter A-2.1);

As, in accordance with section 104.1 of that Act, the members of the Commission d'accès à l'information are chosen beforehand according to the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission established by regulation of the Office of the National Assembly;

As the Office, by its Decision 1384 dated October 25, 2007, adopted the Regulation respecting the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission d'accès à l'information;

As the Office, by its Decision 1560 dated April 7, 2011, amended that regulation so as to extend from three years to five years the valid period of the existing initial list of candidates considered qualified by the selection committee for the position of member of the Commission;

As it is expedient to change the composition of the selection committee prescribed in section 4 of the Regulation;

As it is expedient to amend the Regulation in order to extend from three years to five years the valid period of any list of candidates considered qualified by the selection committee for the position of member of the Commission;

As, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), the proposed Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission d'accès à l'information was published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* on 27 December 2012;

As it is expedient that the Office adopt that regulation;

IT IS THE DECISION OF THE OFFICE:

To adopt the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission d'accès à l'information;

To publish the regulation in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

JACQUES CHAGNON, President of the National Assembly

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission d'accès à l'information

Act respecting Access to documents held by public bodies and the Protection of personal information (chapter A-2.1, section 104.1)

1. Section 4 of the Regulation respecting the procedure for selecting persons qualified for appointment as members of the Commission d'accès à l'information, adopted by Decision 1384 dated October 25, 2007, is amended by replacing paragraphs 2 and 3 by the following paragraphs:

"(2) a Vice-President of the National Assembly;

"(3) after consulting the Secretary General of the National Assembly, two persons with pertinent experience in the field of access to documents held by public bodies or the protection of personal information."

2. Section 15 of the Regulation is amended by replacing "three" in the third paragraph by "five".

3. This regulation comes into force on the date it is adopted.

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