## **M.O.**, 2013

Order number 2013-007 of the Minister of Immigration and Cultural Communities and Minister responsible for the Charter of the French language dated 4 July 2013

An Act respecting immigration to Québec (chapter I-0.2)

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the weighting applicable to the selection of foreign nationals

THE MINISTER OF IMMIGRATION AND CULTURAL COMMUNITIES AND MINISTER RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CHARTER OF THE FRENCH LANGUAGE

CONSIDERING section 3.4 of the Act respecting immigration to Québec (chapter I-0.2), which empowers the Minister to establish by regulation the weighting of selection criteria applicable to foreign nationals;

CONSIDERING that section 3.4 provides that a regulation made under that section is not subject to the requirement to publish contained in section 8 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1) and, notwithstanding section 17 of that Act, comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, or at any later date fixed in the regulation;

CONSIDERING the provisions of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals made by Order in Council 762-2013 dated 25 June 2013, which comes into force on 1 August 2013 and which amends the language proficiency criteria in Schedule A to that Regulation;

CONSIDERING the Regulation respecting the weighting applicable to the selection of foreign nationals (chapter I-0.2, r. 2) made by Minister's Order 2009-011 dated 30 September 2009;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to amend the Regulation;

#### ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

The Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the weighing applicable to the selection of foreign nationals, attached to this Order, is hereby made.

DIANE DE COURCY, Minister of Immigration and Cultural Communities and Minister responsible for the Charter of the French language

### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the weighting applicable to the selection of foreign nationals

An Act respecting immigration to Québec (chapter I-0.2, s. 3.4)

**I.** The Regulation respecting the weighting applicable to the selection of foreign nationals (chapter I-0.2, r. 2) is amended by replacing, in Subclass I SKILLED WORKER, the factor "4. Language proficiency" by the following:

"Factor 4. Language proficiency		Maximum = 22
	Criteria	Points
French	(a) oral interaction	
Maximum=16	- oral comprehension:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 5 6 7
	- oral expression:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 5 6 7
	(b) written interaction	
	- written comprehension:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 1 1 1
	- written expression:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 1 1 1

	Criteria	Points		Criteria	Points
4.2 English				(b) written interaction	
Maximum 6	(a) oral interaction			- written comprehension:	
	<ul> <li>oral comprehension:</li> <li>levels 1 to 4</li> <li>levels 5 to 8</li> <li>levels 9 to 12</li> <li>oral expression:</li> <li>levels 1 to 4</li> <li>levels 5 to 8</li> <li>levels 9 to 12</li> <li>(b) written interaction</li> <li>written comprehension:</li> <li>levels 1 to 4</li> <li>levels 5 to 8</li> <li>levels 9 to 12</li> <li>written expression:</li> </ul>	0 1 2 0 1 2 0 1 1	4.2 English Maximum = 6	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12 – written expression: levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12 ( <i>a</i> ) oral interaction – oral comprehension:	0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1
	levels 1 to 4 levels 5 to 8 levels 9 to 12	0 1 1".		levels 1 to 4 levels 5 to 8 levels 9 to 12 – oral expression:	0 1 2

**2.** The Regulation is amended by replacing, in Subclass II SELF-EMPLOYED PERSON, in Subclass III ENTREPRENEUR and in Subclass IV INVESTOR, the factor «4.Language proficiency» by the following:

<b>''Factor 4. Language proficiency</b>		Maximum = 22	
	Criteria	Points	
4.1 French	(a) oral interaction		
Maximum = 16	- oral comprehension:		
	levels 1 and 2	0	
	levels 3 and 4	0	
	levels 5 and 6	0	
	levels 7 and 8	5	
	levels 9 and 10	6	
	levels 11 and 12	7	<b>3.</b>
	- oral expression:		SKIL cienc
	levels 1 and 2	0	
	levels 3 and 4	0	
	levels 5 and 6	0	«6.5 I
	levels 7 and 8	5	
	levels 9 and 10	6	profici
	levels 11 and 12	7	Maxin

6	- oral comprehension:	
	levels 1 to 4 levels 5 to 8 levels 9 to 12	0 1 2
	- oral expression:	
	levels 1 to 4 levels 5 to 8 levels 9 to 12	0 1 2
	(b) written interaction	
	- written comprehension:	
	levels 1 to 4 levels 5 to 8 levels 9 to 12	0 1 1
	- written expression:	
	levels 1 to 4 levels 5 to 8 levels 9 to 12	0 1 1".
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The Regulation is amended by replacing, in Subclass I SKILLED WORKER, the criterion "6.5 Language proficiency" by the following:

	Criteria	Points
«6.5 Language proficiency	( <i>a</i> ) oral interaction in French	
Maximum = 6	- oral comprehension:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4	0 0
	levels 5 and 6	0

Criteria	Points
levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	2 3 3
- oral expression:	
levels 1 and 2	0
levels 3 and 4	0
levels 5 and 6	0
levels 7 and 8	2
levels 9 and 10	3
levels 11 and 12	3
(b) written interaction in French	

- written comprehension:

levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 0 0 0
<ul> <li>written expression:</li> <li>levels 1 and 2</li> <li>levels 3 and 4</li> <li>levels 5 and 6</li> <li>levels 7 and 8</li> </ul>	0 0 0 0
levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0".

**4.** The Regulation is amended by replacing, in Subclass II SELF-EMPLOYED PERSON, the criterion "6.5 Language proficiency" by the following:

	Criteria	Points
«6.5 Language proficiency	( <i>a</i> ) oral interaction in French	
Maximum = 6	- oral comprehension:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 2 3 3
	- oral expression:	
	levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4 levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8 levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0 2 3 3

Criteria	Points
(b) written interaction in French	
- written comprehension:	
levels 1 and 2 levels 3 and 4	0 0
levels 5 and 6 levels 7 and 8	0 0
levels 9 and 10 levels 11 and 12	0 0
- written expression:	
levels 1 and 2	0
levels 3 and 4	0
levels 5 and 6	0
levels 7 and 8	0
levels 9 and 10	0
levels 11 and 12	0".

**5.** The provisions of this Regulation do not apply to an application for a selection certificate as a skilled worker filed with the Minister prior to 1 August 2013 and whose preliminary processing has begun.

**6.** This Regulation comes into force on 1 August 2013.

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### **M.O.**, 2013

# Order No. 2013-09 of the Minister of Transport dated July 3rd, 2013

Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2)

Access to public roads for low-speed vehicles

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT,

CONSIDERING Minister's Order 2008-07 dated 20 June 2008 (*G.O.* 2, 2566), amended by Minister's Order 2011-09 dated 17 June 2011 (*G.O.* 2, 1397) to test the use of low-speed electric vehicles under a pilot project ending on 17 July 2013;

CONSIDERING the first paragraph of section 633.1 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2), which provides that the Minister of Transport may, by order and after consultation with the Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec, restrict or prohibit, for up to 180 days, the use on public highways of any model or class of vehicle that endangers the safety of persons and property;