

## Draft Regulations

### Draft Regulation

Professional Code  
(chapter C-26)

#### Chartered professional accountants — Diplomas giving access to permits — Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation replaces sections 1.25, 1.28 and 1.29 of the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders by section 1.25 to introduce a new list of diplomas giving access to the permit issued by the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés. The amendment is made after the coming into force, on 16 May 2012, of the Chartered Professional Accountants Act (chapter C-48.1) which regroups into 1 order members of the 3 following accounting orders: Ordre des comptables agréés du Québec, Ordre des comptables généraux accrédités du Québec and Ordre des comptables en management accrédités du Québec.

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

The draft Regulation will be submitted to the Office des professions du Québec and to the Order for their opinion. The Office will seek the opinion of the Order and forward it with its own opinion to the Minister of Justice after consultation with the educational institutions and other bodies concerned.

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Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to Jean Paul Dutrisac, Chair of the Office des professions du Québec, 800, place D'Youville, 10<sup>e</sup> étage,

Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3. The comments will be sent by the Office to the Minister of Justice; they may also be sent to the Order as well as to the interested persons, departments and bodies.

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### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders

Professional Code  
(chapter C-26, s. 184, 1st par.)

**1.** The Regulation respecting the diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders (chapter C-26, r. 2) is amended by replacing sections 1.25, 1.28 and 1.29 by the following:

“**1.25.** The following diplomas awarded by the educational institutions listed below give access to the permit issued by the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec:

(1) Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.), obtained upon completion of the Bachelor of Business Administration, Concentration in Accounting, from Bishop's University;

(2) Bachelor of Commerce (B.Comm.), obtained upon completion of the Bachelor of Commerce, Major in Accountancy, from Concordia University;

(3) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences comptables from the Université du Québec à Montréal;

(4) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en administration des affaires, spécialisation comptabilité professionnelle, from the École des Hautes Études Commerciales de Montréal;

(5) Baccalauréat en gestion (B.Gest.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en gestion, cheminement en comptabilité professionnelle, from the École des Hautes Études Commerciales de Montréal. The bachelor's degree is obtained by combining the 3 following certificates:

- (a) Certificat en gestion d'entreprise;
- (b) Certificat en gestion comptable des organisations;
- (c) Certificat en comptabilité professionnelle;

(6) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en administration des affaires, concentration comptabilité, from Université Laval;

(7) Bachelor of Commerce (B.Comm.), obtained upon completion of the Bachelor of Commerce, Major in Accounting, from McGill University;

(8) Bachelor of Commerce (B.Comm.), obtained upon completion of the Bachelor of Commerce, Joint Honours in Economics and Accounting, from McGill University;

(9) Bachelor of Commerce (B.Comm.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences commerciales, spécialisation en comptabilité, from the Université d'Ottawa;

(10) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en administration des affaires, concentration comptabilité, from the Université de Sherbrooke;

(11) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences comptables from the Université du Québec à Chicoutimi;

(12) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences comptables, concentration comptabilité, from the Université du Québec à Rimouski;

(13) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.), obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences comptables from the Université du Québec en Abitibi-Témiscamingue;

(14) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.) obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences comptables, concentration CPA, from the Université du Québec en Outaouais;

(15) Baccalauréat en administration des affaires (B.A.A.) obtained upon completion of the programme de baccalauréat en sciences comptables from the Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières.»

**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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