

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation respecting the possession and transportation into Québec of alcoholic beverages acquired in another province or a territory of Canada was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 20 November 2013 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS the 45-day period has expired;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation without amendment;

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

THAT the Regulation respecting the possession and transportation into Québec of alcoholic beverages acquired in another province or a territory of Canada, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

JUAN ROBERTO IGLESIAS,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation respecting the possession and transportation into Québec of alcoholic beverages acquired in another province or a territory of Canada

An Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec (chapter S-13, s. 37, subpar. 9.2)

1. Alcoholic beverages acquired in another province or a territory of Canada may be brought into Québec by every person having the right to purchase and possess them under the Act respecting offences relating to alcoholic beverages (chapter I-8.1) when they are intended for his or her personal consumption and not for resale or any other commercial purpose, if they are in the person's possession or form part of the baggage transported by the person.

2. The maximum quantities of alcoholic beverages per trip that a person may bring into Québec are the following:

- (1) 3 litres of spirits;
- (2) 9 litres of wine;
- (3) 24.6 litres of beer.

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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Gouvernement du Québec

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

Selection of foreign nationals —Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals

WHEREAS, under subparagraphs *c* and *c.3* of the first paragraph of section 3.3 of the Act respecting immigration to Québec (chapter I-0.2), the Government may make a regulation determining the cases where an undertaking to assist a foreign national to settle in Québec is required and the terms of the undertaking and its duration, which may vary according to the age;

WHEREAS the Government made the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals (chapter I-0.2, r. 4);

WHEREAS, under section 13 of the Canada-Québec Accord Relating to Immigration and Temporary Admission of Aliens, Canada has sole responsibility for the admission of immigrants in the family class and the assisted relative class, including the responsibility for establishing whether an individual immigrant belongs in either of those classes;

WHEREAS the Government of Canada published, on 18 June 2014, an amendment to the definition of “dependent child” provided for in the Immigration and Refugee Protection Regulations (SOR/2002-227) and the new definition comes into force on 1 August 2014;

WHEREAS, under the Canada-Québec Accord Relating to Immigration and Temporary Admission of Aliens, Québec takes any measures which are necessary to implement the Accord and ensure that its laws and regulations relating to immigration do not prevent full implementation of the Accord;

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the definition of “dependent child” in the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals;

WHEREAS it is expedient that the amendment comes into force on the same date as the date of the federal regulation to comply with the Canada-Québec Accord Relating to Immigration and Temporary Admission of Aliens;

WHEREAS, under section 12 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a proposed regulation may be made without having been published under section 8 of the Act if the authority making it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS, under section 13 of that Act, the reason justifying the absence of such publication must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Government, the urgency due to the following circumstances warrants the absence of such publication:

— since Québec does not have the power to define relationships for the purposes of immigration, it must harmonize its regulations to the regulations of the federal government;

— the short period between the final publication of the federal regulation on 18 June 2014 and its coming into force on 1 August 2014;

— the amendment to the regulations of Québec must come into force on the same date as the date of the federal regulations to comply with the Canada-Québec Accord Relating to Immigration and Temporary Admission of Aliens;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Immigration, Diversity and Inclusiveness:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

JUAN ROBERTO IGLESIAS,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals

An Act respecting immigration to Québec
(chapter I-0.2, s. 3.3, 1st par., subpars. *c* and *c.3*)

1. The Regulation respecting the selection of foreign nationals (chapter I-0.2, r. 4) is amended in subparagraph *d.1* of subsection 1 of section 1

(1) by replacing “22” in subparagraph *i* by “19”;

(2) by striking out subparagraph *ii*;

(3) by replacing “22” wherever it appears in subparagraph *iii* by “19”.

2. Section 23 is amended in subparagraph *a* of the first paragraph

(1) by replacing “16” in subparagraph *ii* by “13”;

(2) by replacing “25” in subparagraph *iii* by “22” and “16” by “13”.

3. Schedule A is amended by replacing “21” in criteria 8.2 of factor 8 by “18”.

4. Despite the provisions of this Regulation, the definition of “dependent child”, as it read before 1 August 2014, continues to apply to the application for a selection certificate filed with the Minister before 1 August 2014 by a foreign national who is in one of the following situations:

(1) the foreign national is abroad and is referred to in subparagraphs *i* and *iii* of paragraph *c* of section 18 of the Regulation;

(2) the foreign national is referred to in subparagraph *i.1* of paragraph *c* of section 18 of the Regulation;

(3) the foreign national filed an application in one of the subclasses referred to in section 21 of the Regulation.

The same applies to the foreign national subject of an application for an undertaking filed with the Minister before 1 August 2014 under section 28, 28.1 or 29 of the Regulation and subject to paragraph *b* or, if the foreign national is abroad, subparagraph *iii* of paragraph *c* of section 18.

5. This Regulation comes into force on 1 August 2014.