

Draft Regulations

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Highway Safety Code
(chapter C-24.2)

Licences — 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 licences, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation makes mandatory the training specific to the driving of road trains of more than 25 metres in length based on the requirements prescribed by the Canadian Trucking Alliance. The draft Regulation also provides that the driver must be accompanied while learning to drive the vehicle.

The purpose of the measure is to increase the safety of road users who must manage with the presence of road trains on the highway system. However, every person wishing to complete the training required to drive such vehicle will have to pay the cost of the training.

No specific impact on businesses and small and medium-sized businesses is expected. The new training requirements aim at having the contiguous Canadian jurisdictions recognize the proficiency acquired in Québec in the driving of road trains and ensure an equitable treatment between carriers.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Ann Paquet, Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec, 333, boulevard Jean-Lesage, C421, case postale 19600, Québec (Québec) G1K 8J6; telephone: 418 528-4584.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments before the expiry of the 45-day period to the Minister of Transport, 700, boulevard René-Lévesque Est, 29^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5H1.

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Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting licences

Highway Safety Code
(chapter C-24.2, s. 619, par. 6)

1. The Regulation respecting licences (chapter C-24.2, r. 34) is amended by adding the following after paragraph 6 of section 30:

“(7) a class 1 driver’s licence also allows the holder to drive a road train of more than 25 metres in length for the sole purpose of learning to drive it even if the indication to that effect is not entered in the licence holder’s file, provided that the licence holder is accompanied as required by section 99 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2).”.

2. Section 46.1 is replaced by the following:

“**46.1.** A person wishing to have the indication “road train” entered in his or her file must:

(1) have held a class 1 driver’s licence for at least 5 years;

(2) have successfully completed the instruction program for driving a road train of more than 25 metres in length provided by a heavy vehicle driving school under a school board.”.

3. This Regulation comes into force on 26 October 2014.

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Draft Rules

An Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie
(chapter R-6.01)

Régie de l'énergie — Procedure

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the Rules of Procedure of the Régie de l'énergie, appearing below, may be submitted to the government for approval on the expiry of 45 days from this publication.