The Order requests that the diplomas of Doctorat en psychologie (D.Psy.), option neuropsychologie clinique from the Université de Montréal and Doctorat en recherche et intervention en psychologie (Ph.D.) from the Université de Sherbrooke be added to the list of diplomas provided for in the Regulation as the Order considers that the doctoral programs give an initial training in preparation for the practice of the profession that meets the requirements for the issue of the permit of psychologist. In regards to the addition of the first of the diplomas, it is one of the 2 options offered for the Doctorat en psychologie (D.Psy.) from the Université de Montréal.

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.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Stéphane Beaulieu, Secretary-General, Ordre des psychologues du Québec, 1100, avenue Beaumont, bureau 510, Mont-Royal (Québec) H3P 3H5; telephone: 514 738-1881 or 1 800 363-2644; fax: 514 738-8838.

Any person wishing to comment on the matter is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the Chair of the Office des professions du Québec, Jean Paul Dutrisac, 800, place D'Youville, 10° étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3. The comments will be forwarded by the Office to the Minister of Justice and may also be sent to the Ordre des psychologues du Québec and to interested persons, departments and bodies.

STÉPHANIE VALLÉE, Minister of Justice

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 in section 1.24:

- (1) by replacing paragraph 1 by the following:
- "(1) Doctorat en psychologie, recherche et intervention (Ph.D.) or Doctorat en psychologie (D.Psy.) from the Université de Montréal;";
- (2) by inserting "or Doctorat en recherche et intervention en psychologie (Ph.D.)" in paragraph 6 after "(D.Ps.)".
- **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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Draft Regulation

Professional Code (chapter C-26)

Psychotherapist's permit —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 psychotherapist's permit, made by the Office des professions du Québec on 12 September 2014 and replacing the draft Regulation made on 15 August 2014 and published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 10 September 2014, may be submitted to the Government which may approve it, with or without amendment, on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The Regulation amends the Regulation respecting the psychotherapist's permit to satisfy the requests for regulatory amendments submitted by the Ordre professionnel des sexologues du Québec and the Ordre des travailleurs sociaux et des thérapeutes conjugaux et familiaux du Québec, with which the Ordre des psychologues du Québec agrees.

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

Further information may be obtained by contacting Edith Lorquet, Ordre des psychologues du Québec, 1100, avenue Beaumont, bureau 510, Mont-Royal (Québec) H3P 3H5; telephone: 514 738-1881 or 1 800 363-2644; fax: 514 738-8838.

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JEAN PAUL DUTRISAC, Chair of the Office des professions du Québec

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the psychotherapist's permit

Professional Code (chapter C-26, s. 187.3.2)

- **1.** The Regulation respecting the psychotherapist's permit (chapter C26, r. 222.1) is amended by inserting the following sections after section 8:
- **"8.1.** The board of directors of the Ordre professionnel des psychologues du Québec issues a psychotherapist's permit to a person who applies therefor before (insert the date occurring 6 months after the date of coming into force of this Regulation) and who, before the date of coming into force of section 187.1 of the Professional Code, holds a marriage and family therapist's permit issued by the Ordre des travailleurs sociaux et des thérapeutes conjugaux et familiaux du Québec.

A person who, on the date of coming into force of section 187.1 of the Code, is registered in a training program in marital and family therapy giving access to the marriage and family therapists permit issued by the Ordre des travailleurs sociaux et des thérapeutes conjugaux et familiaux du Québec and who obtains a permit after that date is deemed to meet the condition set out in paragraph 1 of section 1.

- **8.2.** The board of directors of the Ordre professionnel des psychologues du Québec issues a psychotherapist's permit to a holder of a permit issued by the Ordre professionnel des sexologues du Québec who applies therefor before (insert the date occurring 6 months after the date of coming into force of this Regulation) and who, before the date of constitution of the Ordre professionnel des sexologues du Québec, has completed his or her master's studies in sexology, counseling or clinical concentration, at the Université du Québec à Montréal."
- **2.** This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.