

## Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

### O.C. 500-2015, 10 June 2015

Professional Code  
(chapter C-26)

#### Physiotherapy — Certain professional activities in physiotherapy — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain professional activities in physiotherapy

WHEREAS, under paragraph *h* of section 94 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26), the board of directors of a professional order may, by regulation, determine, among the professional activities that may be engaged in by members of the order, those that may be engaged in by the persons or categories of persons indicated in the regulation, in particular persons serving a period of professional training determined pursuant to paragraph *i* of that section, and the terms and conditions on which such persons may engage in such activities;

WHEREAS the board of directors of the Ordre professionnel de la physiothérapie du Québec made the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain professional activities in physiotherapy;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 95 of the Professional Code and subject to sections 95.0.1 and 95.2 of the Code, every regulation made by the board of directors of a professional order under the Code or an Act constituting such an order must be transmitted to the Office des professions du Québec for examination and be submitted, with the recommendation of the Office, to the Government which may approve it with or without amendment;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain professional activities in physiotherapy was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 26 November 2014 with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 95 of the Professional Code, the Office has examined the Regulation and submitted it to the Government with its recommendation;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Justice:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain professional activities in physiotherapy, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

JUAN ROBERTO IGLESIAS,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

#### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain professional activities in physiotherapy

Professional Code  
(chapter C-26, s. 94, par. *h*)

**1.** The Regulation respecting certain professional activities in physiotherapy (chapter C-26, r. 193) is amended by inserting the following after section 2:

“**2.1.** Among the professional activities that may be engaged in by physical therapists or physical rehabilitation therapists, the activities required for the completion of the compensatory measures that would allow a person to obtain a licence may be engaged in by a person referred to in sections 2 and 3 of the Règlement sur la délivrance d’un permis de l’Ordre professionnel de la physiothérapie du Québec pour donner effet à l’arrangement conclu par l’Ordre en vertu de l’Entente entre le Québec et la France en matière de reconnaissance mutuelle des qualifications professionnelles (chapter C-26, r. 200.1), on the condition that the person does so under the supervision of a teacher or training supervisor who is available to intervene at short notice.”

**2.** Section 3 is amended by replacing “and 2” by “, 2 and 2.1”.

**3.** The following is inserted after section 3.1:

“**3.2.** A physical therapist may, within the scope of the training provided for in the Règlement sur des activités de formation des physiothérapeutes pour procéder à des manipulations vertébrales et articulaires (chapter C-26, r. 192.1), perform spinal and joint manipulations in the presence of a training instructor or training supervisor,

physical therapist, who holds a certificate allowing the practice of the activity referred to in subparagraph *i* of paragraph 3 of section 37.1 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26) and who has more than 2 years of experience.”.

**4.** 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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## O.C. 511-2015, 10 June 2015

Highway Safety Code  
(chapter C-24.2)

### Health of drivers

Regulation respecting the health of drivers

WHEREAS, under paragraph 2 of section 619 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2), the Government may, by regulation, determine the cases where and establish the criteria according to which conditions may be attached to a licence;

WHEREAS, under paragraph 8 of section 619 of the Code, the Government may, by regulation, establish the health standards which identify the illnesses, deficiencies and conditions affecting a person that are considered as being essentially or relatively inconsistent with the driving of a road vehicle or class or sub-class of road vehicles;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation respecting the health of drivers was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 30 December 2014 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Transport:

THAT the Regulation respecting the health of drivers, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

JUAN ROBERTO IGLESIAS,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

## Regulation respecting the health of drivers

Highway Safety Code  
(chapter C-24.2, s. 619, pars. 2 and 8)

### DIVISION I GENERAL

**1.** In this Regulation, every reference to a licence class is made pursuant to the Regulation respecting licences (chapter C-24.2, r. 34).

**2.** A person who, by reason of a medical condition, must receive treatment to be able to drive, but fails to comply with the instructions or refuses treatment despite the physician's recommendations, places himself or herself in a situation essentially inconsistent with driving a road vehicle.

### DIVISION II ILLNESSES AND DEFICIENCY OF THE EYE

**3.** Distance vision is assessed according to the Snellen chart without corrective lenses, or with corrective lenses if they are required to drive. The field of vision is measured using the Goldmann III/4e technique with scotoma screening, the Esterman technique or a technique recognized as equivalent.

Despite the foregoing, visual acuity may not be assessed with the telescopic part of glasses.

**4.** Visual acuity of less than 6/9 with both eyes open and examined together is essentially inconsistent with driving a road vehicle of Class 1 to Class 4.

**5.** Visual acuity of less than 6/15 with both eyes open and examined together is essentially inconsistent with driving a road vehicle of Class 5, Class 6 or Class 8.

**6.** A field of vision of less than 150 continuous degrees along the horizontal meridian and less than 10 continuous degrees above fixation and less than 20 continuous degrees below fixation, with both eyes open and examined together, is essentially inconsistent with driving a road vehicle of Class 1 to Class 4.

**7.** A field of vision of less than 100 continuous degrees along the vertical meridian and less than 10 continuous degrees above fixation and less than 20 continuous degrees below fixation or less than 30 degrees on each side of the vertical meridian, with both eyes open and examined together, is essentially inconsistent with driving a road vehicle of Class 5, Class 6 or Class 8.