Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 1137-2015, 16 December 2015

Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2)

Environmental impact assessment and review — Modification

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting environmental impact assessment and review

WHEREAS, under subparagraph *a* of the first paragraph of section 31.9 of the Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2), the Government may make regulations on the matters set forth therein;

WHEREAS the Government made the Regulation respecting environmental impact assessment and review (chapter Q-2, r. 23);

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1) and section 124 of the Environment Quality Act, a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting environmental impact assessment and review was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 22 July 2015 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 60 days following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Sustainable Development, the Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting environmental impact assessment and review, attached to this Order in Council. be made.

JUAN ROBERTO IGLESIAS, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting environmental impact assessment and review

Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2, s. 31)

- **1.** The Regulation respecting environmental impact assessment and review (chapter Q-2, r. 23) is amended in the first paragraph of section 2 by replacing subparagraph *j* by the following:
- "(j) the construction of installations for natural gas regasification or liquefaction, except an installation whose total rated capacity of regasification equipment is less than or equal to 4,000 m³ per day of liquefied natural gas;
 - (j.1) the construction:
- —of more than 2 km of oil pipeline in a new right of way, except mains for transporting petroleum products under a municipal street;
- —of more than 2 km of gas pipeline except the gas pipeline installed in an existing right of way used for the same purposes, or the installation of gas mains less than 30 cm in diameter designed for a pressure of less than 4,000 kPa;"
- **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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Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2)

Recover and reclaim residual materials —Compensation for municipal services

—Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials

WHEREAS, under sections 53.31.2 to 53.31.6, 53.31.12, 53.31.12.1 and 53.31.17 of the Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2), the Government may make regulations on the matters set forth therein:

WHEREAS the Government made the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials (chapter Q-2, r. 10);

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 12 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 4 November 2015 with a notice that it could be made on the expiry of 30 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, under section 18 of the Regulations Act, a regulation may come into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* where the authority that has made it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS, under the same section, the reasons justifying the coming into force of a regulation on the date of its publication must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Government, the coming into force of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials is warranted by the urgency due to the following circumstances:

- —the need to follow up on 2 recent studies, one on the composition of municipal recyclable materials sent to sorting centres, and the other on the costs of selective collection per material and per class of materials in Québec;
- —the importance that the compensation regime takes into account, as of 2015, the results of those studies;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Sustainable Development, the Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

JUAN ROBERTO IGLESIAS, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials

Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2, ss. 53.31.3, 53.31.5, 53.31.6 and 53.31.12)

1. The Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials (chapter Q-2, r. 10) is amended in section 7 by adding the following at the end of the second paragraph:

"For the year 2015 and for subsequent years, the amount to be subtracted is equivalent to 6.6% of the result obtained. For the year 2015, that amount is subtracted by the Société québécoise de récupération et de recyclage from the net cost declared by the municipalities pursuant to section 8.6.".

- **2.** The following is inserted after section 8.4:
- **"8.4.1.** For the compensation owed for the year 2015, the "cost" variable referred to in section 8.2 represents the net cost declared by a municipality less an amount equivalent to 6.6% of that cost.

The "kg" and "tonnes" variables referred to in sections 8.2 and 8.4 represent the quantity of materials declared by a municipality less a quantity equivalent to 6.6% of that quantity.".

3. Section 8.6 is amended by adding the following at the end of the second paragraph:

"For the compensation owed for the year 2016 and for subsequent years, the quantity of materials to be subtracted is equivalent to 6.6% of the total quantity of materials recovered."

- Section 8.9.1 is amended
- (1) by replacing "for the year 2013 and for subsequent years" in the part preceding paragraph 1 by "for each of the years 2013 and 2014";
 - (2) by adding the following after paragraph 3:

"For the year 2015 and for subsequent years, the shares applicable are the following:

- (1) 71.9% for containers and packaging;
- (2) 19.4% for printed matter;
- (3) 8.7% for newspapers.".

5. Section 8.10 is amended by adding the following after subparagraph 4 of the third paragraph:

"(5) for the year 2016: at least 50% of the amount due not later than the expiry of the 10th month following the publication of the schedule in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, in accordance with the fourth paragraph of section 53.31.15 of the Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2), and the balance, not later than the 13th month following that publication.

For the year 2015, the applicable conditions of payment for the amount owed are those provided for in the second paragraph.".

- **6.** Section 8.15 is amended by adding the following after subparagraph 4 of the second paragraph:
- "(5) for the year 2015: not later than the expiry of the seventh month following the publication of the schedule in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, in accordance with the fourth paragraph of section 53.31.15 of the Environment Quality Act (chapter Q-2);
- (6) for the year 2016: not later than the expiry of the 13th month following the publication of the schedule in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, in accordance with the fourth paragraph of section 53.31.15 of the Environment Quality Act.".
- **7.** This Regulation comes into force on the day of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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Professional Code (chapter C-26)

Podiatry

—Practice of podiatry within a partnership or a joint-stock company

Regulation respecting the practice of podiatry within a partnership or a joint-stock company

WHEREAS, under paragraph p of section 94 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26), the board of directors of a professional order may, by regulation, authorize the members of the order to carry on their professional activities within a limited liability partnership or a joint-stock company constituted for that purpose and, as appropriate, determine the applicable terms and conditions and restrictions;

WHEREAS, under paragraphs g and h of section 93 of the Code, the board of directors of a professional order must, by regulation, impose on its members who carry on their professional activities within a partnership or a joint-stock company the obligation to furnish and maintain coverage, on behalf of the partnership or company, against liabilities of the partnership or company arising from fault in the practice of their profession, and fix the conditions and procedure applicable to a declaration to the order;

WHEREAS the board of directors of the Ordre des podiatres du Québec made, on 29 November 2014, the Regulation respecting the practice of podiatry within a partnership or a joint-stock company;

WHEREAS, under section 95.3 of the Code, a draft of the Regulation was sent to every member of the Order at least 30 days before being made by the board of directors;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 95 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 a professional 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, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 95.2 of the Code, a regulation made by the board of directors of a professional order under paragraph g or h of section 93 must be transmitted for examination to the Office, which may approve it with or without amendment;

WHEREAS the first regulation made by the board of directors of a professional order under paragraph p of section 94 of the Code is subject to the approval of the Government;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation respecting the practice of the profession of occupational therapist within a partnership or a joint-stock company was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 11 March 2015 with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS the Office, on 8 July 2015, pursuant to the first paragraph of section 95.2 of the Code, has approved the Regulation, except section 1, paragraphs 3, 4, 5 and 6 of section 2 and sections 5 to 8 and 11 to 13, which are subject to the approval of the Government;