

Coming into force of Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 1084-2018, 7 August 2018

An Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions (2018, chapter 19)

—Coming into force of certain provisions of the Act

Coming into force of certain provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions

WHEREAS the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions (2018, chapter 19) was assented to on 12 June 2018;

WHEREAS section 75 of the Act provides that the provisions of the Act come into force on the date or dates to be set by the Government, except

(1) section 6, except to the extent that it enacts section 23.2 of the Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec (chapter S-13), and sections 8 to 18, 22, 66 and 67, which come into force on 12 June 2018;

(2) section 19, to the extent that it enacts Chapters XI and XIV of the Cannabis Regulation Act (2018, chapter 19, section 19), which comes into force on 12 June 2018; and

(3) sections 27, 28 and 29, which come into force on the date of coming into force of sections 13, 15 and 18 of the Act to amend the Highway Safety Code and other provisions (2018, chapter 7), respectively;

WHEREAS it is expedient to set 7 August 2018 as the date of coming into force of the following provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions:

(1) sections 1 to 5, section 6, to the extent that it enacts section 23.2 of the Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec (chapter S-13), except subparagraphs 2 and 3 of the first paragraph of that section, section 7 and section 19, to the extent that it enacts sections 23 to 26, 44 to 47, 49, 56, 67 to 82, 112 and 113 of the Cannabis Regulation Act (2018, chapter 19, section 19);

(2) section 23, section 43, to the extent that it enacts section 202.3.1 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2), sections 58, 59 and 65, to the extent that they enact the Government's power to provide exceptions by regulation, and section 61;

WHEREAS it is expedient to set 17 October 2018 as the date of coming into force of the following provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions:

(1) section 6, to the extent that it enacts subparagraphs 2 and 3 of the first paragraph of section 23.2 of the Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec and section 19, except to the extent that it enacts sections 22 to 26, 44 to 47, 49, 56, 58 to 60, 63 to 82, 112 and 113 of the Cannabis Regulation Act;

(2) sections 63 and 64 and section 74 with regard to the adjustments related to the Cannabis Act (Statutes of Canada, 2018, chapter 16);

WHEREAS it is expedient to set 18 December 2018 as the date of coming into force of other provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions, that is, sections 20, 21, 24 to 26, 30, 32, 33, 35 to 41 and 44, section 45, except to the extent that it enacts subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph of section 202.4.1 of the Highway Safety Code, sections 46 to 49, section 50, except paragraph 1, sections 51, 54 to 57, 60, 62, 68 to 73 and section 74 of the Act with regard to the adjustments related to the Act to amend the Criminal Code (offences relating to conveyance) and to make consequential amendments to other Acts (Statutes of Canada, 2018, chapter 21);

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Health and Social Services, the Minister for Rehabilitation, Youth Protection, Public Health and Healthy Living, the Minister of Finance and the Minister of Transport, Sustainable Mobility and Transport Electrification:

THAT 7 August 2018 be set as the date of coming into force of the following provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions (2018, chapter 19):

(1) sections 1 to 5, section 6, to the extent that it enacts section 23.2 of the Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec (chapter S-13), except subparagraphs 2 and 3 of the first paragraph of that section, section 7 and section 19, to the extent that it enacts sections 23 to 26, 44 to 47, 49, 56, 67 to 82, 112 and 113 of the Cannabis Regulation Act (2018, chapter 19, section 19);

(2) section 23, section 43, to the extent that it enacts section 202.3.1 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2), sections 58, 59 and 65, to the extent that they enact the Government's power to provide exceptions by regulation, and section 61;

THAT 17 October 2018 be set as the date of coming into force of the following provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions:

(1) section 6, to the extent that it enacts subparagraphs 2 and 3 of the first paragraph of section 23.2 of the Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec and section 19, except to the extent that it enacts sections 22 to 26, 44 to 47, 49, 56, 58 to 60, 63 to 82, 112 and 113 of the Cannabis Regulation Act;

(2) sections 63 and 64 and section 74 with regard to the adjustments related to the Cannabis Act (Statutes of Canada, 2018, chapter 16);

THAT 18 December 2018 be set as the date of coming into force of other provisions of the Act to constitute the Société québécoise du cannabis, to enact the Cannabis Regulation Act and to amend various highway safety-related provisions, that is, sections 20, 21, 24 to 26, 30, 32, 33, 35 to 41 and 44, section 45, except to the extent that it enacts subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph of section 202.4.1 of the Highway Safety Code, sections 46 to 49, section 50, except paragraph 1, sections 51, 54 to 57, 60, 62, 68 to 73 and section 74 of the Act with regard to the adjustments related to the Act to amend the Criminal Code (offences relating to conveyance) and to make consequential amendments to other Acts (Statutes of Canada, 2018, chapter 21).

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