

activities that may be engaged in by an athletic therapist was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 17 January 2018 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 examined the Regulation on 21 June 2018 and submitted 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 that may be engaged in by an athletic therapist, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

ANDRÉ FORTIER,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain professional activities that may be engaged in by an athletic therapist

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

1. The Regulation respecting certain professional activities that may be engaged in by an athletic therapist (chapter M-9, r. 11.1) is amended in section 2 by replacing subparagraph *a* of paragraph 2 by the following:

“(a) holds one of the following diplomas:

i. a Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) issued upon completion of the Bachelor of Science Specialization in Exercise Science – Athletic Therapy Option from Concordia University;

ii. the Diplôme d’études supérieures spécialisées (D.E.S.S.) issued upon completion of the Programme de diplôme d’études supérieures spécialisées en thérapie du sport from the Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières;”

2. Section 5 is amended by replacing “the diploma referred to” by “one of the diplomas referred to”.

3. Section 6 is amended by replacing “2020” by “2023”.

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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Gouvernement du Québec

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Chartered Professional Accountants Act
(chapter C-48.1)

Public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec

WHEREAS, under subparagraph 2 of the second paragraph of section 5 of the Chartered Professional Accountants Act (chapter C-48.1), the board of directors of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec must, in a regulation, set in particular the terms and conditions for the issue of a public accountancy permit to give effect to an agreement entered into by the Order under an agreement for mutual recognition of professional competence entered into between the Government and another government;

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 6 of the Act, the board of directors of the order must determine, in a regulation, the terms and conditions for holding a public accountancy permit;

WHEREAS the board of directors of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec made the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec on 23 February 2018;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 95 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26) 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, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 11 April 2018 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 examined the Regulation on 21 June 2018 and then 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 the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

ANDRÉ FORTIER,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec

Chartered Professional Accountants Act
(chapter C-48.1, s. 5, 2nd par., subpar. 2, and s. 6, 1st par.)

1. The Regulation respecting the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec (chapter C-48.1, r. 26.1) is amended by inserting the following after section 24:

“DIVISION VI.1 PROVISIONS GIVING EFFECT TO THE ARRANGEMENT ENTERED INTO BY THE ORDER UNDER THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN QUÉBEC AND FRANCE REGARDING MUTUAL RECOGNITION OF PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

24.1. To obtain a public accountancy permit, the applicant shall meet the following conditions:

(1) has obtained, in the 5 years preceding the application, a chartered professional accountant’s permit under the Règlement sur la délivrance d’un permis de l’Ordre

des comptables professionnels agréés 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 (*insert the reference*);

(2) has accumulated, in the last 5 years, during the applicant’s training period and professional experience in France, at least 1,250 hours in assurance, including at least 625 hours in audit or, where applicable, has accumulated the missing hours in Québec by an adaptation period with a chartered professional accountant training employer who holds a public accountancy permit recognized by the Order;

(3) has successfully completed training offered by the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec or by an entity accredited by the Order for at least 14 hours on accounting standards for private enterprises;

(4) has successfully completed training offered by the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec or by an entity accredited by the Order for at least 14 hours on Canadian auditing standards.

24.2. The applicant shall fill out and submit to the Order the form provided by the Order and attach to it

(1) a certificate of compliance of the Ordre des experts-comptables de France, completed by the applicant and the Ordre des experts-comptables de France on the form provided by the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec, which specifies the number and description of training hours or professional experience in assurance and audit that the applicant completed in France;

(2) if applicable, a form of professional experience certification provided by the Order that the applicant has filled out by the applicant’s former employers, which specifies the number and description of hours of professional experience in assurance and audit completed in Québec;

(3) the certifications indicating that the applicant has successfully completed the training periods required under paragraphs 3 and 4 of section 24.1; and

(4) the payment of the fees for file examination and for opening a file, required under paragraph 8 of section 86.0.1 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26).

The Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec acknowledges receipt of the permit application within 30 days following the date of receipt and, where applicable, informs the applicant of any missing document. The applicant has 3 years following his application

to send the certifications provided for in subparagraph 3 of the first paragraph and, where applicable, the certification form provided for in subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph.

24.3. The Order's committee, formed for that purpose, decides if the applicant meets the conditions provided for in section 24.1 within 60 days following the date on which the committee receives each of the documents required under section 24.2.

Where the committee refuses to recognize that one of the conditions is fulfilled, it shall, on the same occasion, inform the applicant in writing of the programs of study, courses, training periods and examinations which, if successfully completed, within the allotted time, would enable the applicant to obtain the public accountancy permit. The committee shall also advise the applicant of the right to apply for review of the decision in accordance with section 24.4.

24.4. The applicant who is informed of the committee's decision to refuse to recognize that one of the conditions provided for in section 24.1 is fulfilled may apply for review to the Order's executive committee. The applicant shall apply thereto in writing with the Order within 30 days of the date of receipt of that decision and pay the fees payable.

The executive committee has 75 days from the date it receives the application for review to render its decision. The secretary informs the applicant of the date of the sitting at which the application will be reviewed at least 15 days before that date. The committee informs the applicant that it may send written representations at any time before the date scheduled for the sitting.

The decision of the executive committee is final and shall be communicated to the applicant within 15 days of the date on which the decision was made."

2. The permit obtained by an applicant in the 5 years preceding the application, pursuant to the Règlement sur la délivrance du permis de l'Ordre des comptables généraux accrédités 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-48.1, r. 14) may replace the permit referred to in paragraph 1 of section 24.1 of the Regulation respecting the public accountancy permit of the Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec (chapter C-48.1, r. 26.1).

3. This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 1166-2018, 15 August 2018

Professional Code
(chapter C-26)

Specialist's certificates of professional orders —Diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders —Amendment

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

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 184 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26), after obtaining the advice of the Office des professions du Québec in accordance with subparagraph 7 of the fourth paragraph of section 12 of the Code, and of the order concerned, the Government may, by regulation, determine the diplomas issued by the educational institutions it indicates which give access to a permit or specialist's certificate;

WHEREAS, in accordance with subparagraph 7 of the fourth paragraph of section 12 of the Professional Code, the Office advised the Government, after consultation, in particular, with the educational institutions and the order concerned, the Bureau de coopération interuniversitaire, the Fédération des cégeps and the Minister responsible for Higher Education;

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 the diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 28 March 2018 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS the Government obtained the advice of the Office and of the Ordre des infirmières et infirmiers du Québec;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation without amendment;

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