Draft Regulations

Draft Regulation

Professional Code (chapter C-26)

Specialized nurse practitioners, medical imaging technologists

—Diplomas which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders

_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 diplomas issued by designated educational institutions which give access to permits or specialist's certificates of professional orders, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation amends the second paragraph of section 1.17 and section 2.05 of 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), which sections concern diplomas that respectively give access to specialist's certificates issued by the Ordre des infirmières et infirmiers du Québec and to permits issued by the Ordre des technologues en imagerie médicale, en radio-oncologie et en électrophysiologie médicale du Québec.

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

The draft Regulation will be submitted to the Office des professions du Québec and to the Ordre des infirmières et infirmiers du Québec and the Ordre des technologues en imagerie médicale, en radio-oncologie et en électrophysiologie médicale du Québec for their opinion. The Office will seek the opinion of the respective orders and forward it with its own opinion to the Minister of Justice after consultations with the educational institutions, departments and bodies concerned.

Further information on the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Nicolas Dumont, Direction de la veille et des orientations, Office des professions du Québec, 800, place D'Youville, 10° étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3; telephone: 418 643-6912, extension 367, or 1 800 643-6912, extension 367; email: nicolas.dumont@opq.gouv.qc.ca.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the Acting Secretary of the Office des professions du Québec, Roxanne Guévin, 800, place D'Youville, 10° étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3, email: secretariat@opq.gouv.qc.ca. The comments will be forwarded by the Office to the Minister of Justice and may also be sent to the orders and to interested departments and bodies.

Sonia LeBel, 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 by inserting the following after "neonatology:" in subparagraph 1 of the second paragraph of section 1.17:
- "(a) Diplôme d'études supérieures spécialisées (D.E.S.S.) en sciences infirmières (infirmière praticienne spécialisée en néonatalogie) held with the Maîtrise en sciences infirmières (M.Sc.) (infirmière praticienne spécialisée en néonatalogie), awarded by the Université du Québec, obtained upon completion of a program offered by the Université du Québec en Outaouais;

(b)"

- **2.** Section 2.05 is amended by inserting the following after subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph:
- "(2.1) medical imaging technologist's permit in the field of medical sonography: diploma of college studies obtained following studies in medical sonography technology completed at Ahuntsic, Rimouski or Sainte-Foy general and vocational college;".
- **3.** This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette* officielle du Ouébec.

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