2.2.5.2. Sending

- (1) The fees payable under Sentence 2.2.5.1.(1) shall be included with the declaration of work required under Article 2.2.4.1.
- (2) The fees payable under Sentences 2.2.5.1.(2) and (3) shall be paid not later than 30 days after the billing date.";
 - (4) by replacing Subsection 2.3.1. by the following:

"2.3.1. Approval of Alternative Solutions 2.3.1.1. Conditions for Approval

(1) The proposed alternative solutions shall be approved by the Board on the conditions it sets pursuant to section 127 of the Building Act (chapter B-1.1).".

DIVISION III

OFFENCE

- **3.07.** Every contravention against a provision of this Chapter, except Subsection 2.2.5 of Division C of the Code, introduced by paragraph 3 of section 3.06. constitutes an offence.".
- 2. This Regulation comes into force on 27 March 2021.

However, the former provisions of Chapter III, Plumbing, of the Construction Code (chapter B-1.1, r. 2), as they read on 26 March 2021, may apply to construction work on a plumbing system that begins before 27 September 2021.

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Travel Agents Act (chapter A-10)

Certain temporary measures for the payment of the duties payable for a travel agent licence, a travel counsellor certificate and a travel agency manager certificate

Regulation respecting certain temporary measures for the payment of the duties payable for a travel agent licence, a travel counsellor certificate and a travel agency manager certificate

WHEREAS, under subparagraph *b* of the first paragraph of section 36 of the Travel Agents Act (chapter A-10), the Government may make regulations to prescribe the terms

and conditions of issue, maintenance, suspension, transfer or cancellation of a licence, the qualifications required of a person applying for a licence, the conditions to be met and the duties to be paid by that person, and the duties payable for the transfer of a licence or the amalgamation of two travel agents;

WHEREAS, under subparagraph b.1 of the first paragraph of section 36 of the Act, the Government may make regulations to prescribe the terms and conditions of issue, renewal, suspension or cancellation of a travel counsellor certificate, and the qualifications required of a person applying for a certificate, as well as the conditions to be met and the duties to be paid by that person;

WHEREAS, under subparagraph b.2 of the first paragraph of section 36 of the Act, the Government may make regulations to prescribe the terms and conditions of issue, renewal, suspension or cancellation of a travel

agency manager certificate, the qualifications required of a person applying for a certificate, and the conditions to be met and the duties to be paid by that person;

WHEREAS, under paragraph 1 of section 12 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a proposed regulation may be made without having been published in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* as set out in section 8 of that Act if the authority making it is of the opinion that the urgency of the situation requires it;

WHEREAS, under section 13 of that Act, the reason justifying the absence of such publication must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS the Government is of the opinion that the urgency due to the following circumstances justifies the absence of such publication of the Regulation respecting certain temporary measures for the payment of the duties payable for a travel agent licence, a travel counsellor certificate and a travel agency manager certificate:

- —in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic, the financial situation of travel agents, travel counsellors and travel agency managers has been significantly affected;
- —it is therefore necessary to implement temporary measures to exempt a person from the payment of duties payable for a travel agent licence, a travel counsellor certificate and a travel agency manager certificate, to lighten the financial burden of travel agents, travel counsellors and travel agency managers;
- —the benefits from the temporary measures will be greater for holders of a travel agent licence if the rules are implemented rapidly, given the rules determining the duties payable for the renewal of that type of licence;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation;

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

THAT the Regulation respecting certain temporary measures for the payment of the duties payable for a travel agent licence, a travel counsellor certificate and a travel agency manager certificate, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation respecting certain temporary measures for the payment of the duties payable for a travel agent licence, a travel counsellor certificate and a travel agency manager certificate

Travel Agents Act (chapter A-10, s. 36, 1st par., subpars. b, b.1 and b.2)

1. Despite subparagraphs a, b and d of the first paragraph and the third paragraph of section 4, the second and fourth paragraphs of section 5, the third paragraph of section 6, paragraph b of section 7 and section 8.2 of the Regulation respecting travel agents (chapter A-10, r. 1), a person applying for the issue of a travel agent licence or the renewal of such licence to the extent that the anniversary date of the licence is between 1 March 2021 and 28 February 2022 inclusively is exempt from the payment of the duties provided for in section 4 of that Regulation.

Despite the foregoing, where the person requests priority processing, the person must pay 50% of the duties provided for, as the case may be, in subparagraph *a*, *b* or *d* of the first paragraph of section 4 of that Regulation. This paragraph applies despite section 4.01 of that Regulation.

Where the person applies for the renewal of a travel agent licence or a duplicate of the licence less than 2 months before the anniversary date of the licence, the person must pay 50% of the duties provided for in section 4 of that Regulation. The same applies where the application, although submitted within the prescribed period, is deemed incomplete. This paragraph applies despite the second paragraph of section 9 of that Regulation.

2. Despite subparagraph e of the first paragraph of section 4 of that Regulation, a person applying for the transfer of a travel agent licence to another person is exempt from the payment of the duties provided for in that subparagraph.

Despite the foregoing, where the person requests priority processing for the transfer application, the person must pay 50% of the duties provided for in that subparagraph. This paragraph applies despite section 4.01 of that Regulation.

- **3.** Despite the second paragraph of section 8.4 of that Regulation, a person applying for a change of travel agent licence holder is exempt from the payment of the duties provided for in section 4 of that Regulation.
- **4.** Despite subparagraph e of the first paragraph and the third paragraph of section 11.2 and sections 11.5, 11.11 and 11.12 of that Regulation, a person applying for the

issue of a travel counsellor certificate or a travel agency manager certificate or for the renewal of either certificates to the extent that the anniversary date of the certificate is between 1 March 2021 and 28 February 2022 inclusively is exempt from the payment of the duties provided for in section 11.5 of that Regulation.

- **5.** Despite the first paragraph of section 1 of this Regulation, a travel agent who was exempt from the payment of the duties provided for in section 4 of the Regulation respecting travel agents (chapter A-10, r. 1) when the licence was issued may not be exempt from the payment of the duties when the licence is renewed.
- **6.** This Regulation comes into force on 1 March 2021 and has effect until 28 February 2022.

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Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2)

Flashing Green Light

WHEREAS, under subparagraph 5.2 of the first paragraph of section 621 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2), the Government may by regulation determine the conditions under which the authorization referred to in the first paragraph of section 226.2 of the Code may be obtained and the technical standards the light must meet and the method for its installation;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Flashing Green Light Regulation was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 26 August 2020 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 without amendment;

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

THAT the Flashing Green Light Regulation, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Flashing Green Light Regulation

Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2, s. 621, 1st par., subpar. 5.2)

DIVISION I

OBTENTION, RENEWAL AND REVOCATION OF THE AUTHORIZATION TO USE A FLASHING GREEN LIGHT

- **1.** The Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec authorizes a fire fighter who applies to the Société to use a flashing green light on a road vehicle other than an emergency vehicle when responding to an emergency call from a fire safety service, where
- (1) the municipal authority that has established the fire safety service of which the firefighter is a member has adopted a resolution providing for the use of the flashing green light by firefighters of that service;
- (2) the firefighter has completed the training at the École nationale des pompiers du Québec on the rules for the use of a flashing green light;
- (3) the firefighter has not been the subject, in the 2 years preceding the application, of a sanction under section 180, 185 or 191.2 of the Highway Safety Code (chapter C-24.2);
- (4) the firefighter has obtained, in the 3 months preceding the application, a favourable written recommendation from the municipal authority that has established the fire safety service of which the firefighter is a member, which recommendation is granted if the assessment of the firefighter's employment record shows that the firefighter complies with the protocols and guidelines of the fire safety service; and
- (5) the firefighter has paid the fees exigible for the issue of a certificate of authorization to use a flashing green light provided for in a regulation of the Société made under subparagraph 8.2 of the first paragraph of section 624 of the Highway Safety Code.

For the purposes of this Division:

- (1) the municipal authority means the local authority, the regional authority or the intermunicipal board that has established the fire safety service within the meaning of the Fire Safety Act (chapter S-3.4);
- (2) the favourable written recommendation means any of the following documents: