Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 111-2021, 10 February 2021

Education Act (chapter I-13.3)

Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year — Amendement

Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 447 of the Education Act (chapter I-13.3), the Government may make regulations to be known as the "basic school regulation";

WHEREAS the Government made the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education (chapter I-13.3, r. 8);

WHEREAS, for the purposes of the 2020-2021 school year, the Government made, by Order in Council 1028-2020 dated 7 October 2020, the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year;

WHEREAS the amended basic school regulation was amended by Orders in Council 1128-2020 dated 28 October 2020, 1251-2020 dated 25 November 2020 and 39-2021 dated 20 January 2021;

WHEREAS, under subparagraph 4 of the third paragraph of section 447 of the Act, the basic school regulation may establish rules on the evaluation of learning achievement and the certification of studies;

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 458 of the Act, a draft regulation was submitted to the Conseil supérieur de l'éducation for examination;

WHEREAS, by Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020, the Government declared a public health emergency and took certain measures to protect the health of the population; WHEREAS, under section 12 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a proposed regulation may be made without having been published 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, under section 18 of that 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, and the reason justifying such coming into force must be published with the regulation;

WHEREAS the Government is of the opinion that the urgency owing to the following circumstances warrants the absence of prior publication and such coming into force of the Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year:

— students must know immediately the value given to their achievement in the first term the report card for which must be sent to parents not later than 5 February and consequently know the value given to their achievement for the second term;

—teachers must also know immediately the value of the achievement given for each of the two terms in order to adapt their educational planning accordingly;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year

Education Act (chapter I-13.3, s. 447)

I. The Amended Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education for the 2020-2021 school year, made by Order in Council 1028-2020 dated 7 October 2020 and amended by Orders in Council 1128-2020 dated 28 October 2020, 1251-2020 dated 25 November 2020 and 39-2021 dated 20 January 2021, is amended in section 2 by replacing "50% for each of the two terms" in the second paragraph of section 30.2 of the Basic school regulation for preschool, elementary and secondary education (chapter I-13.3, r. 8) as it reads for the 2020-2021 school year by "35% for the first term and 65% for the second term".

2. This Regulation comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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