Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 206-2021, 10 March 2021

Striking off of the Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec and Investissement Québec from Schedule C to the Act respecting the process of negotiation of the collective agreements in the public and parapublic sectors

WHEREAS Chapter IV of the Act respecting the process of negotiation of the collective agreements in the public and parapublic sectors (chapter R-8.2) provides for the process of negotiation and making of the collective agreements of the government agencies appearing in Schedule C to the Act;

WHEREAS that process applies to the Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec and to Investissement Québec;

WHEREAS section 76 of the Act provides, in particular, that the Government may strike off from Schedule C any agency appearing in it, add to it any agency it has struck off or any other agency;

WHEREAS it is expedient to exclude the Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec and Investissement Québec from the application of the Act;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Solidarity and the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor:

THAT Schedule C to the Act respecting the process of negotiation of the collective agreements in the public and parapublic sectors (chapter R-8.2) be amended by striking off "The Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec" and "Investissement Québec".

YVES OUELLET, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 282-2021, 17 March 2021

Immigration Act (chapter I-0.2.1)

Québec immigration —Amendment

Regulation to amend the Québec Immigration Regulation

WHEREAS, under section 9 of the Québec Immigration Act (chapter I-0.2.1), for each class of foreign nationals, the Government may, by regulation, determine immigration programs and, for each program, the selection conditions and any selection criteria applicable to foreign nationals;

WHEREAS, under section 26 of the Act, the Government may, by regulation, determine that achieving a score obtained by applying a selection grid is one of the selection conditions referred to in section 9 and such a grid may include selection factors and criteria such as training, work experience and knowledge of French;

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 30 of the Act, the conditions applicable to a person who or a partnership that participates in the management of an investment or of a deposit of a sum of money by a person who files an application in the economic class are determined by government regulation;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 30 of the Act, the Government also determines, by regulation, conditions relating to the investment, deposit, management and disposition of the sums invested or deposited, including their reimbursement and confiscation;

WHEREAS, under section 104 of the Act, a regulation made in particular under sections 26 and 30 and, in the case of provisions relating to a permanent immigration program, section 9 of the Act, is not subject to the publication requirement set out in section 8 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1) and, despite section 17 of that Act, comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* or any later date set in the regulation;

WHEREAS, despite section 104 of the Québec Immigration Act, a draft Regulation to amend the Québec Immigration Regulation was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 9 December 2020 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS section 106 of the Act provides that a regulation made under the Act may apply to an application according to the date on which it was filed or to the application examination stage and may apply to an expression of interest according to the date on which it was submitted;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation to amend the Québec Immigration Regulation;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Immigration, Francization and Integration:

THAT the Regulation to amend the Québec Immigration Regulation, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend the Québec Immigration Regulation

Québec Immigration Act (chapter I-0.2.1, ss. 9, 26, 30 and 106)

- **1.** The Québec Immigration Regulation (chapter I-0.2.1, r. 3) is amended in section 51 by striking out paragraph 4.
- **2.** Section 53 is revoked.
- **3.** Section 54 is amended by striking out paragraph 1.
- **4.** Sections 55 to 57 are revoked.
- **5.** Schedule A is amended by striking out criterion 11.2 of Factor 11.
- **6.** The amendments provided for in sections 1 to 5 of this Regulation apply to an application for selection for permanent immigration filed under the entrepreneur program before 1 November 2020 for which no decision had been rendered on that date.
- **7.** In the case of a foreign national who has been selected under section 51 of the Québec Immigration Regulation before 1 November 2020, the financial insti-

tution gives to the entrepreneur access to the amount withheld under paragraph 4 of section 53 of the Regulation, as it read before that date.

8. This Regulation comes into force on 31 March 2021.

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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 287-2021, 17 March 2021

An Act respecting occupational health and safety (chapter S-2.1)

Occupational health and safety

—Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting occupational health and safety

WHEREAS, under subparagraphs 7 and 42 of the first paragraph of section 223 of the Act respecting occupational health and safety (chapter S-2.1), the Commission des normes, de l'équité, de la santé et de la sécurité du travail may make regulations

—prescribing measures for the supervision of the quality of the work environment and standards applicable to every establishment or construction site in view of ensuring the health, safety and physical well-being of workers, particularly with regard to work organization, lighting, heating, sanitary installations, quality of food, noise, ventilation, variations in temperature, quality of air, access to the establishment, means of transportation used by workers, eating rooms and cleanliness of a workplace, and determining the hygienic and safety standards to be complied with by the employer where the employer makes premises available to workers for lodging, meal service or leisure activities:

—generally prescribing any other measure to facilitate the application of the Act;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting occupational health and safety was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 5 August 2020 with a notice that it could be made by the Commission and submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;