

Gouvernement du Québec

**O.C. 1363-2021, 27 October 2021**

Education Act  
(chapter I-13.3)

**Student transportation  
— Amendment**

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting student transportation

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 453 of the Education Act (chapter I-13.3), the Government may regulate student transportation to determine the stages of the process for awarding contracts for the transportation of students, to provide, for each stage, restrictions and conditions for awarding contracts, to limit the carriers with whom a school service centre may make agreements, to prescribe the minimum stipulations required to be included in a contract and establish standards in respect of its duration, and set standards for the cost that may be claimed for the service;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting student transportation was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 24 April 2021 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 with amendment;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting student transportation, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

**Regulation to amend the Regulation  
respecting student transportation**

Education Act  
(chapter I-13.3, s. 453)

**1.** The Regulation respecting student transportation (chapter I-13.3, r. 12) is amended in the first paragraph of section 31

(1) by inserting “model” before “year in subparagraph 2;

(2) by inserting the following after subparagraph 3:

“(3.1) is authorized, notwithstanding subparagraphs 2 and 3, to use, up to the end of the current school year, buses or minibuses 14 years old where

(a) the carrier provides the service centre or the educational institution with the certificate provided for in subparagraph 3;

(b) the carrier shows to the school service centre or the educational institution that he bought, in order to replace each of those buses or minibuses, a fully electric bus or minibus to be delivered before the next school year or that the delivery of the bus or minibus purchased as replacement depends on the seller receiving a fully electric bus or minibus to be delivered before the next school year;”.

**2.** Subparagraph 3.1 of the first paragraph of section 31 of the Regulation, as inserted by paragraph 2 of section 1 of this Regulation, ceases to have effect on 31 October 2023.

**3.** 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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