

Gouvernement du Québec

## O.C. 1783-2022, 7 December 2022

Act respecting financial assistance for education expenses  
(chapter A-13.3)

### Financial assistance for education expenses — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses

WHEREAS, under subparagraphs 1, 2, 3.2 and 24 of the first paragraph of section 57 of the Act respecting financial assistance for education expenses (chapter A-13.3), the Government may, by regulation, on the recommendation of the Minister of Higher Education and after consultation with the Minister of Education for matters related to a level of education under the latter's jurisdiction, and for each financial assistance program, unless otherwise indicated,

— for the purpose of computing the amount of financial assistance which may be paid under a loans and bursaries program, determine the conditions and rules for establishing the contribution of the student and that of the student's parents, sponsor or spouse;

— for the purpose of establishing the contributions mentioned in subparagraph 1 of the section, define the student's income and the income of the student's parents, sponsor or spouse, determine the conditions of reduction and exemption which are applicable and prescribe the methods of computing these elements;

— determine, for the loans program, the amount of annual financial resources that may not be exceeded by a person in order to be eligible for a loan, and determine in which cases and on what conditions the amount is increased or reduced;

— determine in which cases and subject to what conditions advance financial assistance may be granted in the form of a loan;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 57 of the Act, the provisions of the regulations made under subparagraphs 1, 2, 7, 7.2 and 21 may vary according to

— the situation of the student prior to the period covered by the application for financial assistance, as well as the situation of the student or the student's spouse, parents or sponsor during that period;

— the number of months during which the student is pursuing studies or is employed, the studies pursued and the place of residence of the student and, where applicable,

that of the student's parents or sponsor, and depending on whether the student suffers from a major functional deficiency;

WHEREAS the Government made the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses (chapter A-13.3, r. 1);

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 22 June 2022 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, in accordance with the first paragraph of section 57 of the Act respecting financial assistance for education expenses, the Minister of Education was consulted on the draft Regulation;

WHEREAS, in accordance with the first paragraph of section 90 of the Act respecting the Ministère de l'Enseignement supérieur, de la Recherche, de la Science et de la Technologie (chapter M-15.1.0.1), the draft Regulation was submitted to the Comité consultatif sur l'accessibilité financière aux études for its advice;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendments;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

YVES OUELLET  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

### Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses

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(chapter A-13.3, r. 1)

1. Section 82 of the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses (chapter A-13.3, r. 1) as amended by section 20 of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses, made by Order in Council 1398-2022 dated 6 July 2022, is further amended by replacing "\$62,250" in the second paragraph by "\$75,000".

**2.** Section 96 is amended by inserting “, a basic income” after “last resort financial assistance” in the second paragraph.

**3.** Schedule II as amended by section 24 of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting financial assistance for education expenses, made by Order in Council 1398-2022 dated 6 July 2022, is further amended by replacing “\$4,200” wherever it appears in paragraph 6 by “\$6,000”.

**4.** Schedule III is replaced by the following:

**SCHEDULE III**  
(Section 12)

CONTRIBUTION OF THE PARENTS, SPONSOR OR SPOUSE

<b>Contribution of parents living together</b>	
\$0 to \$75,000	\$0
\$75,001 to \$102,000	\$0 on the first \$75,000 and 19% on the remainder
\$102,001 to \$112,000	\$5,130 on the first \$102,000 and 29% on the remainder
\$112,001 to \$125,000	\$8,030 on the first \$112,000 and 39% on the remainder
\$125,001 and +	\$13,100 on the first \$125,000 and 49% on the remainder
<b>Contribution of parent without a spouse or of sponsor</b>	
\$0 to \$65,000	\$0
\$65,001 to \$92,000	\$0 on the first \$65,000 and 19% on the remainder
\$92,001 to \$102,000	\$5,130 on the first \$92,000 and 29% on the remainder
\$102,001 to \$115,000	\$8,030 on the first \$102,000 and 39% on the remainder
\$115,001 and +	\$13,100 on the first \$115,000 and 49% on the remainder
<b>Contribution of spouse</b>	
\$0 to \$63,000	\$0
\$63,001 to \$90,000	\$0 on the first \$63,000 and 19% on the remainder
\$90,001 to \$100,000	\$5,130 on the first \$90,000 and 29% on the remainder
\$100,001 to \$113,000	\$8,030 on the first \$100,000 and 39% on the remainder
\$113,001 and +	\$13,100 on the first \$113,000 and 49% on the remainder

**5.** The Regulation applies as of the 2022-2023 year of allocation.

**6.** The Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*, except section 2, which comes into force on 1 January 2023.

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