

## Regulations and other Acts

Gouvernement du Québec

### O.C. 1144-2023, 5 July 2023

CONCERNING the funding of the École nationale de police du Québec for the 2023-2024 fiscal year

WHEREAS pursuant to the first and second paragraphs of section 43 of the Police Act (c. P-13.1) every municipality to which a police force is attached shall pay to the École nationale de police du Québec an annual contribution based on a percentage of the total payroll of the police personnel of the police force, the government pays the ENPQ a contribution based on the total payroll of Sûreté du Québec police personnel and the percentage applicable, which cannot exceed 1%, and the disbursement procedures are established by the government on the recommendation of the ENPQ;

WHEREAS the École nationale de police du Québec has made its recommendations;

WHEREAS it is appropriate to establish the percentage of the total payroll of the police personnel of the police forces on which is based the annual contribution of the municipalities to which a police force is attached and the government for the police personnel of the Sûreté du Québec to the École nationale de police du Québec for the period 1 April 2023, to 31 March 2024, and the disbursement procedures;

WHEREAS pursuant to paragraph *a* of section 3 of the Regulation respecting the promise and awarding of grants (c. A-6.01, r. 6) any award or any promise of grant must be submitted for the prior approval of the Government, on the proposal of the Conseil du trésor, where the amount of such award or promise is equal to or greater than \$1,000,000;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Public Security:

THAT the annual contribution to the École nationale de police du Québec of the municipalities to which a police force is attached and the government for the police personnel of the Sûreté du Québec for the period 1 April 2023, to 31 March 2024, be based on a percentage of 1% applied to the 2021 total payroll of police personnel, as defined in the schedule to the Act to promote workforce skills development and recognition (c. D-8.3);

THAT the Minister of Public Security be authorized to pay the ENPQ the annual contribution of the government for the period from 1 April 2023 to 31 March 2024;

THAT the following disbursement procedures respecting the annual contribution for the period 1 April 2023, to 31 March 2024, apply:

— the École nationale de police du Québec must send to each police force an invoice describing the calculation methods and disbursement procedures;

— the Minister of Public Security must pay the ENPQ the government's annual contribution within 30 days of receipt of the ENPQ's invoice;

— the local municipalities, intermunicipal management boards, and regional county municipalities to which a police force is attached must pay the ENPQ 50% of their annual contribution within 30 days of receipt of the ENPQ's invoice and pay the remaining 50% not later than 1 February 2024;

— when a police force is abolished, the ENPQ must grant a credit to the abolished police force on a pro rata basis for the period covered and submit an invoice for the same amount to the replacement police force;

— when a police force is newly established, an annual contribution is payable to the ENPQ according to the total payroll anticipated for the first year of operation. This contribution is calculated on a pro rata basis for the period covered and will be adjusted when the actual total payroll is known;

— the ENPQ can demand interest on payments received after the aforementioned deadlines or after the 45th day following the date of the ENPQ's invoice, whichever is later. The annual interest rate applicable is the interest rate in force pursuant to section 28 of the Tax Administration Act (c. A-6.002).

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