

## Draft Regulations

### Draft Regulation

Act respecting lotteries, publicity contests and amusement machines (chapter L-6)

#### Conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos — Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos, appearing below, is published as a draft and may be approved by the Government, with or without amendment, on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The Regulation amends the Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos (chapter L-6, r. 8) to prohibit access to State casinos to persons whose presence or behaviour is of such a nature as to interfere with public safety. In addition, the amendments refuse admission to persons who, in the last 5 years, have been convicted of or pleaded guilty to an indictable offence or an offence punishable on summary conviction with regard to certain offences, including theft, criminal interest rate, laundering proceeds of crime, organized crime, or a criminal offence of such a nature as to interfere with the integrity of State casino activities or undermine public trust in the integrity of such activities. The Regulation also provides that a person may be expelled from a State casino for those reasons.

Study of the matter shows some impact on the public, since the Regulation adds reasons for refusing admission to and expelling persons who have a criminal record for certain offences and who pose a high risk of interfering with the integrity of State casino activities.

Further information on the Regulation may be obtained by contacting Andrée-Anne Garceau, Secretary, Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux, 200, chemin Sainte-Foy, bureau 400, Québec (Québec) G1R 1T3; telephone: 418 528-7225, extension 23251; fax: 418 646 5204; email: andree-anne.garceau@racj.gouv.qc.ca.

Any person wishing to comment on the Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to Andrée-Anne Garceau, Secretary, Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux, 200, chemin Sainte-Foy, bureau 400, Québec (Québec) G1R 1T3; email: andree-anne.garceau@racj.gouv.qc.ca.

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### Regulation to amend the Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos

Act respecting lotteries, publicity contests and amusement machines (chapter L-6, s. 20.2, 1st par., subpars. *g* and *h*)

**1.** The Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos (chapter L-6, r. 8) are amended in section 3

(1) by inserting “interfere with public safety or” after “such a nature as to” in paragraph 2;

(2) by inserting the following after paragraph 3:

“(3.1) because he has, in the last 5 years, been convicted of or pleaded guilty to an indictable offence or an offence punishable on summary conviction for which he has not received a pardon with regard to

(a) terrorism, gaming and betting, theft, offences resembling theft, robbery and extortion, criminal interest rate, possession and trafficking of property obtained by crime, or forgery and offences resembling forgery, fraudulent transactions, laundering proceeds of crime or a criminal organization under parts II.1, VII, IX, X, XII.2 and XIII of the Criminal Code (Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, chapter C-46); or

(b) the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (Statutes of Canada, 1996, chapter 19);

(3.2) because he has, in the last 5 years, been convicted of or pleaded guilty to an indictable offence or an offence punishable on summary conviction under the Criminal Code for which he has not received a pardon, of such a nature as to interfere with the integrity of State casino activities or undermine public trust in the integrity of such activities;”.

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

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## Draft Regulation

Financial Administration Act  
(chapter A-6.001)

### Savings products — Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the draft Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting savings products, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The purpose of this draft regulation is to amend the Regulation respecting savings products (chapter A-6.001, r. 9) to provide other types of participant’s accounts from and into which transferable securities may be transferred. It is also intended to make certain concordant changes.

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## Regulation amending Regulation respecting savings products

Financial Administration Act  
(chapter A-6.001, s. 73, par. 1 to 3)

**1.** Section 5 of the Regulation respecting savings products (chapter A-6.001, r. 9) is amended by:

(1) inserting, in paragraph 2, “or a Tax-Free First Home Savings Account (FHSA)” after “(TFSA)”;

(2) replacing paragraph 3 by the following:

“(3) an account relating to a registered plan within the meaning of the Taxation Act (chapter I-3) or the Income Tax Act (R.S.C. 1985, c. 1 (5th supp.)), in which the participant’s securities are held by a trustee in the participant’s name, such as a retirement savings account, an education savings account or a disability savings account, or an account associated with a retirement fund or other fund or plan of the same nature, insofar as the accounts are offered by Épargne Placements Québec.”.

**2.** Second paragraph of section 37 of this regulation is amended by:

(1) replacing, in the subparagraph b of the subparagraph 1, “a registered retirement savings account” by “an account relating to a Registered Retirement Savings Plan”;

(2) adding, after the subparagraph b of the subparagraph 1, the following:

“(c) a Tax-Free First Home Savings Account (FHSA), referred to in paragraph 2 of section 5;”;

(3) adding, at the end, the following:

“(3) from a Tax-Free First Home Savings Account (FHSA), referred to in paragraph 2 of section 5, to one of the following accounts:

(a) an account relating to a Registered Retirement Savings Plan, referred to in paragraph 3 of section 5;

(b) an account relating to a Registered Retirement Income Fund (RRIF), referred to in paragraph 3 of section 5;

(4) from an account relating to a Registered Retirement Savings Plan, referred to in paragraph 3 of section 5, to a Tax-Free First Home Savings Account (FHSA), referred to in paragraph 2 of section 5.3.”.