



NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF QUÉBEC

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Bill 33
(2023, chapter 22)

**An Act respecting the collective
agreements of the special constables
and the bodyguards of the
Gouvernement du Québec**

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This Act allows the collective agreement of the special constables and that of the bodyguards of the Gouvernement du Québec to have a term exceeding the three-year term provided for in section 111.1 of the Labour Code, provided the first agreement expires not later than 31 March 2028 and the second expires not later than 31 March 2032.

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AN ACT RESPECTING THE COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS OF THE SPECIAL CONSTABLES AND THE BODYGUARDS OF THE GOUVERNEMENT DU QUÉBEC

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The recommendations of the joint parity committee instituted for the Syndicat des constables spéciaux du gouvernement du Québec that relate to the collective agreement following the one that expired on 31 March 2020 may be approved by the Government despite the fact that they have the effect of a collective agreement whose term exceeds the three-year term provided for in section 111.1 of the Labour Code (chapter C-27), provided that agreement expires not later than 31 March 2028.

In such a case, the reference to paragraph *d* of section 22 of the Labour Code in section 111.3 of that Code must be read as a reference to paragraph *e* of that section 22.

2. The recommendations of the joint parity committee instituted for the Association professionnelle des gardes du corps du gouvernement du Québec inc. that relate to the collective agreement following the one that expired on 31 March 2020 may be approved by the Government despite the fact that they have the effect of a collective agreement whose term exceeds the three-year term provided for in section 111.1 of the Labour Code, provided that agreement expires not later than 31 March 2032.

In such a case, the reference to paragraph *d* of section 22 of the Labour Code in section 111.3 of that Code must be read as a reference to paragraph *e* of that section 22.

3. This Act comes into force on 5 October 2023.