#### Regulation respecting information on the profile of a person who has contributed to the procreation of a child in the context of a parental project

Civil Code of Québec (Civil Code, arts. 541.13, 541.32 and 542.1; 2023, chapter 13, ss. 20 and 21)

Code of Civil Procedure (chapter C-25.01, art. 431.0.3)

**I.** This Regulation determines the information on the profile of the following persons:

(1) the person who provided their reproductive material in the context of a parental project involving the use of the reproductive material of a third person;

(2) in the context of a parental project involving surrogacy:

(a) the woman or person who agreed to give birth to the child; and

(b) the party to the surrogacy agreement, other than the woman or person who agreed to give birth to the child, who provided their reproductive material.

**2.** The profile of a person who has contributed to the procreation of a child includes

(1) the following general information:

(a) the third person's age;

(b) the third person's ethnic origin;

(c) the third person's civil status;

(d) the third person's level of education and, where applicable, their diplomas and the subject studied; and

(e) the third person's occupation, where applicable;

(2) the following information relating to physical characteristics:

- (a) the third person's height;
- (b) the third person's skin colour;

(c) the third person's eye colour; and

(d) the third person's hair colour and texture;

(3) information relating to the third person's personality traits, special skills, preferences and hobbies, where applicable.

**3.** This Regulation comes into force on the date of coming into force of section 20 of the Act to reform family law with regard to filiation and to protect children born as a result of sexual assault and the victims of that assault as well as the rights of surrogates and of children born of a surrogacy project, insofar as it enacts article 541.13 of the Civil Code. However, in respect of a woman or person who agreed to give birth to a child and who is domiciled outside Québec, the Regulation comes into force as of the date of coming into force of section 20 of that Act, insofar as it enacts article 541.32 of the Civil Code.

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### **Draft Regulation**

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

#### Lottery schemes — 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 Lottery Scheme Regulation, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation amends the Lottery Scheme Regulation (chapter L-6, r. 11.1) to authorize the establishment and operation of a lottery scheme at a public place of amusement under a lottery licence for a public place of amusement. The draft Regulation also allows an umbrella organization to act as representative for a group of organizations that pursue similar charitable or religious purposes. Lastly, the draft Regulation establishes new categories of licences according to the activities to be carried on and determines the related payable fees and duties.

Further information on the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Andrée-Anne Garceau, Secretary and Interim Director, Direction du secrétariat général, du soutien à la gouvernance et des communications, Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux, 200, chemin Sainte Foy, 4<sup>e</sup> étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4X6; telephone: 418 528-7225, extension 23251; fax: 418 646-5204; email: andree-anne.garceau@racj.gouv.qc.ca.

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Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to Andrée-Anne Garceau, Secretary and Interim Director, Direction du secrétariat général, du soutien à la gouvernance et des communications, Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux, at the above contact information.

FRANÇOIS BONNARDEL Minister of Public Security

#### **Regulation to amend the Lottery Scheme Regulation**

Act respecting lotteries, publicity contests and amusement machines (chapter L-6, s. 119, 1st par., subpars. *a*, *b*, *c* and *d*, and 2nd par.)

**1.** The Lottery Scheme Regulation (chapter L-6, r. 11.1) is amended in section 1 by inserting the following definition at the place determined by the alphabetical order:

"umbrella organization" means an organization designated to act as representative for a group of organizations engaged in similar charitable or religious purposes;".

**2.** Section 2 is amended

(1) by adding the following before subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph:

"(0.1) lotteries at a public place of amusement;";

(2) by adding the following paragraph at the end:

"Subject to the exceptions provided for in this subsection, a licence may be issued to conduct and manage one or more of the lottery schemes referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 4 of the first paragraph.".

**3.** The following is inserted after section 2:

**"2.1.** The categories of lottery scheme licences are the following:

(1) class A;

(2) class B.

A class A lottery scheme licence enables the holder to conduct and manage one or more of the lottery schemes referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 4 of the first paragraph of section 2, except an electronic drawing, and authorizes the holder to collect, for the conduct and management of the lottery schemes, a gross annual income of \$20,000 or less. A class B lottery scheme licence enables the holder to conduct and manage one or more of the lottery schemes referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 4 of the first paragraph of section 2 and authorizes the holder to collect, for the conduct and management of the lottery schemes, a gross annual income of more than \$20,000.".

**4.** Section 3 is replaced by the following:

**"3.** An organization may apply for a class A or class B licence to conduct and manage the following lottery schemes:

- (1) drawings;
- (2) instant lotteries;
- (3) charity casinos.

An umbrella organization may apply for a class A licence for the conduct and management by organizations of the lottery schemes referred to in the first paragraph. The licence may include only one of those lottery schemes.

**3.1.** The board of a fair or exhibition may apply for a class A or class B licence to conduct and manage, at a fair or exhibition it organizes, the following lottery schemes:

- (1) drawings;
- (2) instant lotteries;
- (3) wheels of fortune.

The operator of a concession leased from the board of a fair or exhibition may apply for a class A or class B licence to conduct and manage a wheel of fortune during the fair or exhibition.

**3.2.** A natural person or a non-profit legal person may apply for a licence to conduct and manage a lottery at a public place of amusement.

A licence authorizing the holder to hold a lottery at a public place of amusement must not include another lottery scheme.".

**5.** Section 4 is revoked.

**6.** Section 6 is replaced by the following:

**"6.** The examination fees for any application for a licence are \$31.75.

The fees are not refundable.

**6.1.** The duties payable for the issue of a class A lottery scheme licence are \$15 per lottery scheme. In the case of an application for a licence made on behalf of a group of organizations, the duties are payable by each organization that is part of the group.

**6.2.** The duties payable for the issue of a class B lottery scheme licence are

(1) for a drawing, subject to section 7, a payable duty representing 0.9% of the total selling price of the tickets estimated by the applicant;

(2) for an instant lottery, a payable duty representing 0.9% of the total selling price of the instant lottery cards;

(3) for a charity casino, a payable duty of \$50 per day;

(4) for a wheel of fortune, a payable duty of \$50 per day.

Despite subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph, for a progressive drawing, a payable duty representing 0.9% of the total selling price of the tickets must be sent to the Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux every quarter as of the first drawing.

**6.3.** The duties provided for in section 6.2 are payable when an instant lottery, a charity casino or a wheel of fortune is added to a licence.".

**7.** Section 7 is amended

(1) by replacing "a licence to conduct and manage drawings" by "a class B licence to conduct and manage a drawing";

(2) by striking out "of profit" after "statement";

(3) by striking out ", or be sent not later than 60 days after the date of expiry of the licence" at the end.

**8.** Section 8 is replaced by the following:

"The duties payable for the issue of an electronic schemes supplier licence are \$225.".

**9.** Section 9 is replaced by the following:

**"9.** The board will reimburse the duties paid under sections 6.1 to 6.3 or section 8 where it refuses to grant an application for a licence or an application to add a lottery

scheme, or revokes the licence before the sale of tickets or instant lottery cards or the date that the charity casino or the wheel of fortune is to be held.".

**10.** Section 11 is amended in the first paragraph

(1) by inserting "examination" before "fees";

(2) by replacing "6" by "6.2".

**11.** 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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## **Draft Regulation**

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

# Lottery schemes

—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 Lottery Scheme Rules, appearing below, may be approved by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation amends the Lottery Scheme Rules (chapter L-6, r. 12.1) in particular to establish the conditions for obtaining a lottery licence for a public place of amusement and the standards and restrictions relating to the use of that licence. The draft Regulation also establishes the conditions for obtaining and the standards for using a licence issued further to an application for a licence for a group of organizations. In addition, the draft Regulation proposes amendments to simplify the form and content of the reports that licence holders must submit.

Further information on the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Andrée-Anne Garceau, Secretary and Interim Director, Direction du secrétariat général, du soutien à la gouvernance et des communications, Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux, 200, chemin Sainte Foy, 4<sup>e</sup> étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4X6; telephone: 418 528-7225, extension 23251; fax: 418 646-5204; email: andree-anne.garceau@racj.gouv.qc.ca.