"(3.1) is authorized, notwithstanding subparagraphs 2 and 3, to use, up to the end of the current school year, buses or minibuses 14 years old where

(*a*) the carrier provides the service centre or the educational institution with the certificate provided for in subparagraph 3;

(b) the carrier shows to the service centre or the educational institution that he bought, in order to replace each of those buses or minibuses, a fully electric bus or minibus to be delivered before the next school year or that the delivery of the bus or minibus purchased as replacement depends on the seller receiving a fully electric bus or minibus to be delivered before the next school year;".

2. Section 33 is amended by striking out "on the basis of the average change in the monthly Consumer Price Indexes between 1 January and 31 December of the preceding school year in Canada, as indicated in the publication by Statistics Canada, "Consumer prices and price indexes", catalog No. 62-001" in the first paragraph.

3. Subparagraph 3.1 of the first paragraph of section 31 of the Regulation, as inserted by section 1 of this Regulation, ceases to have effect on 30 June 2025.

4. 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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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 20-2024, 17 January 2024

Act respecting the Société des loteries du Québec (chapter S-13.1)

Forecast contests and numbers games —Amendment

Regulation to amend Regulation respecting forecast contests and numbers games

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 13 of the Act respecting the Société des loteries du Québec (chapter S-13.1), the Société des loteries du Québec determines by law the general standards and conditions relating to the nature and holding of the lottery schemes it conducts and administers; WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 13 of this Act, the by-law shall be in particular submitted to the Government for approval;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend Regulation respecting forecast contests and numbers games was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 13 September 2023 with a notice that it could be approved by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation to amend Regulation respecting forecast contests and numbers games without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Finance:

THAT the Regulation to amend Regulation respecting forecast contests and numbers games, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

DOMINIQUE SAVOIE Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation to amend Regulation respecting forecast contests and numbers games

Act respecting the Société des loteries du Québec (chapter S-13.1, s. 13)

1. Section 10 of the Regulation respecting forecast contests and numbers games (chapter S-13.1, r. 2) is amended by striking out "or more than 75%".

2. 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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