

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 24-2024, 17 January 2024

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

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

WHEREAS, under subparagraph *g* of the first paragraph of section 20.2 of the Act respecting lotteries, publicity contests and amusement machines (chapter L-6), as regards State casinos, the Régie des alcools, des courses et des jeux may prescribe the conditions for admission into a casino and the grounds for exclusion;

WHEREAS, under subparagraph *h* of the first paragraph of section 20.2 of the Act, as regards State casinos, the board may establish standards relating to the maintenance of public order and the safety of persons in State casinos and their appurtenances;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 20.2 of the Act, the board may, among other things, make distinctions with respect to the rules according to the categories of persons and, in establishing the standards referred to in subparagraph *g* of the first paragraph of that section, the board may in particular take into account morality and the judicial antecedents of a person;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft regulation to amend the Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 26 July 2023 with a notice that it could be approved by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS the board approved the Regulation to amend the Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos at its plenary session of 11 October 2023;

WHEREAS, under the third paragraph of section 20.2 of the Act, every rule must be submitted to the Government for approval and the standards relating to the maintenance

of public order and the safety of persons must be submitted for approval on the joint recommendation of the Minister of Public Security and the Minister of Finance;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation to amend the Rules respecting conditions governing admission of the public, maintenance of public order and safety of persons in State casinos with amendments;

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

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, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

DOMINIQUE SAVOIE
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

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*, and 2nd par.)

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 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 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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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 33-2024, 17 January 2024

Act respecting occupational health and safety
(chapter S-2.1)

Occupational health and safety in mines — Amendment

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting occupational health and safety in mines

WHEREAS, under subparagraphs 7, 9, 19 and 42 of the first paragraph of section 223 of the Act respecting occupational health and safety (chapter S-2.1), the Commission des normes, de l'équité, de la santé et de la sécurité du travail may make regulations

—prescribing measures for the supervision of the quality of the work environment and standards applicable to every workplace so as to ensure the health, safety and physical and mental well-being of workers, particularly with regard to work organization, lighting, heating, sanitary installations, quality of food, noise, ventilation, variations in temperature, quality of air, access to the establishment, means of transportation used by workers, eating rooms and cleanliness of a workplace, and determining the hygienic and safety standards to be complied with by the employer where he makes premises available to workers for lodging, meal service or leisure activities;

—determining, by category of establishments or construction sites, the individual and common protective means and equipment that the employer must put at the disposal of the workers, free of charge;

—prescribing standards respecting the safety of such products, processes, equipment, materials, contaminants or dangerous substances as it specifies, indicating the directions for their use, maintenance and repair, and prohibiting or restricting their use;

—generally prescribing any other measure to facilitate the application of the Act;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 223 of the Act, the content of the regulations may vary according to the categories of persons, workers, employers, workplaces, establishments or construction sites to which they apply and may also provide times within which they are to be applied and which may vary according to the object and scope of each regulation;

WHEREAS, under the third paragraph of section 223 of the Act, a regulation may refer to an approval, certification or homologation of the Bureau de normalisation du Québec or of another standardizing body;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting occupational health and safety in mines was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 28 June 2023 with a notice that it could be adopted by the Commission and submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 45 days from that publication;

WHEREAS the Commission adopted the Regulation with amendments at its sitting of 16 November 2023;

WHEREAS, under section 224 of the Act respecting occupational health and safety, every draft regulation made by the Commission under section 223 of the Act must be submitted to the Government for approval;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting occupational health and safety in mines, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

DOMINIQUE SAVOIE
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif
