45. Section 76 is amended

(1) by replacing "licence to conduct and manage an instant lottery must prepare and keep a statement of gross and net profit" in the first paragraph by "class B licence to conduct and manage an instant lottery must produce a report of their activities";

(2) by replacing "the date of expiry" in the second paragraph by "the expiry or revocation";

(3) in the third paragraph

(a) by replacing "mentions" in the portion before subparagraph 1 in the French text by "informations";

(b) by replacing subparagraph 4 by the following:

"(4) the gross revenues from the sale of instant lottery cards;".

46. Section 77 is amended

(1) by replacing "licence to conduct and manage a charity casino must prepare and keep a statement of gross and net profit" in the first paragraph by "class B licence to conduct and manage a charity casino must produce a report of their activities";

(2) by replacing "the date of expiry" in the second paragraph by "the expiry or revocation";

(3) in the third paragraph,

(*a*) by replacing "mentions" in the portion before subparagraph 1 in the French text by "informations";

(*b*) by replacing "total proceeds" in subparagraphs 4 and 5 by "gross revenues".

47. The following is inserted after section 77:

"77.1. For the purposes of sections 74.1 to 77 of these Rules, in the case of a licence referred to in section 10, licence holders must keep only one record or produce only one activity report, as applicable.".

48. Section 79 is amended by replacing "after the date of expiry" in the second paragraph by "after the expiry".

49. The holder of a lottery scheme licence issued before 11 April 2024 whose gross annual revenues from the conduct and management of lottery schemes is \$20,000 or less and who used no electronic scheme to conduct and manage the lottery schemes becomes, as of the date of coming into force of this Regulation, subject

to the reporting requirements prescribed in section 74.2 of the Lottery Scheme Rules (L-6, r. 12.1) enacted by section 43 of this Regulation.

50. 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. 437-2024, 13 March 2024

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

Lottery Scheme —Amendment

Regulation to amend the Lottery Scheme Regulation

WHEREAS, under subparagraphs *a*, *b*, *c* and *d* of the first paragraph of section 119 of the Act respecting lotteries and amusement machines (chapter L-6), the Government may, by regulation,

—prescribe whatever is required to be prescribed by regulation under the Act;

—establish categories of licences according to the activities to be carried on;

—determine the amount of duties for the issue, modification, maintenance or renewal of a licence or the obtention of an authorization, the fees for the examination of an application for the issue, modification or renewal of a licence or the obtention of an authorization, the fees for the issue of a duplicate and the terms and conditions of payment or reimbursement, which may vary according to the category of licence or authorization, or according to factors specified in the regulation;

— determine, in respect of lottery schemes, the categories of persons who may apply for a licence and the category of licence that a person may obtain;

WHEREAS, under the second paragraph of section 119 of the Act, the Government may also make regulations it considers expedient for the application and enforcement of the Act;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation to amend the Lottery Scheme Regulation was published in Part 2 of the Gazette officielle du Québec of 1 November 2023 with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Regulation with amendments;

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

THAT the Regulation to amend the Lottery Scheme Regulation, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

DOMINIQUE SAVOIE Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Part 2

Regulation to amend the Lottery Scheme Regulation

Act respecting lotteries 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 by adding the following after subparagraph 4 of the first paragraph:

"(5) lotteries at a public place of amusement;".

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; and

(3) class C.

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 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.

A class C lottery scheme licence enables the holder to conduct and manage a lottery scheme referred to in subparagraph 5 of section 2 and authorizes the holder to collect, for the conduct and management of the lottery scheme, a gross annual income of \$5,000 or less.

2.2. Only a class B lottery scheme licence can be issued for the purpose of conducting and administering an electronic drawing.".

4. Section 3 is replaced by the following:

"3. An organization may apply for a class A or class B lottery scheme 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 lottery scheme 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 lottery scheme 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 lottery scheme 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 class C lottery scheme licence to conduct and manage a lottery at a public place of amusement.".

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 a class A lottery scheme licence are \$15 per lottery scheme.

The duties are payable upon applying for a licence or for the addition of a lottery scheme.

In the case of an application for a licence made on behalf of a group of organizations, the fees must be paid by each organization that is part of the group, including the umbrella organization if it is applying to conduct and administer a lottery scheme itself.

6.2. The duties payable for a class B lottery scheme licence are the following:

(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.

The duties are payable upon applying for a licence or for the addition of a lottery scheme.

Despite the preceding paragraphs, 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.".

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 and 6.2 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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Order 2024-0006 of the Minister of the Environment, the Fight Against Climate Change, Wildlife and Parks dated 11 March 2024

Act respecting the conservation and development of wildlife (chapter C-61.1)

Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the cases in which and the conditions under which to attract or feed an animal or class of animals

THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT, THE FIGHT AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE, WILDLIFE AND PARKS,

CONSIDERING subparagraph 7 of the first paragraph of section 163 of the Act respecting the conservation and development of wildlife (chapter C-61.1), which provides that the Minister may determine, for the purposes of section 30, the cases in which a person may feed or attempt to feed an animal or class of animals, on the conditions the Minister determines;

CONSIDERING the first paragraph of section 164 of the Act, which provides in particular that a regulation made under subparagraph 7 of the first paragraph of section 163 is not subject to the publication requirements set out in section 8 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1);