

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF QUÉBEC

FIRST SESSION

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Bill 58 (2024, chapter 13)

Appropriation Act No. 2, 2024-2025

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Passed 2 May 2024
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This Act authorizes the Government to pay out of the general fund of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, for the 2024–2025 fiscal year, a sum not exceeding \$75,544,708,960.00, representing the appropriations to be voted for each of the portfolio programs, less the appropriations already authorized.

Moreover, the Act indicates which programs are covered by a net voted appropriation. It also determines the extent to which the Conseil du trésor may authorize the transfer of appropriations between programs or portfolios.

Lastly, the Act approves the balance of the expenditure and investment forecasts for the special funds for the 2024–2025 fiscal year, and the excess special fund expenditures and investments for the 2022–2023 fiscal year.

Bill 58

APPROPRIATION ACT NO. 2, 2024–2025

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- **1.** The Government may draw out of the general fund of the Consolidated Revenue Fund a sum not exceeding \$75,544,708,960.00 to defray part of the Expenditure Budget of Québec tabled in the National Assembly for the 2024–2025 fiscal year, being the amount of the appropriations to be voted for each of the programs listed in Schedule 1, less the amounts totalling \$30,826,709,940.00 of the appropriations voted pursuant to Appropriation Act No. 1, 2024–2025 (2024, chapter 3).
- **2.** In the case of programs for which a net voted appropriation appears in the Expenditure Budget, the amount of the appropriation for the programs concerned may be increased, subject to the stipulated conditions, when the revenues associated with the net voted appropriation exceed revenue forecasts.
- **3.** The Conseil du trésor may authorize the transfer between programs or portfolios of the portion of an appropriation for which provision has been made to that end, for the purposes of and, where applicable, according to the conditions described in the Expenditure Budget.

Furthermore, it may, in cases other than the transfer of a portion of an appropriation referred to in the first paragraph, authorize the transfer of a portion of an appropriation between programs in the same portfolio, insofar as such a transfer does not increase or decrease the amount of the appropriation authorized by law by more than 15.0%, excluding, where applicable, the portion of the appropriation for which provision has been made.

- **4.** The balance of the expenditure and investment forecasts for the special funds listed in Schedule 2 is approved for the 2024–2025 fiscal year.
- **5.** The excess special fund expenditures and investments for the 2022–2023 fiscal year listed in Schedule 3 are approved.
- **6.** This Act comes into force on 7 May 2024.

SCHEDULE 1

GENERAL FUND

AFFAIRES MUNICIPALES ET HABITATION

PROGRAM 1

Support for Departmental Activities 64,191,000.00

PROGRAM 2

Municipal Infrastructure Modernization 118,471,425.00

PROGRAM 3

Compensation in Lieu of Taxes

and Support to Municipalities 404,403,225.00

PROGRAM 4

Development of the Regions

and Territories 1,760,775.00

PROGRAM 5

Promotion and Development

of Greater Montréal 106,591,875.00

PROGRAM 6

Commission municipale du Québec 10,047,075.00

PROGRAM 7

Housing 686,019,450.00

1,391,484,825.00

AGRICULTURE, PÊCHERIES ET ALIMENTATION

PROGRAM 1

Bio-food Business Development

and Food Quality 442,590,600.00

PROGRAM 2

Government Bodies 331,914,225.00

774,504,825.00

CONSEIL DU TRÉSOR ET ADMINISTRATION GOUVERNEMENTALE

PROGRAM 1

Support for the Conseil du trésor 77,840,175.00

PROGRAM 2

Support for Government Operations 197,428,725.00

PROGRAM 3

Commission de la fonction publique 4,568,625.00

PROGRAM 4

Retirement and Insurance Plans 2,435,850.00

PROGRAM 5

Contingency Fund 14,139,825,000.00

PROGRAM 6

Support for Government Infrastructure 10,407,675.00

PROGRAM 7

Promotion and Development of the Capitale-Nationale

30,092,850.00

14,462,598,900.00

CONSEIL EXÉCUTIF

PROGRAM 1

Lieutenant-Governor's Office 583,275.00

PROGRAM 2

Support Services for the Premier and the Conseil exécutif 95,142,075.00

PROGRAM 3

Canadian Relations 12,605,250.00

PROGRAM 4

Relations with the First Nations and the Inuit 295,567,175.00

PROGRAM 5

Democratic Institutions, Access to Information and Laicity 12,293,700.00

PROGRAM 6

High-speed Internet and Special Connectivity Projects 99,695,700.00 515,887,175.00

CULTURE ET COMMUNICATIONS

PROGRAM 1

Management, Administration and Mission Support

61,462,500.00

PROGRAM 2

Support and Development of Culture,

Communications and Heritage 577,169,100.00

PROGRAM 3

Youth 35,515,125.00

674,146,725.00

CYBERSÉCURITÉ ET NUMÉRIQUE

PROGRAM 1

Management and Administration 53,212,800.00

PROGRAM 2

Management of Specific

Information Resources 39,932,250.00

93,145,050.00

ÉCONOMIE, INNOVATION ET ÉNERGIE

PROGRAM 1

Management and Administration 30,119,700.00

PROGRAM 2

Economic Development 227,114,850.00

PROGRAM 3

Development of Science, Research

and Innovation 191,643,000.00

PROGRAM 4

Economic Development Fund

Interventions 484,557,225.00

PROGRAM 5

Research and Innovation Bodies 583,124.00

PROGRAM 6

Energy 43,562,250.00

977,580,149.00

ÉDUCATION

PROGRAM 1

Administration 297,027,000.00

PROGRAM 2

Support for Organizations 68,596,975.00

PROGRAM 3

School Taxes - Fiscal Balancing

Subsidy 1,147,126,275.00

PROGRAM 4

Preschool, Primary

and Secondary Education 9,948,013,050.00

PROGRAM 5

Development of Sports,

Recreation and the Outdoors 132,862,975.00

11,593,626,275.00

EMPLOI ET SOLIDARITÉ SOCIALE

PROGRAM 1

Governance, Administration

and Client Services 386,199,250.00

PROGRAM 2

Social Solidarity

and Community Action 2,587,759,051.00

PROGRAM 3

Employment 608,148,175.00

3,582,106,476.00

ENSEIGNEMENT SUPÉRIEUR

PROGRAM 1

Administration 86,839,275.00

PROGRAM 2

Support for Bodies 42,800,475.00

PROGRAM 3

Financial Assistance for Education and Incentive

Scholarships 778,161,275.00

PROGRAM 4

Higher Education 5,141,667,450.00

6,049,468,475.00

ENVIRONNEMENT, LUTTE CONTRE LES CHANGEMENTS CLIMATIQUES, FAUNE ET PARCS

PROGRAM 1

Environmental and Wildlife

Protection 436,031,550.00

PROGRAM 2

Bureau d'audiences publiques

sur l'environnement 6,539,175.00

442,570,725.00

FAMILLE

PROGRAM 1

Planning, Research

and Administration 64,084,125.00

PROGRAM 2

Assistance Measures for Families 65,466,850.00

PROGRAM 3

Educational Childcare Services 1,948,947,300.00

PROGRAM 4

Public Curator 63,339,900.00

2,141,838,175.00

FINANCES

PRC	GR	AM	1

Management and Administration 32,782,725.00

PROGRAM 2

Economic, Taxation, Budgetary and Financial Activities 42,480,950.00

PROGRAM 3

Contributions, Bank Service Fees and Provision for Transferring Appropriations 55,433,400.00

PROGRAM 4

Relations with English-speaking Quebecers

4,331,050.00

135,028,125.00

IMMIGRATION, FRANCISATION ET INTÉGRATION

PROGRAM 1

Management and Support for Departmental Activities

41,308,800.00

PROGRAM 2

Immigration, Francization and Integration

511,198,275.00

552,507,075.00

JUSTICE

PROGRAM 1

Administration of Justice 365,819,400.00

PROGRAM 2

Judicial Activity 33,468,100.00

PROGRAM 3

Administrative Justice 10,675,150.00

PROGRAM 5

Other Bodies Reporting to

the Minister 148,963,075.00

PROGRAM 6

Criminal and Penal Prosecutions 163,791,675.00

722,717,400.00

LANGUE FRANÇAISE

PROGRAM 1

French Language 51,469,650.00 51,469,650.00

PERSONS APPOINTED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

PROGRAM 1

Public Protector 18,199,275.00

PROGRAM 2

Auditor General 32,822,950.00

PROGRAM 4

Lobbyists Commissioner 4,960,650.00

PROGRAM 6

French Language Commissioner 1,799,400.00

57,782,275.00

RELATIONS INTERNATIONALES ET FRANCOPHONIE

PROGRAM 1

Management and Administration 18,055,125.00

PROGRAM 2

International Affairs 92,991,675.00

PROGRAM 3

Status of Women 25,015,875.00

136,062,675.00

RESSOURCES NATURELLES ET FORÊTS

PROGRAM 1

Management of Natural and Forest Resources

287,554,650.00 287,554,650.00

SANTÉ ET SERVICES SOCIAUX

PROGRAM 1

Coordination Functions 238,611,075.00

PROGRAM 2

Services to the Public 26,885,354,700.00

PROGRAM 3

Office des personnes handicapées

du Québec 13,880,325.00

PROGRAM 5

Status of Seniors 40,947,750.00

27,178,793,850.00

SÉCURITÉ PUBLIQUE

PRO	GR	AM	1

Management and Administration 112,717,875.00

PROGRAM 2

Services of the Sûreté du Québec 419,073,450.00

PROGRAM 3

Management of the Correctional

System 486,846,075.00

PROGRAM 4

Police 142,864,675.00

PROGRAM 5

Scientific and Forensic Expertise 27,975,000.00

PROGRAM 6

Management and Oversight 48,626,175.00

PROGRAM 7

Public Safety and Fire Prevention 35,225,400.00

1,273,328,650.00

TOURISME

PROGRAM 1

Management, Administration and Program Management

9,812,250.00

PROGRAM 2

Tourism Development

114,589,875.00

PROGRAM 3

Bodies Reporting to the Minister

29,780,735.00

154,182,860.00

TRANSPORTS ET MOBILITÉ DURABLE

PROGRAM 1

In frastructures

and Transportation Systems 2,217,789,900.00

PROGRAM 2

Administration

and Corporate Services

51,136,575.00

2,268,926,475.00

TRAVAIL

PROGRAM 1

Labour

27,397,500.00 27,397,500.00

75,544,708,960.00

SCHEDULE 2

SPECIAL FUNDS

AFFAIRES MUNICIPALES ET HABITATION

REGIONS AND RURALITY FUND

Expenditure Forecast 211,258,050.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure Forecast 211,258,050.00

CULTURE ET COMMUNICATIONS

AVENIR MÉCÉNAT CULTURE FUND

Expenditure Forecast 3,754,500.00

QUÉBEC CULTURAL HERITAGE FUND

Expenditure Forecast 31,853,700.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure Forecast 35,608,200.00

CYBERSÉCURITÉ ET NUMÉRIQUE

CYBERSECURITY AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY FUND

Expenditure Forecast 465,970,125.00 Investment Forecast 96,010,800.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 465,970,125.00 Investment Forecast 96,010,800.00

ÉCONOMIE, INNOVATION ET ÉNERGIE

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY CAPITAL FUND

Expenditure Forecast 133,500.00 Investment Forecast 321,562,500.00

NATURAL RESOURCES FUND

Expenditure Forecast 22,081,125.00 Investment Forecast 55,650.00

ECONOMIC

DEVELOPMENT FUND

Expenditure Forecast 1,004,250,900.00 Investment Forecast 2,078,142,750.00

QUÉBEC ENTERPRISE GROWTH FUND

Expenditure Forecast 112,500.00 Investment Forecast 90,000,000.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 1,026,578,025.00 Investment Forecast 2,489,760,900.00

ÉDUCATION

SPORTS AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY DEVELOPMENT FUND

Expenditure Forecast	119,184,375.00
Investment Forecast	55,595,925.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 119,184,375.00 Investment Forecast 55,595,925.00

EMPLOI ET SOLIDARITÉ SOCIALE

ASSISTANCE FUND FOR INDEPENDENT COMMUNITY ACTION

Expenditure Forecast 31,558,550.00

LABOUR MARKET DEVELOPMENT FUND

Expenditure Forecast 889,878,800.00

GOODS AND SERVICES FUND

Expenditure Forecast 160,077,075.00 Investment Forecast 4,505,775.00

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FUND OF THE MINISTÈRE DE L'EMPLOI ET DE LA SOLIDARITÉ SOCIALE

Expenditure Forecast 13,693,125.00 Investment Forecast 14,478,750.00

QUÉBEC FUND FOR SOCIAL INITIATIVES

Expenditure Forecast 34,763,000.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 1,129,970,550.00 Investment Forecast 18,984,525.00

ENSEIGNEMENT SUPÉRIEUR

UNIVERSITY EXCELLENCE AND PERFORMANCE FUND

Expenditure Forecast 18,750,000.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure Forecast 18,750,000.00

ENVIRONNEMENT, LUTTE CONTRE LES CHANGEMENTS CLIMATIQUES, FAUNE ET PARCS

BLUE FUND

Expenditure Forecast 56,966,700.00

ELECTRIFICATION AND CLIMATE CHANGE FUND

Expenditure Forecast 1,166,720,250.00 Investment Forecast 196,200,000.00

FUND FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE WATERS IN THE DOMAIN OF THE STATE

Expenditure Forecast 188,013,975.00 Investment Forecast 8,594,250.00

NATURAL RESOURCES FUND

Expenditure Forecast 50,250.00

ENERGY TRANSITION, INNOVATION AND EFFICIENCY FUND

Expenditure Forecast 153,967,875.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 1,565,719,050.00 Investment Forecast 204,794,250.00

FAMILLE

EDUCATIONAL CHILDCARE SERVICES FUND

Expenditure Forecast 2,191,988,800.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure Forecast 2,191,988,800.00

FINANCES

FINANCING FUND

Expenditure Forecast 2,477,250.00

SPECIAL CONTRACTS AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR INVESTMENT FUND

Expenditure Forecast 169,500,000.00

FUND TO COMBAT ADDICTION

Expenditure Forecast 169,303,875.00

NORTHERN PLAN FUND

Expenditure Forecast 109,262,850.00

FUND OF THE FINANCIAL MARKETS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Expenditure Forecast 2,979,975.00 Investment Forecast 6,000.00

TAX ADMINISTRATION FUND

Expenditure Forecast 962,004,900.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 1,415,528,850.00 Investment Forecast 6,000.00

JUSTICE

ACCESS TO JUSTICE FUND

Expenditure Forecast 31,533,375.00

FUND DEDICATED TO ASSISTANCE FOR PERSONS WHO ARE VICTIMS OF CRIMINAL OFFENCES

Expenditure Forecast 40,898,400.00

REGISTER FUND OF THE MINISTÈRE DE LA JUSTICE

Expenditure Forecast 38,601,375.00 Investment Forecast 2,937,300.00

FUND OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL OF QUÉBEC

Expenditure Forecast 38,272,275.00 Investment Forecast 1,157,850.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 149,305,425.00 Investment Forecast 4,095,150.00

RESSOURCES NATURELLES ET FORÊTS

NATURAL RESOURCES FUND

Expenditure Forecast 579,643,125.00 Investment Forecast 14,991,875.00

TERRITORIAL INFORMATION FUND

Expenditure Forecast 442,599,825.00 Investment Forecast 33,674,850.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 1,022,242,950.00 Investment Forecast 48,666,725.00

SANTÉ ET SERVICES SOCIAUX

CANNABIS PREVENTION AND RESEARCH FUND

Expenditure Forecast 91,981,650.00

HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES INFORMATION RESOURCES FUND

Expenditure Forecast 460,454,400.00 Investment Forecast 106,617,825.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 552,436,050.00 Investment Forecast 106,617,825.00

SÉCURITÉ PUBLIQUE

POLICE SERVICES FUND

Expenditure Forecast	621,566,625.00
Investment Forecast	17,231,550.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 621,566,625.00 Investment Forecast 17,231,550.00

TOURISME

TOURISM PARTNERSHIP FUND

Expenditure Forecast 278,118,650.00 Investment Forecast 871,725.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 278,118,650.00 Investment Forecast 871,725.00

TRANSPORTS ET MOBILITÉ DURABLE

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Expenditure Forecast 81,645,900.00 Investment Forecast 34,649,475.00

ROLLING STOCK MANAGEMENT FUND

Expenditure Forecast 140,180,775.00 Investment Forecast 75,375,225.00

HIGHWAY SAFETY FUND

Expenditure Forecast 55,468,350.00 Investment Forecast 4,586,250.00

LAND TRANSPORTATION NETWORK FUND

Expenditure Forecast 4,398,940,350.00 Investment Forecast 2,748,543,525.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 4,676,235,375.00 Investment Forecast 2,863,154,475.00

TRAVAIL

ADMINISTRATIVE LABOUR
TRIBUNAL FUND

Expenditure Forecast	76,567,500.00
Investment Forecast	2,325,000.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 76,567,500.00 Investment Forecast 2,325,000.00

TOTALS

Expenditure Forecast 15,557,028,600.00 Investment Forecast 5,908,114,850.00

SCHEDULE 3

EXCESS SPECIAL FUND EXPENDITURES AND INVESTMENTS FOR THE 2022–2023 FISCAL YEAR

AFFAIRES MUNICIPALES ET HABITATION

REGIONS AND RURALITY FUND

Expenditure excess 75,944,300.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 75,944,300.00

CULTURE ET COMMUNICATIONS

AVENIR MÉCÉNAT CULTURE FUND

Expenditure excess 4,800.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 4,800.00

ÉCONOMIE, INNOVATION ET ÉNERGIE

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY CAPITAL FUND

Expenditure excess 8,707,800.00

ECONOMIC

DEVELOPMENT FUND

Expenditure excess 5,397,600.00

QUÉBEC ENTERPRISE GROWTH FUND

Expenditure excess 1,137,300.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 15,242,700.00

EMPLOI ET SOLIDARITÉ SOCIALE

ASSISTANCE FUND FOR INDEPENDENT COMMUNITY ACTION

Expenditure excess 5,239,100.00

LABOUR MARKET DEVELOPMENT FUND

Expenditure excess 119,698,600.00

GOODS AND SERVICES FUND

Expenditure excess 28,010,700.00

QUÉBEC FUND FOR SOCIAL INITIATIVES

Expenditure excess 4,314,900.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 157,263,300.00

ENVIRONNEMENT, LUTTE CONTRE LES CHANGEMENTS CLIMATIQUES, FAUNE ET PARCS

FUND FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE WATERS IN THE DOMAIN OF THE STATE

Expenditure excess	28,288,000.00
Investment excess	2,194,900.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure excess 28,288,000.00 Investment excess 2,194,900.00

FINANCES

TAX ADMINISTRATION FUND

Expenditure excess 9,284,400.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 9,284,400.00

JUSTICE

FUND OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL OF QUÉBEC

Investment excess 316,000.00

SUBTOTAL

Investment excess 316,000.00

RESSOURCES NATURELLES ET FORÊTS

NATURAL RESOURCES FUND

Expenditure excess 63,927,800.00 Investment excess 308,900.00

SUBTOTALS

Expenditure excess 63,927,800.00 Investment excess 308,900.00

SANTÉ ET SERVICES SOCIAUX

HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES INFORMATION RESOURCES FUND

Expenditure excess 82,532,600.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 82,532,600.00

TRANSPORTS ET MOBILITÉ DURABLE

AIR SERVICE FUND

Expenditure excess 980,300.00

ROLLING STOCK MANAGEMENT FUND

Expenditure excess 12,412,600.00

SUBTOTAL

Expenditure excess 13,392,900.00

TRAVAIL

ADMINISTRATIVE LABOUR TRIBUNAL FUND

Investment excess 4,569,700.00

SUBTOTAL

Investment excess 4,569,700.00

TOTALS

Expenditure excess 445,880,800.00 Investment excess 7,389,500.00