Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 1450-2024, 25 September 2024

Act respecting collective agreement decrees (chapter D-2)

Cartage industry – Québec — Amendment

Decree to amend the Decree respecting the cartage industry in the Québec region

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 6.1 of the Act respecting collective agreement decrees (chapter D-2), sections 4 to 6 of the Act apply to an application for amendment;

WHEREAS, in accordance with the first paragraph of section 4 of the Act, the Comité paritaire du camionnage du district de Québec addressed to the Minister of Labour an application for amendment to the Decree;

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 6 of the Act, at the expiry of the time specified in the notice provided for in the first paragraph of section 5 of the Act, the Minister may recommend that the Government issue a decree ordering the extension of the agreement, with such changes as are deemed expedient;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1) and the first paragraph of section 5 of the Act respecting collective agreement decrees, a draft Decree to amend the Decree respecting the cartage industry in the Québec region was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 29 May 2024 and in a French language newspaper on 30 May 2024 and in an English language newspaper on 31 May 2024, with a notice that it could be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following each publication;

WHEREAS, under section 7 of the Act respecting collective agreement decrees, despite section 17 of the Regulations Act, a decree comes into force on the day of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec* or on any later date fixed therein;

WHEREAS it is expedient to make the Decree with amendments;

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

THAT the Decree to amend the Decree respecting the cartage industry in the Québec region, attached to this Order in Council, be made.

DOMINIQUE SAVOIE Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Decree amending the Decree respecting the cartage industry in the Québec region

Act respecting collective agreement decrees (chapter D-2, s. 4, 1st par., s. 6, 1st par. and s. 6.1, 1st par.).

- **1.** The Decree respecting the cartage industry in the Québec region (chapter D-2, r. 3) is amended, in section 1.01, by striking out paragraph 17.
- **2.** Section 7.01 is amended by replacing the first and second paragraphs by the following:

"As of 9 October 2024, the minimum hourly rate is established as follows for each of the employment categories determined below:

Employment Category	Hiring rate	After 6 months	After 12 months	After 24 months
1. Helper	\$16.05	\$16.33	\$17.11	\$17.94
2. Labourer	\$16.05	\$16.33	\$17.11	\$17.94
3. Assistant-mechanic	\$17.64	\$19.17	\$19.95	\$21.47
4. Driver, class A	\$16.05	\$16.33	\$17.11	\$17.94
4.1. Driver, class B	\$17.94	\$18.54	\$19.68	\$20.63
5. Road-train driver	\$20.12	\$21.60	\$22.38	\$23.86
6. Truck driver	\$19.14	\$19.80	\$20.57	\$21.53
7. Tractor semi-trailer driver	\$20.33	\$21.05	\$21.77	\$22.73
8. Tank-truck driver	\$20.33	\$21.05	\$21.77	\$22.73
9. Tank-trailer driver	\$20.88	\$22.38	\$23.11	\$24.60
10. Float driver	\$20.88	\$22.38	\$23.11	\$24.60
11. Loading machinery operator	\$17.64	\$19.17	\$19.95	\$21.47
12. Dockman	\$16.05	\$16.33	\$17.11	\$17.94
13. Mechanic	\$22.60	\$24.17	\$24.97	\$26.53
14. Packer	\$16.05	\$16.33	\$17.11	\$17.94
15. Snow removal vehicle driver	\$20.12	\$21.60	\$22.38	\$23.86
16. Welder	\$21.60	\$23.10	\$23.86	\$25.36

The minimum hourly rates provided for in the first paragraph and section 7.02 are increased by 3.5% as of 9 October 2025 and by 3.5% as of 9 October 2026.".

3. Section 7.02 is replaced by the following:

"7.02. As of 9 October 2024, the minimum hourly rate for office clerks is the following:

Hiring rate	After 6 months	After 12 months	After 24 months
\$17.94	\$18.66	\$19.59	\$20.19

4. Section 7.03 is amended by replacing paragraph 2 by the following:

"(2) the rate received by a driver for each kilometre travelled is the following:

As of	As of	As of
9 October 2024	9 October 2025	9 October 2026
\$0.265	\$0.270	\$0.275;

5. Section 12.01 is amended by replacing "2022", wherever it occurs, by "2027".

6. Section 18.01 is amended

(1) by replacing the table in subparagraph B of paragraph 1 by the following:

As of 9 October 2024	As of 9 October 2025	As of 9 October 2026
\$20.61	\$21.33	\$22.08
\$21.05	\$21.79	\$22.55
\$21.21	\$21.95	\$22.72
\$22.12	\$22.89	\$23.70
\$22.93	\$23.73	\$24.56
\$20.80	\$21.53	\$22.28
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(2) by replacing the table in paragraph 2 by the following:

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Employment Category	As of 9 October 2024	As of 9 October 2025	As of 9 October 2026
1. Helper	\$20.12	\$20.83	\$21.56
2. Driver, class I	\$21.95	\$22.72	\$23.52
3. Driver, class II	\$22.14	\$22.92	\$23.72
4. Driver, class III	\$22.37	\$23.15	\$23.96
5. Chauffeur, classe IV	\$23.20	\$24.01	\$24.85
6. Welder	\$21.70	\$22.46	\$23.25
7. Mechanic	\$22.36	\$23.14	\$23.95
8. Serviceman	\$19.87	\$20.57	\$21.29;
			".

(3) by replacing the table in subparagraph B of paragraph 3 by the following:

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Employment Category	As of 9 October 2024	As of 9 October 2025	As of 9 October 2026
1. Helper	\$22.78	\$23.58	\$24.40
2. Driver, class I	\$23.24	\$24.05	\$24.89
3. Driver, class II	\$23.43	\$24.25	\$25.10
4. Driver, class III	\$24.28	\$25.13	\$26.01
5. Driver, class IV	\$25.14	\$26.02	\$26.93
6. Welder	\$22.99	\$23.79	\$24.63
7. Mechanic	\$23.86	\$24.69	\$25.56
8. Serviceman	\$22.53	\$23.32	\$24.13
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- **7.** Section 26.01 is amended by replacing "\$35", wherever it occurs in the second paragraph, by "\$80".
- **8.** Section 27.01 is amended by replacing "2022", wherever it occurs, "2027".
- **9.** This decree comes into force on the day of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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