Draft Regulations

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Cannabis Regulation Act (chapter C-5.3)

Other classes of cannabis that may be sold by the Société québécoise du cannabis and certain standards respecting the composition and characteristics of cannabis

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the Regulation to determine other classes of cannabis and certain standards respecting the composition and characteristics of cannabis, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation allows the sale by the Société québécoise du cannabis of cannabis belonging to classes of cannabis other than those provided for in the Cannabis Regulation Act (chapter C-5.3), that is, edible cannabis products and cannabis extracts.

The draft Regulation also determines certain standards respecting the composition and characteristics of cannabis.

The draft Regulation should have limited regulatory impact on enterprises.

Further information on the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Yovan Fillion, Direction québécoise de la légalisation du cannabis, Ministère de la Santé et des Services sociaux, 1075, chemin Sainte-Foy, 12° étage, Québec (Québec) G1S 2M1; telephone: 418 266-8364; email: yovan.fillion@msss.gouv.qc.ca.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the Minister for Health and Social Services, 1075, chemin Sainte-Foy, 15^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1S 2M1.

LIONEL CARMANT, DANIELLE MCCANN,
Minister for Health
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Regulation to determine other classes of cannabis that may be sold by the société québécoise du cannabis and certain standards respecting the composition and characteristics of cannabis

Cannabis Regulation Act (chapter C-5.3, ss. 28 and 44, pars. 2 and 3)

CHAPTER I

CLASSES OF CANNABIS

- **1.** Cannabis belonging to one of the following classes may be sold by the Société québécoise du cannabis:
 - (1) edible cannabis products;
 - (2) cannabis extracts.

OF CANNABIS

CHAPTER II COMPOSITION AND CHARACTERISTICS

- **2.** No component, including a cannabinoid, may be added to cannabis to strengthen intoxicating psychological effects.
- **3.** The concentration of THC present in cannabis, excluding edible cannabis products, must not exceed 30% weight per weight (w/w).

For the purposes of this Regulation, "THC" corresponds to the delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol component.

4. An edible cannabis product may not be sweets, confectionery, dessert, chocolate or any other product attractive to minors.

For the purposes of the first paragraph, an edible cannabis product that corresponds to one of the following criteria is attractive to minors:

- (a) it is directly marketed for minors;
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that its form, appearance or other of its sensory properties could be attractive to minors.

5. A distinguishable portion unit of an edible cannabis product may not contain a quantity of THC greater than 5 milligrams.

In addition, regardless of the number of distinguishable portion units included in a same package, the quantity of THC per package may not be greater than 10 milligrams.

Despite the first and second paragraphs, edible cannabis products in liquid form may not contain a quantity of THC greater than 5 milligrams per package.

- **6.** Cannabis extract may not contain any additives or any other substances intended to modify its odour, taste or colour.
- **7.** 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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Notice

An Act respecting collective agreement decrees (chapter D-2)

Security guards —Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with section 5 of the Act respecting collective agreement decrees (chapter D-2), that the Minister responsible for Labour was petitioned by the contracting parties to amend the Decree respecting security guards (chapter D-2, r. 1) and that, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), the Decree to amend the Decree respecting security guards, appearing below, may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Decree increases the minimum hourly wage rates, amends the definition of the classes of employees and makes the Decree compliant with the Act to amend the Act respecting labour standards and other legislative provisions mainly to facilitate family-work balance (2018, chapter 21).

The impact study has shown that the amendments will have an insignificant impact on small and medium-sized businesses.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Jonathan Vaillancourt, Direction des politiques du travail, Ministère du Travail, de l'Emploi et de la Solidarité sociale, 200, chemin Sainte-Foy, 5e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5S1; telephone: 418 643-3840; fax: 418 643-9454; email: jonathan.vaillancourt@mtess.gouv.qc.ca.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Decree is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to the Deputy Minister for Labour, Employment and Social Solidarity, 425, rue Jacques-Parizeau, 4° étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 4Z1.

BRIGITTE PELLETIER, Deputy Minister for Labour, Employment and Social Solidarity

Decree to amend the Decree respecting security guards

An Act respecting collective agreement decrees (chapter D-2, ss. 2, 4 and 6.1)

- **1.** The Decree respecting security guards (chapter D-2, r. 1) is amended in section 0.01 by replacing "Union des agents de sécurité du Québec, Métallos local 8922" in paragraph 2 by "Syndicat des Métallos, section locale 8922 (FTQ)".
- **2.** Section 1.01 is amended
 - (1) by striking out paragraph 3.1;
- (2) by striking out "holding a diploma in police techniques and whose customer or employer requires that diploma as a condition for hiring; this premium is also paid to a guard" in paragraph 5;
 - (3) by replacing paragraph 7 by the following:
- "(7) "P-4 premium": (a) benefit paid to a guard who is asked to perform the task of first-aider or cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) as a condition of employment;
- (b) benefit paid to a guard who is asked to use a heart defibrillator as a condition of employment,";
 - (4) by striking out paragraphs 10.2 and 11;
 - (5) by replacing paragraph 14 by the following: