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Bill 62
(2002, chapter 20)

**An Act to amend the Act respecting the
Ministère de la Justice as regards the
register fund**

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bill provides that sums may be taken out of the register fund established under the Act respecting the Ministère de la Justice to be used, within the scope of functions delegated to the Minister of Justice, for the financing of the certification services required to ensure the security of electronic exchanges in which the Government and its departments and bodies are involved. Under the bill, the Minister is authorized to take, out of the assets of the register fund, the sums necessary for the reimbursement of expenses already incurred for the development and implementation of those services.

The bill provides that sums may also be taken out of the register fund to be used, in particular, for the financing of any other activity arising from functions assigned to the Minister of Justice or from government mandates given to the Minister to enable the expertise developed for the register of personal and movable real rights to be utilized in matters relating to the security of information technologies.

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE ACT RESPECTING THE MINISTÈRE DE LA JUSTICE AS REGARDS THE REGISTER FUND

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS :

1. Section 32.1 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Justice (R.S.Q., chapter M-19) is amended by replacing everything that follows the words “services provided under the authority of the Minister” in the first paragraph by the following : “which relate to

(1) the registration and publication of documents of the State, personal rights, movable real rights and other documents required by law to be registered and published in the register of personal and movable real rights ;

(2) the certification required to ensure the security of electronic exchanges involving the Government, government departments and government bodies, within the scope of functions delegated pursuant to section 66 of the Public Administration Act (2000, chapter 8), or any other activity arising from functions assigned to the Minister by the Government or from government mandates given to the Minister to ensure that the expertise developed for the register of personal and movable real rights is profitably utilized in matters relating to the security of information technologies ;

(3) any register the keeping of which is the responsibility of the Minister of Justice or of the Personal and Movable Real Rights Registrar.”

2. The Minister of Justice is authorized to take out of the register fund the sums required for the reimbursement of the Minister’s expenditures prior to 13 June 2002 for the development and implementation of the certification services referred to in subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph of section 32.1 of the Act respecting the Ministère de la Justice, amended by section 1.

3. This Act comes into force on 13 June 2002.