

**Draft Regulation**

Funeral Operations Act  
(2016, chapter 1)

**Funeral operations****— New**

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the Regulation respecting certain information and documents of the funeral industry, appearing below, may be made by the Minister of Health and Social Services on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation determines, along with the terms of transmission, the information that funeral services business licensees must send to the Minister where they enter into a contract with another business of that type to offer funeral services not specified in the licence. The draft Regulation also determines who is responsible for providing to body transportation service providers a document specifying, if applicable, that the body presents a public health hazard and preventive measures to be taken.

The draft Regulation has no impact on enterprises, including small and medium-sized businesses.

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

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(2016, chapter 1, ss. 17 and 66)

**CHAPTER I****CONTRACTS BETWEEN FUNERAL SERVICES BUSINESS LICENSEES**

**1.** A funeral services business licensee who retains the services of another funeral services business licensee to offer funeral services not specified in the licensee's own licence must so inform the Minister in writing indicating

(1) the name and business number of the business whose services were retained; and

(2) the services that will be performed by that other business.

The licensee must also inform the Minister in writing of any change to such a contract.

**2.** The information must be sent not later than 30 days after the signing of the contract.

**CHAPTER II****DOCUMENT SPECIFYING THAT A BODY PRESENTS A PUBLIC HEALTH HAZARD**

**3.** A document specifying that a body presents a public health hazard provided for in subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph of section 66 of the Funeral Operations Act must be completed by the person who draws up the attestation of death.

That person must indicate

(1) the nature of the hazard that the body presents to public health; and

(2) the preventive measures to be taken, where applicable.

**CHAPTER III****FINAL**

**4.** This Regulation comes into force on 1 January 2019.

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