

Draft Regulation

Environment Quality Act
(chapter Q-2)

Recovery and reclamation of products by enterprises — Amendment

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the recovery and reclamation of products by enterprises, appearing below may be made by the Government on the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The draft Regulation postpones the date of application of the recovery rate by two years for subcategory 1 of household appliances and air conditioners.

The draft Regulation may have an impact on producers of household appliances and air conditioners insofar as the amendment makes an adjustment to the programs already in place. The draft Regulation is not expected to result in new costs for businesses. It would give producers of household appliances and air conditioners and the managers of recovery and reclamation programs for those appliances greater flexibility, as well as time to improve their recovery performance. The postponement would allow the producers and program managers to save, between 2025 and 2033, \$21.6 million in investments that would not have to be made during the period when no recovery rate is prescribed.

Further information on the draft Regulation may be obtained by contacting Valérie Lephât, Direction de la réduction, du réemploi et du recyclage, Direction principale des matières résiduelles, Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs, édifice Marie-Guyart, 9^e étage, boîte 71, 675, boulevard René-Lévesque Est, Québec (Québec) G1R 5V7; email: RRVPE@environnement.gouv.qc.ca.

Any person wishing to comment on the draft Regulation is requested to submit written comments within the 45-day period to Gitane Boivin, Director, Direction principale des matières résiduelles, Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs, édifice Marie-Guyart, 9^e étage, boîte 71, 675, boulevard René-Lévesque Est, Québec (Québec) G1R 5V7; email: RRVPE@environnement.gouv.qc.ca.

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Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the recovery and reclamation of products by enterprises

Environment Quality Act
(chapter Q-2, s. 53.30, 1st par., subpar. 6).

1. The Regulation respecting the recovery and reclamation of products by enterprises (chapter Q-2, r. 40.1) is amended in section 53.0.6 by replacing “2024” in subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph by “2026”.

2. 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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