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Bill 160

**An Act to confirm certain terms of  
employment applicable to officers of  
health and social services institutions**

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**Introduction**

**Introduced by  
Mr. Gaétan Barrette  
Minister of Health and Social Services**

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

*This bill clarifies the legislator's intention regarding the application of certain sections of the Act to modify the organization and governance of the health and social services network, in particular by abolishing the regional agencies. In addition, the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain terms of employment applicable to officers of agencies and health and social services institutions is validated.*

*Lastly, the bill states its declaratory nature and specifies that it has effect despite any administrative, quasi-judicial or judicial decision rendered.*

## **Bill 160**

### **AN ACT TO CONFIRM CERTAIN TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT APPLICABLE TO OFFICERS OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES INSTITUTIONS**

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

**1.** Sections 135 and 136 of the Act to modify the organization and governance of the health and social services network, in particular by abolishing the regional agencies (chapter O-7.2) apply to officers of health and social services institutions whose position was abolished on 31 March 2015 under section 189 of that Act or following any other reorganization resulting from the application of that Act.

The terms of employment prescribed by the Regulation respecting certain terms of employment applicable to officers of agencies and health and social services institutions (chapter S-4.2, r. 5.1), as amended by the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain terms of employment applicable to officers of agencies and health and social services institutions, made by Order number 2015-003 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 23 March 2015, apply to the officers referred to in the first paragraph.

**2.** The Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting certain terms of employment applicable to officers of agencies and health and social services institutions, made by Order number 2015-003 of the Minister of Health and Social Services dated 23 March 2015, is validated.

**3.** The provisions of this Act are declaratory. Moreover, they are applicable despite any administrative, quasi-judicial or judicial decision rendered after 23 March 2015.

**4.** This Act comes into force on (*insert the date of assent to this Act*).

