



NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

Bill 66

**An Act to amend the Act to protect
persons with regard to activities
involving firearms and amending
the Act respecting safety in sports**

Introduction

**Introduced by
Mr. Jacques P. Dupuis
Minister of Public Security**

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bill provides that persons admitted as members of a shooting club between 31 August 2008 and 1 September 2009 are deemed to be members of the club, even if they have not complied with section 46.42 of the Act respecting safety in sports.

The bill also states that persons who were members of a shooting club on 31 August 2009 have until 1 April 2010 to provide the shooting club operator with an attestation to the effect that they have passed the competency test in the safe practice of the sport of target shooting with restricted firearms or prohibited firearms.

LEGISLATION AMENDED BY THIS BILL:

- Act to protect persons with regard to activities involving firearms and amending the Act respecting safety in sports (2007, chapter 30).

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE ACT TO PROTECT PERSONS WITH REGARD TO ACTIVITIES INVOLVING FIREARMS AND AMENDING THE ACT RESPECTING SAFETY IN SPORTS

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Section 25 of the Act to protect persons with regard to activities involving firearms and amending the Act respecting safety in sports (2007, chapter 30) is replaced by the following section:

“25. A person who was admitted as a member of a shooting club between 31 August 2008 and 1 September 2009 is deemed to be a member of the club from the date of the person’s admission, even if that person has not complied with section 46.42 of the Act respecting safety in sports enacted by section 14 of this Act.

Members of a shooting club on 31 August 2009 who, at that date, had not provided the operator of the shooting club to which they belong with an attestation to the effect that they had passed the competency test in the safe practice of the sport of target shooting with restricted firearms or prohibited firearms, have until 1 April 2010 to do so.”

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

