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**Bill 69**

**AN ACT TO ENSURE THE RESPONSIBLE GOVERNANCE OF ENERGY RESOURCES AND TO AMEND VARIOUS LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS**

**SECTION 15.1** (section 10 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Insert after section 15:

**15.1.** Section 10 of the Act is amended

(1) by adding the following sentence at the end of the first paragraph:

“However, the Government may provide for a shorter fixed term of office, indicated in a commissioner’s instrument of appointment, where the candidate so requests, for serious reasons or where special circumstances indicated in that instrument so require.”;

(2) by replacing “However, the” in the second paragraph by “The”.

*Adopté*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 58** (section 85.1.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Replace proposed section 85.1.1 by:

**"85.1.1.** The electric power carrier must, not later than six months after the Régie approves the electric power distributor's supply plan, make available online and file with the Régie a 15-year electric power transmission system development plan prepared in compliance with the integrated energy resource management plan referred to in section 14.2 of the Act respecting the Ministère de l'Économie, de l'Innovation et de l'Énergie (chapter M-14.1) and taking into account the supply plan.

For the purposes of the preparation of the development plan, the electric power carrier must hold a public consultation. It shall make available online, with the development plan, a report on the observations and comments collected from the public during that public consultation.

The Minister may require an electric power carrier to indicate certain information in its development plan and to hold the public consultation in a certain manner."

*Adopté*  
*DB*

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**SECTION 58** (section 85.1.2 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

In proposed section 85.1.2:

1. Replace "capabilities for connection to the electric power transmission system" in the first paragraph by "the capabilities of the electric power transmission system with regard to industrial consumption and to connection to the electric power supply".
2. Replace the second paragraph by the following paragraph:

The Government may, by regulation, determine the additional information that must be made available by the electric power carrier, which may vary according to the zones or installations that form part of the electric power transmission system or which may concern projected capabilities. The regulation may also determine the manner and intervals according to which the information referred to in this section is to be made available.

*Adopté*  
*DBO*

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**SECTION 68** (section 112 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Replace subparagraph a of paragraph 1 by:

(a) by replacing subparagraphs 2.1 to 2.4 by the following subparagraphs:

“(2.1) the cases, other than those referred to in the second paragraph of section 76, in which and conditions on which a holder must apply for the authorization of the Minister to distribute electric power;

“(2.2) the cases in which the holder is not required to obtain an authorization under the second paragraph of section 76;

“(2.3) the additional information that must be made available by the electric power carrier under section 85.1.2, which may vary according to the zones or installations that form part of the electric power transmission system or which may concern projected capabilities, as well as the manner and intervals according to which the information referred to in section 85.1.2 is to be made available;”

*Adopté  
J.B.*

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**SECTION 69** (section 113 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Replace by:

**69.** Section 113 of the Act is amended

- (1) in the second paragraph,
  - (a) by replacing "36" in the introductory clause by "35.1";
  - (b) by striking out subparagraphs 1 and 2;
- (2) by adding the following paragraph at the end:

"The Régie must, at the request of an interested person and where circumstances so warrant, establish special rules of procedure applicable to the examination of an application. Such rules may, in particular to ensure promptness and efficiency in the decision-making process, prescribe time limits concerning the presentation of participants' observations and arguments. In addition, the rules may derogate from the rules of procedure adopted under the first paragraph."

*Adopte*  
*DB*

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**SECTION 70** (section 114 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Strike out subparagraph 10 proposed by subparagraph c of paragraph 1.

*Adopté*  
*OB*

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**SECTION 70.1** (section 115 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Insert after section 70:

**70.1.** Section 115 of the Act is amended by inserting “, other than those referred to in the third paragraph of section 113,” after “Régie”.

*Adopté*  
*EB*

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**SECTION 71 (section 116 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)**

Replace by:

**71.** Section 116 of the Act is amended

(1) by inserting "or order" after "decision" in the first paragraph;

(2) in the second paragraph,

(a) by replacing subparagraph 1 by the following subparagraph:

"(1) the electric power carrier or distributor, a natural gas distributor or a storage licence holder, if it contravenes the first paragraph of section 53;"

(b) by replacing "section 72" in subparagraph 2 by "the first paragraph of section 72 or the first paragraph of section 72.1";

(c) by inserting the following subparagraph after subparagraph 2:

"(2.1) the electric power carrier or any distributor that contravenes the first paragraph of section 73 or section 87;"

(d) by replacing "74.2" in subparagraph 5 by "74.1";

(e) by adding the following subparagraph at the end:

"(7) the electric power carrier, if it contravenes section 85.1.1, the first paragraph of section 85.1.2 or section 85.1.3."

*Adopté*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 72.1** (section 167.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Insert after section 72:

**72.1.** The Act is amended by inserting the following section after section 167:

**“167.1.** Despite the first paragraph of section 60 and section 61 of this Act, Rio Tinto Alcan inc. and Société en commandite hydroélectrique Manicouagan may distribute electric power to any person or partnership to whom or which they are distributing electric power on (*insert the date preceding the date of assent to this Act*) and, where the Government authorizes it, to any other person or partnership that requests it and that is not a domestic consumer. They are required

(1) before terminating that electric power distribution, to enter into an agreement with Hydro-Québec concerning the transfer of part or all of the consumer's load;

(2) to distribute electric power at a price that does not entail a cost that is higher than the cost resulting from the rate set out in Schedule I to the Hydro-Québec Act (chapter H-5) for the electric power distributed by Hydro-Québec for an equivalent class of consumers; and

(3) to transmit to the Minister, not later than 1 June each year and for the period from 1 April to 31 March preceding that date, a report concerning their electric power supplies.

Despite the first paragraph of section 60 and section 61, any person or partnership other than Rio Tinto Alcan inc. and Société en commandite hydroélectrique Manicouagan that distributes electric power under the third paragraph of section 62 of this Act, as it reads on (*insert the date preceding the date of assent to this Act*), may distribute the electric power to any person or partnership until (*insert the date that is two years after the date of assent to this Act*). Not later than (*insert the date that is three months after the date of assent to this Act*), the person or partnership may apply to the Government for authorization to distribute electric power after (*insert the date that is two years after the date of assent to this Act*). The Government may authorize the distribution, on the conditions it determines. The authorization referred to in this paragraph is deemed to be granted under the third paragraph of section 60 of this Act.

Anyone that may distribute electric power under this section may be supplied that power by a person or partnership of which it holds control or with which it is affiliated within the meaning of sections 8 and 9 of the Securities Act (chapter V-1.1) or of which it holds control under a unanimous shareholder agreement or a partnership agreement, to the extent that that person's or partnership's production site is connected directly to its installations, including to an interconnection point of its system. That supply does not constitute electric power distribution within the meaning of this Act.

The Minister may require any information useful for the purposes of this section.

For the purposes of section 44, anyone that may distribute electric power under this section is deemed to be a distributor. In addition, it is liable to the same fines as those set out in the first paragraph of section 116 if it distributes electric power without being authorized to do so or if it contravenes a condition set out in this section or determined by the Government."

*Adopte*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 72.2 (section 169 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)**

Insert after section 72.1, introduced by amendment:

**72.2.** Section 169 of the Act is amended by replacing the first paragraph by the following paragraph:

“Every year, the Régie shall report to the Minister on the evolution of the gasoline and diesel fuel retail markets, in particular the evolution of the different price components and the characteristics of the markets.”

*Adopté*  
*JB*

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**SECTION 74** (Schedule II to the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie)

Strike out "over \$25 million" in proposed paragraph 10.

*Adopté*  
*JB*

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**SECTION 111 (section 22 of the Hydro-Québec Act)**

Add the following sentence at the end of the first paragraph of proposed section 22: "In addition, it is responsible for proposing the electric component of that plan to the Minister."

*Adopte*  
*EB*

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**SECTION 111** (section 22.0.0.2 of the Hydro-Québec Act)

Replace proposed section 22.0.0.2 by:

**"22.0.0.2.** The Government shall determine, for the purposes of a rate review referred to in the first or third paragraph of section 48 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie (chapter R-6.01) and for each rate year covered by the rate review, for each class of consumers that the Government determines and for the portion of heritage pool electricity of that class that the Company indicates to the Government, the cost of heritage pool electricity that must be recovered in the electric power distribution rates fixed by the Régie from those classes of consumers.

To that end, the Government shall

(1) increase the heritage pool electricity supply cost referred to in subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph of section 52.2, excluding the cost applicable to the class of special contracts, for each of the years covered by the rate review,

(a) by the result obtained by multiplying the cost of such supply for the preceding year by the rate, which may not be less than zero, that corresponds to the average of the annual change of the overall average Québec consumer price index for each of the 12-month periods that ended on 31 March of each of the three years preceding the rate review; and

(b) by adding, to the result obtained in subparagraph a, a sum relating to an increase in the heritage pool electricity acquisition costs, where applicable; and

(2) take into account the evolution of the heritage pool electricity consumption attributed to each class of consumers, and the characteristics of those classes, including, with regard to each class, the portion of electricity consumed by the consumers of the class in relation to the total electricity they could consume, and the losses attributable to the transmission and distribution of the electricity."

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*DB*

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**SECTION 119 (section 39 of the Hydro-Québec Act)**

In proposed section 39:

1. Insert “shares of a legal person or interests in a partnership where that acquisition or holding enables the Company to have control of the legal person or partnership. The Company has control of a legal person or partnership where it acquires or holds” at the end of the introductory clause.
2. Replace “referred to in the second paragraph” and “the same powers as the Company in exercising its activities and benefits from all the rights of the Company” in the third paragraph by “whose acquisition or holding of shares or interests has been authorized by the Government” and “, in the exercise of its activities, the same powers as the Company has under this Act,”, respectively.

*Adopté*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 119.1 (Schedule I to the Hydro-Québec Act)**

*Adopté  
EB*

Insert after section 119:

**119.1.** Schedule I to the Act, amended by Régie de l'énergie decisions D-2025-033 dated 6 March 2025, D-2025-039 dated 18 March 2025 and D-2025-041 dated 24 March 2025 (2025, G.O. 2, 2542, French only), is again amended by replacing the particulars relating to Rates D, DP, DM and DT, the Additional Electricity Option – Photosynthesis or space heating to raise crops – Domestic rates, the Winter Credit Option – Rate D, Rates Flex D and DN, the Dual-Energy Domestic Rate – Inukjuak system, Price adjustments under the Dual-Energy Domestic Rate – Inukjuak system, the Dual-Energy Domestic Rate – Inukjuak system and the Credit for supply – Domestic rates by the following:

Rate	Description	Price
D	— System access charge per day	46.154¢
	— First 40 kWh per day	6.905¢
	— Remaining energy consumption	10.652¢
DP	— First 1,200 kWh per month	6.678¢
	— Remaining energy consumption	10.153¢
	— Demand charge – Summer period (> 50 kW)	\$5.213
	— Demand charge – Winter period (> 50 kW)	\$7.054
	— Minimum monthly bill – Single-phase	\$13.833
	— Minimum monthly bill – Three-phase	\$20.75
DM	— System access charge per day, times the multiplier	46.154¢
	— First 40 kWh per day, times the multiplier	6.905¢
	— Remaining energy consumption	10.652¢
	— Demand charge (> 50 kW or 4 kW × multiplier)	\$7.054

DT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— System access charge per day, times the multiplier</li> <li>— Energy price: Temperature <math>\geq -12</math> °C or <math>-15</math> °C</li> <li>— Energy price: Temperature <math>&lt; -12</math> °C or <math>-15</math> °C</li> <li>— Demand charge (<math>&gt; 50</math> kW or <math>4</math> kW <math>\times</math> multiplier)</li> </ul>	<p>46.154¢</p> <p>4.963¢</p> <p>29.018¢</p> <p>\$7.054</p>
Additional Electricity Option – Photosynthesis or space heating to raise crops – Domestic rates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Floor price (¢/kWh): Average 2nd-tier energy price at Rate M for 25-kV and 100% load factor</li> </ul>	<p>6.755¢</p>
Winter Credit Option – Rate D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Credit for energy curtailed (per kWh)</li> </ul>	<p>56.786¢</p>
Flex D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– System access charge per day</li> <li>Winter period: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– First 40 kWh per day outside peak demand events</li> <li>– Remaining energy consumption outside peak demand events</li> <li>– Energy consumption during peak demand events</li> </ul> </li> <li>Summer period: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– First 40 kWh per day</li> <li>– Remaining energy consumption</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>46.154¢</p> <p>4.774¢</p> <p>8.699¢</p> <p>45.088¢</p> <p>6.905¢</p> <p>10.652¢</p>
DN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— System access charge per day, times the multiplier</li> <li>— First 40 kWh per day, times the multiplier</li> <li>— Remaining energy consumption</li> <li>— Demand charge (<math>&gt; 50</math> kW or <math>4</math> kW <math>\times</math> multiplier)</li> </ul>	<p>46.154¢</p> <p>6.905¢</p> <p>47.054¢</p> <p>\$7.054</p>
Dual-Energy Domestic Rate – Inukjuak system	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— System access charge per day, times the multiplier</li> <li>— First 40 kWh per day, times the multiplier</li> <li>— Remaining energy consumption</li> </ul>	<p>46.154¢</p> <p>6.905¢</p> <p>20.567¢</p>



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**SECTION 125.1 (67 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125:

**CHAPTER IV.1**

**PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE PUBLICATION OF GASOLINE PRICES**

**PETROLEUM PRODUCTS ACT**

**125.1.** Section 67 of the Petroleum Products Act (chapter P-30.01) is amended by replacing "given zone" in the first paragraph, by "zone situated in a territory that the Government may determine by regulation".

*Adopté*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 125.2 (section 67 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.1, introduced by amendment:

**125.2.** The Act is amended by inserting the following after section 67:

**“CHAPTER V.1**

**“ACCESSIBILITY OF GASOLINE OR DIESEL FUEL SALE PRICES**

“**67.1.** The Régie de l'énergie shall make available to gasoline and diesel fuel merchants an online service through which they must make accessible, on a website that the Régie shall set up, the sale prices they charge consumers for gasoline or diesel fuel, for each of their establishments.

A merchant is not required to make accessible the prices referred to in the first paragraph for an establishment whose gasoline or diesel fuel sales are below 500,000 litres per year or that is situated north of the 55th parallel or on Île d'Anticosti. In addition, the first paragraph does not apply to any other merchant determined by government regulation.

For the purposes of the first paragraph, the Government may determine, by regulation, classes of gasoline or diesel fuel.”

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**SECTION 125.3 (heading of Chapter VIII of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.2, introduced by amendment:

**125.3.** The heading of Chapter VIII of the Act is amended by adding "AND INVESTIGATION" at the end.

*Adopted*  
*DBD*

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**SECTION 125.4 (section 87 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.3, introduced by amendment:

**125.4.** Section 87 of the Act is replaced by the following section:

“**87.** The Minister may, to ascertain compliance with this Act and the regulations, except section 67.1, designate any member of his personnel to make an inspection or authorize in writing any person other than a member of his personnel to make an inspection.

The chairman of the Régie may, to ascertain compliance with section 67.1 of this Act and with the regulations made for the purposes of that section, designate any person in writing to make an inspection or an investigation.”

*Adopté*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 125.5 (section 92 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.4, introduced by amendment:

**125.5.** Section 92 of the Act is amended by replacing "The inspector" in the first paragraph by "The Minister".

*Adopte  
DBO*

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**SECTION 125.6 (section 94 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.5, introduced by amendment:

**125.6.** Section 94 of the Act is amended by inserting "or an investigator" after "inspector".

*Adopte  
DBD*

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**SECTION 125.7 (section 95 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.6, introduced by amendment:

**125.7.** Section 95 of the Act is amended by inserting "or investigator" after "inspector".

*Adopté*  
*DB*

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**SECTION 125.8 (section 100 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.7, introduced by amendment:

**125.8.** The Act is amended by inserting the following section after section 99:

**"100.** Any merchant who contravenes the first paragraph of section 67.1 commits an offence and is liable to a fine of \$1,000 to \$2,000 in the case of a natural person and \$2,000 to \$4,000 in all other cases."

*Adopté  
JB*

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**SECTION 125.9 (section 116 of the Petroleum Products Act)**

Insert after section 125.8, introduced by amendment:

**125.9.** Section 116 of the Act is amended by replacing “of Natural Resources and Wildlife” by “of Economy, Innovation and Energy”.

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*ABO*

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**SECTION 125.10 (Chapter III.1 of the Petroleum Products Regulation)**

Insert after section 125.9, introduced by amendment:

**PETROLEUM PRODUCTS REGULATION**

**125.10.** The Petroleum Products Regulation (chapter P-30.01, r. 2) is amended by inserting the following chapter after section 23:

**"CHAPTER III.1**

**"GASOLINE AND DIESEL FUEL PRICES**

**"23.1.** The classes of gasoline or diesel fuel for which a price must be made accessible under section 67.1 of the Petroleum Products Act (chapter P-30.01) are those referred to in subdivisions 1, excluding premium gasoline referred to in section 1 of the Regulation respecting the integration of low-carbon-intensity fuel content into gasoline and diesel fuel (chapter P-30.01, r. 0.1), 2, 5 and 6 of Division I of Chapter II of this Regulation.

**"23.2.** The first paragraph of section 67.1 of the Petroleum Products Act (chapter P-30.01) does not apply to a merchant who operates

- (1) a marina;
- (2) an outfitting operation;
- (3) a snowmobile stop;
- (4) a cardlock facility where trucks on major highways fill up; or
- (5) a wholesale facility with an external reservoir."

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**SECTION 126**

Insert "the policy directions to be complied with and the objectives and targets to be achieved regarding energy and energy efficiency referred to in that section 14.2 are those established by Order in Council 537-2017 (2017, G.O. 2, 2884, French only), with the necessary modifications. Likewise," after "that first plan,".

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**SECTION 128**

Replace by:

**128.** Order in Council 464-2025 (2025, G.O. 2, 1388), is repealed.

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SECTION 129.1

Insert after section 129:

**129.1.** For the purposes of the first rate review referred to in paragraph 2 of section 129 of this Act,

(1) section 52.1.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 31 of this Act, is to be read as follows:

**“52.1.1.** When the Régie establishes the revenues required to ensure the operation of the electric power distribution system, it shall consider the compensation amounts granted for the purposes of section 128.1 of the Act to ensure the responsible governance of energy resources and to amend various legislative provisions (*insert the year and chapter number of that Act*).”;

(2) subparagraph 1 of the second paragraph of section 22.0.0.2 of the Hydro-Québec Act, enacted by section 111 of this Act, is to be read as follows:

“(1) increase, for each of the years covered by the rate review, the heritage pool electricity supply cost obtained by totalling the products of the consumption of the classes of consumers for which a cost is determined in Order in Council 75-2025 (2025, G.O. 2, 963, French only), amended by Order in Council 226-2025 (2025, G.O. 2, 1595, French only), expressed in kWh, and the cost determined, expressed in \$/kWh, excluding the cost applicable to the class of special contracts:

(a) by the result obtained by multiplying the cost of such supply of the preceding year by 2%;

(b) by adding, to the result obtained in subparagraph a, a sum relating to an increase in heritage pool electricity acquisition costs, where applicable;”.

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**SECTION 130**

1. Replace "29" in the introductory clause by "27".
2. Insert after paragraph 1:

(1.1) one or more electric power distribution rates or conditions of service applicable from 1 April 2026 to large-power consumers in such a manner as to encourage those consumers to adequately assess their power needs and allow Hydro-Québec to reduce the available power authorized for their consumption where part of that power is unused;

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**SECTION 131**

Replace by:

**131.** Not later than 15 September 2025, the Régie de l'énergie fixes the rates and conditions of service of Énergir, s.e.c., applicable from the rate year beginning on 1 October 2025, in accordance with subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph of section 48.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 27 of this Act.

However, the period referred to in the first paragraph of that section 48.1 may, at the request of Énergir, s.e.c., be for a duration of two years; references in that section 48.1 to a period of three rate years and to the last two rate years are then to be read as references to a period of two rate years and to the last rate year, respectively.

*Adopté*  
*OB*

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**SECTION 131.1**

Insert after section 131:

**131.1.** Not later than 15 December 2027, the Régie de l'énergie fixes the rates and conditions of service of Enbridge Gaz Québec, applicable from the rate year beginning on 1 January 2028, in accordance with the first paragraph of section 48.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 27 of this Act.

*Adopté  
DB*

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**SECTION 131.2**

Insert after section 131.1, introduced by amendment:

**131.2.** For the purposes of section 52.3 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 35 of this Act, the Régie de l'énergie does not consider the surpluses or losses of revenue accumulated by Hydro-Québec in the case of its electric power distribution system during a rate year prior to the rate year beginning on 1 April 2026.

*Adopté*  
*LB*

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**SECTION 135**

Replace paragraphs 1 to 3 by:

- (1) in the case of Hydro-Québec, not later than 1 November 2026;
- (2) in the case of Énergir, s.e.c. and Enbridge Gaz Québec, not later than 1 April 2027.

*Adopté*  
*ABD*

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**SECTION 136**

Replace "of subparagraph 1" by "of subparagraph a of subparagraph 2".

*Adopted  
DB*

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**SECTION 137**

Withdraw.

*Adopte  
DBO*

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**SECTION 138**

Replace "a supply of electric power produced from an immovable acquired, constructed or leased under subparagraph 1 of the second paragraph of section 29 of the Hydro-Québec Act" in the second paragraph by "intended for meeting the electric power needs of Québec markets in excess of the heritage pool".

*Adopté*  
*EB*

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**SECTION 139.1**

Insert after section 139:

**139.1.** The obligations to issue a call for tenders and the other special conditions set out in the Regulation respecting a 300-megawatt block of photovoltaic solar energy (2024, G.O 2, 3561) are deemed to be determined by the Government for the purposes of the second paragraph of section 74.2 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 45 of this Act. The first and second paragraphs of section 74.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, as they read on (*insert the date preceding the date of assent to this Act*), apply with regard to a call for tenders referred to in section 2 of that Regulation.

The economic, social and environmental concerns referred to in Order in Council 1377-2024 (2024, G.O. 2, 5933, French only) are also deemed to be special conditions determined by the Government for the purposes of the second paragraph of that section 74.2, with the necessary modifications.

*Adopté*  
*SB*

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**SECTION 140**

Replace "Decision D-2023-064" by "Decisions D-2023-036 and D-2023-064".

*Adopte  
DB*

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**SECTION 145**

Replace "March" by "December".

*Adopte*  
*EB*

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**SECTION 147**

Replace the first paragraph by the following paragraph:

**147.** Until the date of coming into force of the first regulation made under subparagraph 2.2 of the first paragraph of section 112 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 68 of this Act, a holder of exclusive electric power distribution rights is not required to obtain the authorization of the Minister of Economy, Innovation and Energy in the cases referred to in the second paragraph of section 76 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted by section 48 of this Act, where the holder entered into with the person requesting the power, before 2 December 2022, an agreement that provides for a financial commitment from the latter.

*Adopté*  
*ABO*

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**SECTION 151**

Replace paragraph 2 by:

(2) section 31 of the Act respecting the environmental performance of buildings (chapter P-9.02).

*Adopte  
DB*

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**SECTION 153**

Withdraw.

*Adopte*  
*BB*

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**SECTION 154**

Replace by:

**154.** The provisions of subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph of section 25, section 48.1 and the fifth paragraph of section 49 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, enacted respectively by paragraph 1 of section 20, section 27 and paragraph 3 of section 28 of this Act, take effect on 1 January 2027 with respect to Enbridge Gaz Québec, to the extent that those provisions concern the fixing of its rates or conditions of service referred to in section 131.1. Until that date, subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph of section 25 and section 48 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, as they read on (*insert the date preceding the date of assent to this Act*), apply to the fixing of Enbridge Gaz Québec's rates and conditions of service for the distribution of natural gas.

*Adopté*  
*EB*

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**SECTION 156.1**

Insert after section 156:

**156.1.** Until 31 March 2026, the second paragraph of section 9 of the Act respecting the Coopérative régionale d'électricité de Saint-Jean-Baptiste de Rouville and repealing the Act to promote rural electrification by means of electricity cooperatives (1986, chapter 21), amended by section 145 of chapter 61 of the statutes of 1996, is to be read as follows:

“The rates and conditions shall be fixed for each class of consumers and shall in no case entail, for any class, a cost higher than that resulting from the rate set out in Schedule I to the Hydro-Québec Act (chapter H-5) for electricity supplied by Hydro-Québec for an equivalent class of consumers.”

*Adopté*  
*SB*

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**SECTION 156.2**

Insert after section 156.1, introduced by amendment:

**156.2.** The Régie de l'énergie cannot make a decision with regard to Rates D, DP, DM and DT, the Additional electricity Option–Photosynthesis or Space Heating to Raise Crops–Domestic Rates, the Winter Credit Option–Rate D, Rates Flex D and DN, the Dual-Energy Domestic Rate–Inukjuak system, price adjustments under the Dual-Energy Domestic Rate–Inukjuak system, the Dual-Energy Domestic Rate – Inukjuak system and the Credit for supply – Domestic rates that has the effect of modifying, for Hydro-Québec's rate year beginning on 1 April 2025, the prices of those rates that are set out in Schedule I to the Hydro-Québec Act, as amended by section 119.1 of this Act.

*Adopte*  
*AB*

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**SECTION 156.3**

Insert after section 156.2, introduced by amendment:

**156.3.** Sections 119.1 and 156.1 of this Act have effect from 1 April 2025.

*Adopte  
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**SECTION 157**

Replace paragraphs 1 to 3 by:

(1) those of sections 75, 89, 91, 110, 125.2 to 125.4, 125.6 to 125.8 and 125.10, which come into force on 1 April 2026;

(2) those of section 43, subparagraph *b* of paragraph 2 of section 44, section 46, section 58 to the extent that it enacts section 85.1.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, subparagraph *c* of paragraph 1 of section 70 to the extent that that subparagraph enacts subparagraphs 7 and 8 of the first paragraph of section 114 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, subparagraph *b* of paragraph 2 of section 71, subparagraph *e* of paragraph 2 of that section to the extent that that subparagraph enacts subparagraph 7 of the second paragraph of section 116 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie and that that subparagraph 7 concerns section 85.1.1 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, and paragraph 2 of section 74, which come into force on the date of coming into force of the first regulation made under subparagraph 7 of the first paragraph of section 114 of the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie, amended by section 70 of this Act;

*Adopté*  
*DB*