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# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF QUÉBEC

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SECOND SESSION

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

## **Order Paper and Notices**

**of the Assembly**

**Thursday, 19 March 2026 — No. 45**

*Nine forty a.m.*

**President of the National Assembly:  
Madam Nathalie Roy**

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Part 1

**ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS**

**STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS**

- The Member for Masson on the following subject: *Tribute to Ms. Josée Allaire.*
- The Member for Notre-Dame-de-Grâce on the following subject: *Québec and international cooperation.*
- The Member for Beauce-Nord on the following subject: *Underline the 30th anniversary of the Association d'entraide communautaire La Fontaine.*
- The Member for Taschereau on the following subject: *Le communautaire à boutte's two-week strike.*
- The Member for Laval-des-Rapides on the following subject: *Medal from the Member of the National Assembly for Loisirs Renaud-Coursol.*
- The Member for La Pinière on the following subject: *Underline the work of the Table de concertation de Brossard.*
- The Member for Granby on the following subject: *The Centre d'action bénévole de Granby celebrates its 60th anniversary!*
- The Member for Arthabaska on the following subject: *Relay for Life in L'Érable: 20 years of hope.*
- The Member for Soulanges on the following subject: *The 15th edition of Saint Patrick's Parade in Hudson.*
- The Member for René-Lévesque on the following subject: *Urban fishing and civic engagement in Baie-Comeau: the contribution of Mr. Dominick Cuerrier.*
- The Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière on the following subject: *Tribute to Mr. Yves Lavoie.*

**STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS**

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

- PRESENTING**
- (a) Papers**
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**ORAL ANSWERS TO PETITIONS**

**COMPLAINTS OF BREACH OF PRIVILEGE OR CONTEMPT AND  
PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS**

**ORAL QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**DEFERRED DIVISIONS**

Motion moved by the Official Opposition House Leader under Standing Order 97:

THAT the National Assembly acknowledge that the CAQ government's mismanagement of public finances since 2018, marked by numerous cases of wasteful spending of public funds and a significant increase in debt, has not led to a noticeable improvement in access to public services for Quebecers.

**MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE**

**NOTICES OF PROCEEDINGS IN COMMITTEES**

**INFORMATION ON THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY**

Part 2

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

**BUSINESS HAVING PRECEDENCE**

- (1) Debate on the motion by the Minister of Finance, –That this Assembly approve the budgetary policy of the Government.
- (2) Estimates of Expenditure for the fiscal year ending 31 March 2027 tabled by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and State Efficiency and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on **18 March 2026** and referred to a Committee of the Whole for concurrence in one quarter of the said Estimates.

**URGENT DEBATES**

**DEBATES ON REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES**

**OTHER BUSINESS**

**I. Government Bills**

*Passage in Principle*

- (3) Bill 1  
Québec Constitution Act, 2025  
Introduced by the Minister of Justice and Minister Responsible for Canadian Relations on 9 October 2025  
Report from the Committee on Institutions (consultations) tabled on 24 February 2026  
Resuming the debate, adjourned in the name of the Member for Acadie on **18 March 2026**, on the hoist motion by the Member for Mille-Îles, –THAT the motion under debate be amended by striking out the word “now” and by adding at the end thereof the words “12 weeks hence”
- (4) Bill 8  
An Act concerning the coming into force of the Act to give greater consideration to the needs of the population in the event of a strike or a lock-out  
Introduced by the Minister of Labour on **12 November 2025**

- (5) Bill 10  
An Act to protect consumers against abusive practices in ticket reselling and online subscription renewal  
Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 2 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (consultations) tabled on **26 February 2026**
- (6) Bill 17  
An Act mainly to amend the Act respecting natural gas storage and natural gas and oil pipelines in order to provide a framework for underground reservoirs and certain pipelines  
Introduced by the Minister for the Economy and Small and Medium Enterprises on **5 February 2026**
- (7) Bill 20  
An Act to enact the Act to facilitate access to housing and amending various provisions with respect to housing  
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Housing on **11 February 2026**
- (8) Bill 25  
An Act to increase public trust in the justice system by modernizing judicial ethics and to implement certain recommendations of the committee on the remuneration of judges and justices of the peace for the 2023–2027 period  
Introduced by the Minister of Justice on **18 March 2026**

*Committee Stage*

- (9) Bill 5  
An Act to accelerate the granting of the authorizations required to carry out priority national-scale projects  
Introduced by the Minister of Finance on 9 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Public Finance (consultations) tabled on 12 February 2026  
Passed in principle on **17 February 2026**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

- (10) Bill 7  
An Act to reduce bureaucracy, increase state efficiency and reinforce the accountability of senior public servants  
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and State Efficiency and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on 5 November 2025  
Report from the Committee on Public Finance (consultations) tabled on 3 December 2025  
Passed in principle on **4 December 2025**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Public Finance
- (11) Bill 11  
An Act to amend various provisions for the main purpose of reducing regulatory and administrative burden  
Introduced by the Minister for the Economy and Small and Medium Enterprises on 4 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy (consultations) tabled on 10 February 2026  
Passed in principle on **17 February 2026**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Labour and the Economy
- (12) Bill 12  
An Act to establish the provision of educational childcare by recognized persons responsible for a community educational childcare service  
Introduced by the Minister of Families on 11 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Citizen Relations (consultations) tabled on 17 February 2026  
Passed in principle on **18 February 2026**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Citizen Relations
- (13) Bill 13  
An Act to promote the population's safety and sense of security and to amend various provisions  
Introduced by the Minister of Public Security on 10 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain (consultations) tabled on 5 February 2026  
Passed in principle on **10 February 2026**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

- (14) Bill 15  
An Act to amend the Professional Code and other provisions mainly to streamline the regulatory processes of the professional system and broaden certain professional practices in the field of health and social services  
Introduced by the Minister of Labour on 12 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (consultations) tabled on 12 February 2026  
Passed in principle on **19 February 2026**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Health and Social Services
- (15) Bill 106  
An Act mainly to establish the collective responsibility and the accountability of physicians with respect to improvement of access to medical services  
Introduced by the Minister of Health on 8 May 2025  
Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (consultations) tabled on 30 May 2025  
Passed in principle on **3 June 2025**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Health and Social Services

*Report Stage*

- (16) Bill 3  
An Act to improve the transparency, governance and democratic process of various associations in the workplace  
Introduced by the Minister of Labour on 30 October 2025  
Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy (consultations) tabled on 2 December 2025  
Passed in principle on 4 December 2025  
Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy tabled on **26 February 2026** (amend. handed in under Standing Order 252)
- (17) Bill 9  
An Act respecting the reinforcement of laicity in Québec  
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Laicity on 27 November 2025  
Report from the Committee on Citizen Relations (consultations) tabled on 10 February 2026  
Passed in principle on 12 February 2026  
Report from the Committee on Citizen Relations tabled on **17 March 2026**

*Passage*

**II. Private Members' Public Bills**

*Passage in Principle*

- (18) Bill 190  
An Act respecting the establishment in the workplace of parity committees for a just transition towards an environmentally sustainable economy  
Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **8 October 2025**
- (19) Bill 192  
An Act to ensure student health and safety in the classroom by regulating ambient air quality in schools  
Introduced by the Member for Saint-Laurent on **7 December 2022**
- (20) Bill 193  
An Act to amend the Charter of human rights and freedoms to recognize the right to a healthful environment as a fundamental right  
Introduced by the Member for Notre-Dame-de-Grâce on **1 February 2023**
- (21) Bill 195  
An Act limiting the use of personnel placement agencies' services and independent labour in the educational childcare sector  
Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **3 December 2025**
- (22) Bill 196  
An Act to amend the Educational Childcare Act to guarantee the right to receive childcare services  
Introduced by the Member for Robert-Baldwin on **14 March 2023**
- (23) Bill 197  
An Act to improve the quality of care through the setting of ratios in certain institutions governed by the Act respecting health services and social services  
Introduced by the Member for Pontiac on **6 December 2022**
- (24) Bill 198  
An Act to proclaim National Homelessness Awareness Day  
Introduced by the Member for D'Arcy-McGee on **9 October 2025**

- (25) Bill 199  
An Act to establish a new electoral system  
Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **12 November 2025**
- (26) Bill 390  
An Act to promote taking gender equality and diversity in an intersectional perspective into account in the budgetary process  
Introduced by the Member for Mercier on **21 March 2023**
- (27) Bill 391  
An Act to amend the Education Act to enshrine the right to free special school projects offered in schools providing preschool or elementary and secondary education and to limit the distance between immovables of a school with a special project  
Introduced by the Member for Saint-Laurent on **16 March 2023**
- (28) Bill 392  
An Act to combat food waste  
Introduced by the Member for Verdun on **25 February 2026**
- (29) Bill 393  
An Act to amend the Auditor General Act as regards the Auditor General's appointment  
Introduced by the Member for Mont-Royal–Outremont on **26 November 2025**
- (30) Bill 394  
An Act respecting the implementation of study-family-work balance policies in particular in higher education institutions  
Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **5 December 2023**
- (31) Bill 395  
An Act to amend the Act respecting the Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec and other legislative provisions concerning rights granted on a vehicle  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **4 December 2025**
- (32) Bill 396  
An Act to amend the Act to reduce the debt and establish the Generations Fund to provide for the achievement of a capitalization of one hundred billion dollars  
Introduced by the Member for Marguerite-Bourgeoys on **16 March 2023**

- (33) Bill 397  
An Act to prevent and fight sexual violence in educational institutions that provide preschool education services, elementary school instructional services or secondary school instructional services in general or vocational education, including adult education services  
Introduced by the Member for Mercier on **27 April 2023**
- (34) Bill 398  
An Act to amend the Education Act to enshrine the right of handicapped students and students with social maladjustments or learning disabilities to receive educational services equivalent to those provided by the school  
Introduced by the Member for Westmount–Saint-Louis on **20 April 2023**
- (35) Bill 399  
An Act to amend the Act respecting the Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec to require the Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec to make and to report on investments with sustainable social and environmental impacts  
Introduced by the Member for Maurice-Richard on **27 April 2023**
- (36) Bill 490  
An Act to reinforce the qualified majority required for the appointment and removal of persons appointed by the National Assembly  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **18 April 2023**
- (37) Bill 491  
An Act amending the Public Infrastructure Act to submit projects included in the Québec infrastructure plan to a climate test  
Introduced by the Member for Taschereau on **14 September 2023**
- (38) Bill 492  
An Act to amend certain regulatory provisions in order to promote the protection of professional contestants in combat sports  
Introduced by the Member for Marquette on **2 December 2025**
- (39) Bill 493  
An Act to amend the Québec Immigration Act to take temporary residents into account for immigration planning purposes  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **10 May 2023**

- (40) Bill 494  
An Act to amend the Civil Code to render without effect the clauses of a lease of a dwelling tending to prohibit companion animals  
Introduced by the Member for Laurier-Dorion on **25 May 2023**
- (41) Bill 495  
An Act to amend the Act respecting the governance of the health and social services system to guarantee access to subsidies granted to community organizations for organizations with a social economy project  
Introduced by the Member for Laporte on **10 December 2025**
- (42) Bill 497  
An Act to ensure air quality  
Introduced by the Member for Îles-de-la-Madeleine on **25 February 2026**
- (43) Bill 498  
An Act to remove obstacles to efficiency in the health system  
Introduced by the Member for Saint-Jérôme on **17 February 2026**
- (44) Bill 591  
An Act mainly to reinforce Members' oversight of government action by recognizing their right to visit administrative institutions  
Introduced by the Member for Sherbrooke on **21 March 2024**
- (45) Bill 592  
An Act to enact the Act respecting the regionalization of immigration in order to establish regional immigration panels and to affirm the role of the regions in the reception and integration of immigrants  
Introduced by the Member for Rimouski on **26 February 2026**
- (46) Bill 593  
An Act to amend the Civil Code to prohibit evictions carried out with a view to converting a dwelling into short-term tourist accommodation  
Introduced by the Member for Mille-Îles on **4 October 2023**
- (47) Bill 597  
An Act to amend the Environment Quality Act to establish a right of citizen initiative in environmental matters and reinforce the powers and independence of the Bureau d'audiences publiques sur l'environnement  
Introduced by the Member for Matane-Matapédia on **1 February 2024**

- (48) Bill 693  
An Act to foster the active contribution to society of recipients under the Social Solidarity Program  
Introduced by the Member for Notre-Dame-de-Grâce on **22 February 2024**
- (49) Bill 694  
An Act to amend the Highway Safety Code to more effectively fight drinking and driving  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **19 March 2024**
- (50) Bill 695  
Parliamentary Budget Officer Act  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **14 March 2024**
- (51) Bill 697  
An Act to combat waste  
Introduced by the Member for Îles-de-la-Madeleine on **23 April 2024**
- (52) Bill 699  
An Act to amend the Charter of human rights and freedoms to enshrine the right to decent housing  
Introduced by the Member for Laurier-Dorion on **4 June 2024**
- (53) Bill 790  
An Act to extend to users sheltered in a continuous assistance residence the application of the Regulation respecting the terms governing the use of monitoring mechanisms by a user sheltered in a facility maintained by an institution operating a residential and long-term care centre  
Introduced by the Member for D'Arcy-McGee on **22 May 2024**
- (54) Bill 792  
An Act to enhance the presence of the flag of Québec  
Introduced by the Member for Matane-Matapédia on **30 May 2024**
- (55) Bill 793  
An Act respecting the process for publishing the documents from the inquiry conducted by Bernard Grenier concerning the activities of Option Canada in the referendum held in Québec in October 1995  
Introduced by the Member for Matane-Matapédia on **27 November 2024**

- (56) Bill 794  
An Act to declare Québec's commitment to achieve net-zero emissions by 2050  
Introduced by the Member for Verdun on **7 November 2024**
- (57) Bill 893  
An Act respecting maintaining seniors' autonomy  
Introduced by the Member for Îles-de-la-Madeleine on **3 December 2024**
- (58) Bill 894  
An Act to extend health insurance plan and basic prescription drug insurance plan eligibility to all women or persons who are pregnant and living in Québec regardless of their migratory status  
Introduced by the Member for Saint-Henri–Sainte-Anne on **4 December 2024**
- (59) Bill 895  
An Act to establish a common school network to guarantee equal opportunities  
Introduced by the Member for Mercier on **20 February 2025**
- (60) Bill 896  
An Act to indemnify local municipalities when land intended for building or enlarging schools is transferred  
Introduced by the Member for Sherbrooke on **13 February 2025**
- (61) Bill 897  
An Act to amend the Highway Safety Code to provide for the mandatory issue of notices of payment to owners of registered road vehicles and to holders of certain licences  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **19 March 2025**
- (62) Bill 898  
An Act to reinforce the regulation of rent increases for a lease of a dwelling  
Introduced by the Member for Laurier-Dorion on **3 April 2025**
- (63) Bill 899  
An Act to amend the Highway Safety Code to require the Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec to enter into agreements with government departments or bodies for the application of certain Acts  
Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **3 April 2025**

- (64) Bill 990  
An Act to amend the Act respecting labour standards in order to regulate telework  
Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **1 May 2025**
- (65) Bill 991  
An Act respecting the procedure for selecting, appointing and reappointing independent administrative decision-makers  
Introduced by the Member for Acadie on **27 May 2025**
- (66) Bill 992  
An Act to create a committee responsible for making recommendations concerning the criteria for the fixing or adjustment of rent  
Introduced by the Member for Mille-Îles on **24 April 2025**
- (67) Bill 993  
An Act to amend the Labour Code to ensure transparent and democratic union practices  
Introduced by the Member for Saint-Jérôme on **30 April 2025**
- (68) Bill 994  
An Act to foster sexual and reproductive health through improved access to contraception  
Introduced by the Member for Mercier on **7 May 2025**
- (69) Bill 995  
An Act to establish a framework for monitoring and regulating forever chemicals  
Introduced by the Member for Mille-Îles on **22 May 2025**

*Committee Stage*

- (70) Bill 194  
An Act to establish a presumption of consent to organ or tissue donation after death  
Introduced by the Member for Pontiac on 26 April 2023  
Passed in principle on **9 June 2023**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Health and Social Services

- (71) Bill 496  
An Act to recognize the white admiral as the emblematic insect of Québec  
Introduced by the Member for Argenteuil on 9 June 2023  
Passed in principle on **24 February 2026**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

*Report Stage*

*Passage*

### **III. Private Bills**

- (72) Bill 201  
An Act respecting the Monastère des Ursulines de Québec  
Introduced by the Member for Taschereau on **13 November 2025**

*Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration*

- (73) Bill 200  
An Act respecting Le Country Club de Montréal  
Introduced by the Member for Laporte on **13 November 2025**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

- (74) Bill 203  
An Act to grant certain temporary powers to Ville de Rivière-du-Loup  
Introduced by the Member for Matane-Matapédia on **9 December 2025**, and  
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

*Passage in Principle*

*Passage*

### **IV. Government Motions**

### **V. Estimates of Expenditure**

### **VI. Statutory Debates**

## **BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION**

Part 3

**BILLS PASSED**

*(Bills awaiting Royal Assent)*

## Part 4

### PROCEEDINGS IN COMMITTEES

*The detailed calendar of the proceedings of each committee is available on the Internet site of the Assembly*

#### COMMITTEE ON THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

#### COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

#### **Orders in compliance with the Standing Orders**

- Hearing of the Ministère de l'Éducation du Québec, the Centre de services scolaire de l'Énergie, the Centre de services scolaire de l'Or-et-des-Bois, the Centre de services scolaire du Fer, the Central Québec School Board and the New Frontiers School Board on Chapter 4 of the Auditor General's November 2024 report entitled "Réussite éducative des élèves autochtones" (Educational success of Indigenous students).
- Hearing of the Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs and the Ministère des Transports et de la Mobilité durable on Chapter 4 of the Sustainable Development Commissioner's April 2024 report entitled "Fonds d'électrification et de changements climatiques" (Electrification and Climate Change Fund);

#### COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

#### COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

#### **Orders of reference**

##### Special Consultations:

- **Bill 20**, An Act to enact the Act to facilitate access to housing and amending various provisions with respect to housing (Order of reference given on 18 March 2026).

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 13**, An Act to promote the population’s safety and sense of security and to amend various provisions (Order of reference given on 10 February 2026).
- **Bill 203**, An Act to grant certain temporary powers to Ville de Rivière-du-Loup (Order of reference given on 9 December 2025).

[COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION](#)

**Orders of reference**

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 496**, An Act to recognize the white admiral as the emblematic insect of Québec (Order of reference given on 24 February 2026).

[COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND THE ECONOMY](#)

**Orders of reference**

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 11**, An Act to amend various provisions for the main purpose of reducing regulatory and administrative burden (Order of reference given on 17 February 2026).

[COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE](#)

**Orders of reference**

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 5**, An Act to accelerate the granting of the authorizations required to carry out priority national-scale projects (Order of reference given on 17 February 2026).
- **Bill 7**, An Act to reduce bureaucracy, increase state efficiency and reinforce the accountability of senior public servants (Order of reference given on 4 December 2025).
- **Bill 200**, An Act respecting Le Country Club de Montréal (Order of reference given on 13 November 2025).

## COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS

## COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS

### Orders of reference

#### Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 12**, An Act to establish the provision of educational childcare by recognized persons responsible for a community educational childcare service (Order of reference given on 18 February 2026).

### Orders pursuant to the Standing Orders

#### Interpellation:

- By the Member for La Pinière to the Minister Responsible for Seniors and Informal Caregivers on the following subject: *Long-term negligence: a symbol of the CAQ's failure regarding seniors* (notice given on 26 February 2026).

## COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

### Orders of reference

#### Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 15**, An Act to amend the Professional Code and other provisions mainly to streamline the regulatory processes of the professional system and broaden certain professional practices in the field of health and social services (Order of reference given on 19 February 2026).
- **Bill 106**, An Act mainly to establish the collective responsibility and the accountability of physicians with respect to improvement of access to medical services (Order of reference given on 1 October 2025).
- **Bill 194**, An Act to establish a presumption of consent to organ or tissue donation after death (Order of reference given on 1 October 2025).

## COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Part 5

**WRITTEN QUESTIONS**

*Questions already placed* on the Order Paper  
*are published each Wednesday*

Part 6  
NOTICES

**I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN**

**Government Bills**

**Private Members' Public Bills**

**Private Bills**

**II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME**

- (aa)** An Act mainly to provide better support to persons whose mental state could present a risk for their own safety or that of others – *Minister Responsible for Social Services*
- (bb)** An Act respecting Ville de Gatineau – *Member for Chapleau*
- (cc)** Interpellation by the Member for Taschereau to the Minister Responsible for Social Solidarity and Community Action on the following subject: *The community sector at the end of its rope: conditions are inadequate to meet the needs of the population.*