

Amendments to the Annual Declarations System for Enterprises in the Province of Québec

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Some important changes to the *Act respecting the legal publicity of sole proprietorships, partnerships and legal persons* (the “**Act**”) took place effective January 1st, 2006. The Act generally applies to all legal persons, partnerships and individuals carrying on an activity in the Province of Québec and requires those entities to register with the Enterprise registrar. The Act and the *Regulation respecting the application of the Act respecting the legal publicity of sole proprietorships, partnerships and legal persons* (the “**Regulation**”) have been amended and such amendments shall affect all registrants subject to the Act (collectively the “**Registrants**” or individually a “**Registrant**”).