DECLARATION OF SERVICES TO CITIZENS

MINISTÈRE DE L'IMMIGRATION ET DES COMMUNAUTÉS CULTURELLES

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PEOPLE AT YOUR SERVICE

The commitments contained in this declaration of services attest to our determination and pride in offering you personalized services day after day.

Employees of the Ministère de l'Immigration et des Communautés culturelles

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OUR VISION

To contribute to the development and prosperity of Québec by helping immigrants and Québecers from cultural communities participate fully in Québec society and by fostering harmonious intercultural relations.

OUR MISSION

- To promote immigration to Québec, to select immigrants and facilitate the linguistic, social and economic integration of newcomers into Québec society.
- To foster a society open to pluralism and conducive to intercultural rapprochement.

A DECLARATION OF SERVICES FOR YOU

- Immigration candidates who have filed an application
- Candidates selected abroad or already in Québec
- Sponsored persons and sponsors
- Newcomers
- Employers and institutions
- Organizations in cultural communities
- People seeking information on the mission and services of the department

OUR PRINCIPAL SERVICES

Immigration ____

- Preliminary immigration evaluation to learn your chances of being selected by Québec on line
- Information on the different immigration programs
- Information seminars on Québec held abroad registration on line
- Referral to French-language instruction abroad
- Processing an application
 - for permanent or temporary immigration
 - for a family or group sponsorship undertaking
 - for an assured or temporary job offer

and issuing a Québec selection certificate (Certificat de sélection du Québec - CSQ) or Québec acceptance certificate (Certificat d'acceptation du Québec - CAQ)

- Assistance during prospecting trips and organization of seminars for business immigrants
- Support to employers for recruiting abroad (missions, organization of meetings and targeted mailings)

Integration of immigrants ____

- Welcome, information, personalized integration support services and referral to partners to settle new arrivals in their living environment
- Comparative evaluation of studies done outside Québec

Francization _

- French courses offered on a full-time, part-time and customized basis in teaching institutions, community organizations and businesses
- Financial assistance for students
- French exercise database on line

Intercultural relations _____

- Awareness-raising, training, networking and advice to employers on intercultural relations and the management of diversity
- Information, liaison and support to cultural community organizations

OUR VALUES

We are guided by ethics in our actions and the services that we offer you. Our fundamental values are:

Competence, equity, integrity, loyalty, openness, respect and the sense of service

To serve you in the best possible way, we count in return on your courtesy and respectful attitude.

OUR COMMITMENTS

Courtesy _____

- We identify ourselves, greet you courteously and listen to you attentively.
- We refer you, where applicable, to the person or organization best able to respond to your request.

Accessibility

- We offer you toll-free telephone service throughout Québec.
- We provide easy access to our offices and take the necessary measures to adapt our service to the needs of handicapped persons.
- We place at your disposal, in our offices and on our Web site, the information you need to make decisions, exercise your rights and assume your responsibilities.

Promptitude

- We offer you, in addition to the voice messaging service, the opportunity to speak to a member of our staff when you call us during business hours.
- We respect your appointment time.
- We give appropriate follow-up to all communications from you.

Simplicity_____

We use simple, clear and precise language in our verbal and written communication.

Transparency_____

- We make public the rules and procedures governing our decisions.
- We explain to you the decision reached concerning your . application.
- We inform you about different appeals possible when our decision is unfavorable to you.

Confidentiality_____

- We ascertain your identity or that of your appointed representative before providing information about you.
- We guarantee the confidential nature of your proceedings and of the information concerning you, in compliance with legislation.

Services that meet your needs _____

- We consult you periodically on your expectations and satisfaction with our services.
- We are anxious to improve our services and adapt our operating methods to better meet your needs.
- We inform you, on our Web site, about new services and commitments.

OUR RESPONSE AND PROCESSING TIMES

We provide your service as quickly as possible and process your file when it is complete and the required fees are paid.

Our processing times are calculated in **business days**.

We rely on you to help us meet these deadlines by providing us with accurate information and the required documents.

We rely on you to notify us of your change of address or any other change that could alter your application.

Request for information _____

- Telephone ✓ 3 minutes
- E-mail and postal mail 10 days, or you will be sent an acknowledgement of receipt indicating the answer time

Immigration

- Application for permanent immigration (skilled workers and business immigrants)
 - 30 days (acknowledgment of receipt) \checkmark
 - 90 days (decision on an incomplete application, after receipt of requested documents)
- Application for a sponsorship undertaking

Family

- 20 days (without financial evaluation)
 40 days (with financial evaluation)

Group

- ✓ 5 days (with framework agreement)
 ✓ 10 days (without framework agreement)
- Validation of a job offer
 - ✓ 5 days (temporary job offer)
 - 10 days (assured job offer)
 - ✓ 65 days (selection of a candidate with an assured job offer)

Integration of immigrants _____

- Welcome at Montréal-Trudeau airport
 - ✓ Access daily from 11 a.m. to midnight
- First reception interview in Québec ✓ 5 days
- Information session on the social and economic realities of Québec
 - ✓ 10 days

- Comparative evaluation of studies done outside Québec
 45 days
- Support in approaching a professional order or other regulatory organization
 20 down (1st intension)
 - ✓ 20 days (1st interview)

Francization_

- Full-time French course
 - ✓ 20 days (notice of eligibility)
 - ✓ 65 days (start of course, from date of eligibility)

WE VALUE YOUR COMMENTS

If you have **comments**, **suggestions** or a **complaint**, do not hesitate to contact us.

- 514 873-3533 or 1 800 771-0464
- 🕾 514 873-6399 fax
- @ gualite@micc.gouv.gc.ca
- Bureau de l'amélioration de la qualité Ministère de l'Immigration et des Communautés culturelles 360, rue McGill, ground floor Montréal (Québec) H2Y 2E9

Time to handle a complain

✓ 5 business days

TO REACH US

To request information_

- 514 864-9191 for the Montréal region
- 1 877 864-9191 elsewhere in Québec
- @ renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca

Telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) and hearing impaired 514 864-8158 for the Montréal region

1 866 227-5968 elsewhere in Québec

Hours: Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (except Wednesday from 10:30 a.m.

Information capsules ____

- 514 864-9292 for the Montréal region
- 1 866 864-9292 elsewhere in Québec
- (\$ 7 days a week, 24 hours a day (French, English and Spanish)

Immigration-Québec services _____

Montréal Region

North

- 514 864-9191
- 🕾 514 864-9775 fax
- renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 255, boulevard Crémazie Est, 8º étage, bureau 8.01
 Montréal (Québec) H2M 1M2

South

- 🖀 514 864-9191
- 🕾 514 864-9748 fax
- @ renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca 800, boulevard De Maisonneuve Est, rez-de-chaussée Montréal (Québec) H2L 4L8

East

- 514 864-9191
- 🕾 514 321-6656 fax
- renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 8000, boulevard Langelier, bureau 602
 Saint-Léonard (Québec) H1P 3K2

West

- **2** 514 864-9191
- 🕾 514 426-1060 fax
- @ renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca 181, boulevard Hymus, bureau 204 Pointe-Claire (Québec) H9R 5P4

Abitibi-Témiscamingue*

- 819 763-3120 or 1 866 284-2231
- 🕾 819 763-3121 fax
- @ direction.outaouais@micc.gouv.qc.ca 255, avenue Principale, rez-de-chaussée, bureau 04B Rouyn-Noranda (Québec) J9X 7G9

Capitale-Nationale and Est-du-Québec

- **118 643-1435 or 1 888 643-1435**
- 🕾 418 646-0783 fax
- @ direction.Québec@micc.gouv.qc.ca 930, chemin Sainte-Foy, rez-de-chaussée Québec (Québec) G1S 2L4

Estrie

- 819 820-3606 or 1 888 879-4288
- 🕾 819 820-3213 fax
- @ direction.estrie@micc.gouv.qc.ca 202, rue Wellington Nord Sherbrooke (Québec) J1H 5C6

Laval, Laurentides and Lanaudière

- 250 972-3225 or 1 800 375-7426
- 450 972-3250 fax
- direction.drlll@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 705, chemin du Trait-Carré, rez-de-chaussée
 Laval (Québec) H7N 1B3

Mauricie and Centre-du-Québec

- 819 371-6011 or 1 888 879-4294
- 🕾 819 371-6120 fax
- @ direction.trois-rivieres@micc.gouv.qc.ca 100, rue Laviolette, rez-de-chaussée, bureau 26 Trois-Rivières (Québec) G9A 5S9

Montérégie

- 450 466-4461 or 1 888 287-5819
- 🕾 450 466-4481 fax
- @ direction.monteregie@micc.gouv.qc.ca 2, boulevard Desaulniers, 3^e étage Saint-Lambert (Québec) J4P 1L2

Outaouais and Nord-du-Québec

- 819 246-3212 or 1 888 295-9095
- 🕾 819 246-3314 fax
- direction.outaouais@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 227, rue Montcalm, bureau 100
 Gatineau (Québec) J8Y 3B9

Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean*

- 418 695-8144 or 1 888 643-1435
- 🕾 418 695-8162 fax
- direction.Québec@micc.gouv.qc.ca 3885, boulevard Harvey, bureau 206 Jonquière (Québec) G7X 9B1

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 * We ask you to contact personnel in these offices to make sure that they are available.

Québec immigration offices abroad _

Buenos Aires

- (54.11) 4343.2033
- 🕾 (54.11) 4343.2122 fax
- biq.buenosaires@mri.gouv.qc.ca Délégation générale du Québec Ingeniero Butty 240, Piso 3 Edificio Laminar Plaza C1001AFB Buenos Aires ARGENTINA

Damas

- (963.11) 611.6851
- (963.11) 613.1600 fax
 biq.damas@micc.gouv.qc.ca Ambassade du Canada 38, Autostrade Mezzeh, Mezzeh Est C. P. 3394 Damascus SYRIA

Hong Kong

- (852) 2810.7183
- 🕾 (852) 2845.3889 fax
- biq.hkong@micc.gouv.qc.ca Consulate general of Canada Exchange Square Tower 1, 10th Floor 8 Connaught Place HONG KONG

Mexico City

- 🖀 (52.55) 5255.0245
- 🕾 (52.55) 5250.8332 fax
- Diq.mexico@mri.gouv.qc.ca Délégation générale du Québec 411, Avenida Taine Colonia Bosques de Chapultepec Mexico, D. F. 11580 MEXICO

Paris

- (33.1) 53.93.45.45
- @ (33.1) 53.93.45.40 fax
- @ biq.paris@mri.gouv.qc.ca Délégation générale du Québec 87-89, rue de la Boétie 75008 Paris FRANCE

Vienna

- (43.1) 53138.3005
- (43.1) 53138.3443 fax
- biq.vienne@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 Ambassade du Canada
 Laurenzerberg
 Bürocenter Stiege 2, 2.0G
 A-1010 Vienna
 AUSTRIA
- ③ We invite you contact the personnel abroad or consult the department's Web site to learn the opening hours and days of our offices.

Special services centres ____

Service-conseil aux candidats à l'immigration

- 514 873-2528
- 🕾 514 864-1080 fax
- renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 285, rue Notre-Dame West, rez-de-chaussée, bureau G-15
 Montréal (Québec) H2Y 1T8

Service d'évaluation comparative des études effectuées hors du Québec*

- 514 864-9191 or 1 877 864-9191
- 🕾 514 873-8701 fax
- @ renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca 255, boulevard Crémazie East, 8º étage, bureau 8.01 Montréal (Québec) H2M 1M2

Service d'information sur les professions et métiers réglementés

- **2** 514 864-9191 or 1 877 864-9191
- 🕾 514 864-4083 fax
- @ renseignements@micc.gouv.qc.ca 255, boulevard Crémazie East, 8º étage, bureau 8.01 Montréal (Québec) H2M 1M2

Centre de service aux gens d'affaires ☎ 514 864-7089 ☎ 514 873-7867 fax

- © imm-affaires@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 800, rue du Square-Victoria, 2^e étage, bureau 2.70
 Montréal (Québec) H4Z 1J7

- Service-conseil en relations interculturelles
 Employer information line 1 888 873-1534
 514 864-3123 fax
 scri@micc.gouv.qc.ca
 360, rue McGill, rez-de-chaussée
 Montréal (Québec) H2Y 2E9

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