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Bill 120

An Act to amend the Act respecting the Montréal Museum of Fine Arts

Introduction

**Introduced by
Madam Lise Bacon
Minister of Cultural Affairs**



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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bill amends the Act respecting the Montréal Museum of Fine Arts in order to allow the Museum to lease commercial spaces in immovables owned by the Museum or to acquire and operate businesses located in its immovables.

The bill imposes on the Museum the obligation to submit every three years to the Minister, for approval, a utilization plan for the spaces which the Museum owns and reserves for businesses.

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THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Act respecting the Montréal Museum of Fine Arts (R.S.Q., chapter M-42) is amended by inserting, after section 14, the following section:

“14.1 The corporation shall prepare a utilization plan for the spaces which it owns and reserves for businesses; it shall submit the plan to the Minister every three years for his approval.”

2. Section 15 of the said Act is amended by inserting, after subparagraph *c* of the first paragraph, the following subparagraphs:

“(c.1) lease spaces for businesses in immovables owned by the Museum, in accordance with the utilization plan approved by the Minister;

“(c.2) acquire and operate businesses in the spaces reserved therefor in accordance with the utilization plan approved by the Minister;”.

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