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Bill 78

## **An Act to amend the Court of Appeal Reference Act**

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### **Introduction**

**Introduced by  
Mr Herbert Marx  
Minister of Justice**

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*The object of this bill is to provide for the possibility of an appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada from a certified opinion of the Court of Appeal rendered on a question referred to it.*

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THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

**1.** The Court of Appeal Reference Act (R.S.Q., chapter R-23) is amended by inserting, after section 5, the following section:

**“5.1** The certified opinion of the court upon any question so referred shall be deemed to be a judgment of the said court and an appeal lies therefrom to the Supreme Court of Canada as from a judgment in an action.”

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