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AN ACT TO AMEND THE DENTUROLOGISTS ACT

Bill 17

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Act amended:

Denturologists Act (R.S.Q., chapter D-4)





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THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

c. D-4,
s. 7,
replaced

1. Section 7 of the Denturologists Act (R.S.Q., chapter D-4) is replaced by the following section:

Examination
by a dentist

“7. Before performing an act described in section 6 with respect to a removable partial dental prosthesis, the denturologist must ask the patient whether or not he has been examined for that purpose by a dentist, record the information in the patient’s file and have it initialled by the patient.

Information

If the patient has not been examined by a dentist, the denturologist must inform him of the importance of such an examination; he must record that information and have it initialled by the patient in accordance with the first paragraph.

Obligation

The obligation imposed upon the denturologist under this section also applies to the repairing of a removable partial dental prosthesis fitted or replaced before 6 June 1991 without a dentist prescription or the production of a dental health certificate issued by a dentist in the last twelve months.”

c. D-4,
s. 8,
replaced
Acts
prohibited

2. Section 8 of the said Act is replaced by the following section:

“8. No denturologist may, in the practice of his profession, perform root planing or teeth scaling or polishing, or perform any act for the diagnosis or treatment of any defect of the teeth, mouth or maxillae, including

- (1) the prescription and taking of X-ray photographs;
- (2) local infiltration anaesthesia;

- (3) the trying, fitting, adjusting or replacement of maryland bridges and crowns and bridges;
- (4) the trying, fitting, adjusting or replacement of
 - (a) overdentures;
 - (b) prostheses fitted directly onto osteointegrated implants;
 - (c) prostheses attached indirectly to osteointegrated implants;
- (5) alteration of the mouth or teeth structures such as tooth reduction or the preparation of support cavities and guiding planes;
- (6) acts related to orthodontics.

Exception Paragraph *c* of subparagraph 4 shall not prevent a denturologist from performing acts described therein under the supervision of a dentist.”

Coming into force **3.** This Act comes into force on 6 June 1991.