

NOTICE OF MEASURE
to Achieve a Legitimate objective under Chapter 7 of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA)

Approved by the GOVERNMENT OF ONTARIO

Regulated Occupation Name: Lawyer

Province(s)/Territory(ies) whose workers are affected:
Quebec

Under which legitimate objective(s) is/are the measure(s) being filed:
Consumer Protection

Rationale/Justification:

This additional requirement is necessary because of the different legal systems in place in Québec compared to the rest of the country (civil law versus common law). There are significant differences in the foundational legal systems and in the way the law is developed and codified. Persons prepared to practice in the civil law system will not possess the necessary knowledge or expertise to practice in a common law system.

Additional Requirement(s):

Require additional training and/or examinations for members of the Barreau du Québec to ensure competency in provincial common law.

Anticipated Duration of the additional requirement(s):

Indefinite

Date Approved:

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Date(s) Reviewed and/or Updated

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