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At the provincial level

The Quebec Enterprise Registrar has revived an administrative policy regarding the approval of an individual's name in a provincial non-profit company's name, Part III.

When a non-profit company uses the name of a natural person who is not deceased, whether this person is known or not, the Registrar will require, as in the 1980s, this person's written consent in compliance with the provisions of the Civil Code regarding name protection and privacy.

If the natural person is deceased, a mention to this effect will suffice to register the company name, if the other rules are respected.

This rule does not apply in the case of a company incorporated under Part I or Part IA.

At the federal level

On June 13, 2008, *Bill C-62, An Act respecting not-for-profit corporations and certain other corporations*, was tabled in the House of Commons. Among the new provisions—if they are adopted—,

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incorporation by letters patent would be replaced by incorporation as of right. Accordingly, there would no longer be any prior ministerial review of letters patent and by-laws. This measure would be replaced by the granting of incorporation upon the sending of required information and payment of a prescribed fee. Other provisions regard members' rights, administrators' obligations, powers of procurement and sale, etc. To be continued.



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Recognizing one's errors is good. Correcting them is even better!

A notice from Corporations Canada dated June 11, 2008, informs us that *Policy 2.7: Requests for Correction of CBCA Certificates* has been revised. From now on, if an error is committed when handling a request, for example an error in the certificate's effective date, and if the error is solely attributable to Corporations Canada staff, normally, a simple written request for adjustment is required. The written request must indicate the nature of the error as well as the applicant's contact information. No fee is required.

The director may, however, at his sole discretion, require other documents in addition to the abovementioned written request. If the applicant refuses to submit these documents, the request for correction will be considered to have been withdrawn.



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New categories of professionals can now incorporate themselves: optometrists, pharmacists, dentists, guidance counsellors and psychoeducators

New schedules available

Over the last few weeks, various regulations authorizing certain professionals to operate within a joint-stock company or a limited liability general partnership (L.L.P.) took effect.

Profession	Effective date of regulations	Regulations and other information
Optometrists	May 15, 2008	You will find more information on the Ordre des optométristes's website Regulations (French only)
Guidance counsellors and psychoeducators	May 22, 2008	Regulations
Dentists	June 19, 2008	Regulations
Pharmacists	June 27, 2008	Regulations

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These regulations set out the conditions, terms and restrictions that these professionals must respect to this end.

As in the case of regulations already adopted for other professional activities, assurances must be made that the conditions stipulated regarding the voting rights linked to shares or common shares in the corporation are respected. The latter must be included in the articles of incorporation or stipulated in the LLP's incorporation contract. It should be noted that the regulations contain special features that set them apart from one another. For example, the regulations covering pharmacists requires the inclusion of certain rights regarding the redemption of shares in the shareholder agreement.

All of the regulations also have their own standards regarding corporate names. Thus, the name of a company incorporated to practise pharmacy must be composed solely of the name of one or more shareholder pharmacists preceded by the word "pharmacie" [pharmacy] and followed by the word "pharmacien(s)" or "pharmacienne(s)" [pharmacist(s)], for example "PHARMACIE JEAN TREMBLAY PHARMACIEN INC."

Finally, please note that schedules adapted to the incorporation of the abovementioned professions into business corporations are available from CRAC. For more information, please contact Annie Fredette at 514-861-2799, ext. 355, or via e-mail at afredette@crac.com.



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20th Edition of the Classique Juri Golf

The 20th Edition of the Classique Juri Golf was held on June 17 at the Saint-Raphaël Golf Club located on Ile Bizard. This anniversary edition, more than the others, was an emotionally charged event. We must recall that the totality of the sums raised in the course of this friendly golf tournament are dedicated to SAFIR (Service d'Aide Financière Rapide [*Rapid Financial Aid Service*]), a beautiful realization of the Fondation Jean Marc Paquette (FJMP) that supports women diagnosed with breast cancer.

During the evening, Mrs. Sylvie Ethier (photo), one of the numerous women having benefited from SAFIR, touched the audience with her personal story. Afterwards, the President and founder, Mr. Jean Marc Paquette, weakened by his personal struggle against this disease, also moved the audience when he recalled that he honored his promise to be present this year. He thanked all the participants, the organization committee and the foundation members.



FJMP received a record sum of \$200,000 including a cheque of \$30,000 given by a generous donator, Mr. Robert Conconi, closely related to CRAC/CSRS (divisions of Resolve Corporation) and an

amount of \$50,000 raised with the Honorable hair from the former Minister Martin Cauchon.



Photos by Martine Larose: Martin Cauchon with Leonardo Iacono, member of the Foundation, before his hair cut and Martin Cauchon after...



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CAP General Assembly

The CAP's (Canadian Association of Paralegals) general assembly took place last June 13 at the Hilton Bonaventure Hotel.

CRAC was pleased to met with numerous participants at its information kiosk.

Our congratulations go to Marie White who won a basket of Clarins products, courtesy of CRAC.



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Portrait of an employee: Francis Houle

Not so long ago, Francis Houle, shipping and corporate accessories department supervisor, could claim to be both one of the youngest employees at CRAC and one of its oldest (not counting a few jaunts outside CRAC). Always full of new ideas, he puts his imagination to work to offer you new products such as books for a



trust and the addition of new tabs in our minutes books, higher-quality products, and products that have less impact on the environment such as post-consumer recycled paper.

Francis manages a team of 4 people and must meet requests from both internal and external clients. Indeed, it is his team that is responsible for following up with corporate and office accessories suppliers as well as with the messenger service between you and us and from us to various government departments.

Clients who deal with Francis know he bends over backward to find what they are looking for. In fact, we wrote about one of his successful story in the latest Info-CRAC.

Last year, Francis fulfilled a dream. With the help of a few workers, he built a triplex. Each floor is now occupied by a member of his family.

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