



## CHAPTER 90

### An Act to amend the Quebec Dental Act

[Assented to, the 17th of May, 1937]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the  
Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly  
of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Section 39 of the Quebec Dental Act (Revised R. S., c. 216,  
Statutes, 1925, chapter 216) is replaced by the follow- s. 39, re-  
ing: placed.

“**39.** Within the delays fixed by the regulations Notice of  
of the Board, a notice by registered letter shall be meeting.  
addressed and sent to each member of the Board,  
indicating the date, place and object of such meeting.”

2. Section 131 of the said act is amended by adding R. S., c. 216,  
thereto, after the first paragraph thereof, the following s. 131, am.  
paragraph:

“ Except in the case of dismissal, the council may, Paying, etc.,  
besides the penalty or penalties imposed, order the of costs.  
accused to pay the costs incurred by the council for the  
prosecution of the case, which shall be recoverable by  
ordinary suit, by the registrar, in the name of the  
College.”

3. The said act is amended by adding thereto, after R. S., c. 216,  
section 134 thereof, the following section: s. 134a,  
added.

“**134a.** Whosoever, other than licensed physi- Offences.  
cians and surgeons, not being a holder of a license as  
dental surgeon legally granted by the Board, and whose

name has not been registered as a member of the College,—

1. By means of a sign or poster, or in any newspaper or magazine, or by means of circulars, prospectus, tariff, business cards or other printed matter, advertises or publishes that he is able to make or repair articles of dental prosthesis, or gives himself any title, or adds to his name any designation containing the word “dentist,” or “dentistry” or “dental” or any derivative of one of these words, saving the right of any person to offer his services as a technician, in publications devoted exclusively to dental surgery or in applying directly to those to whom he may lawfully lease his services;

2. Solicits or causes persons or customers to be solicited to entrust to him or to another person any dental surgery operation, work or treatment of any kind whatsoever, except the right of every technician to solicit work directly from duly licensed dental surgeons;

3. Has in his possession, anywhere, any installation, mechanism, apparatus or instrument suitable for the practice of the profession of dental surgery, for the purposes of illegal practice; or

4. Makes or repairs articles of dental prosthesis or any other appliance for dental or buccal treatment except on the verbal or written order of a duly licensed dental surgeon or of a duly licensed physician or surgeon; in any prosecution under this paragraph, the burden of proving the existence of such order shall be upon the accused,—

Penalties. shall also be liable to the penalties enacted in the preceding section.”

R. S., c. 216, s. 137, am. 4. Section 137 of the said act is amended by replacing paragraph 1 thereof by the following:

Recovery of fines. “1. Before any district magistrate, judge of the sessions of the peace, police magistrate, recorder or justice of the peace. The Quebec Summary Convictions Act (Revised Statutes of Quebec 1925, chapter 165) shall apply to prosecutions brought before such tribunals under this act;”.

R. S., c. 216, s. 139, am. 5. Section 139 of the said act is amended:

a. By striking out the first paragraph thereof;

b. By replacing the words: "The decisions of such functionaries shall be without appeal", in the first and second lines of the second paragraph thereof, by the words: "The judgments rendered by the tribunals mentioned in paragraph 1 of section 137 shall not be appealable";

c. By replacing the word: "functionary", in the fifth line of the said second paragraph thereof, by the word: "tribunal".

**6.** Section 142 of the said act is amended:

R.S., c. 216,  
s. 142, am.

a. By replacing the word: "functionaries", in the second line thereof, by the word: "tribunals";

b. By replacing the word: "functionary", in the third line thereof, by the word: "tribunal".

**7.** Section 146 of the said act is amended by re-Id., s. 146, placing the word: "functionary", in the first line of subsection 2 thereof, by the word: "tribunal".

**8.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. Coming into  
force.

