



SUPERIOR COURT OF QUÉBEC

MONTREAL DIVISION

COMMUNIQUE OF APRIL 17, 2020

LIST OF MATTERS DETERMINED TO BE URGENT OR OF PRIORITY RETAINED FOR CONTINUITY OF SERVICE

The present Communique modifies in part the one issued jointly by the Superior Court and the Court of Quebec dated March 13, 2020.

The list of urgent matters in civil and family matters before the Superior Court is replaced by the following:

Civil and Family Sectors

- Applications for provisional injunctions;
- Seizures before judgment;
- Orders to release seizure, applications to quash a seizure before judgment or a contestation of eviction;
- Deliver notices of eviction following a court decision, excluding the effects of any judgments suspended by Ministerial Decree number 2020-005 concerning dwellings and residential immoveables;
- Safeguard orders;
- Any application considered to be urgent by the Commercial Division in matters which are tried before it, whether it be a restructuring, an arrangement, a proposal, a bankruptcy or other;
- Applications for child custody, child support and other important applications concerning children;
- Applications for spousal support;
- Applications for divorce and for separation from bed and board, including all applications concerning custody, access rights, support and other urgent issues concerning the parties or their property;
- Applications for authorization to provide care (Art. 16 C.C.Q.);

- *Habeas corpus*;
- Urgent applications in matters involving rights or integrity of the person (ex. Art. 2167.1 C.C.Q.);
- Any other matter determined to be urgent by the Chief Justice, or a judge designated by him, requiring the immediate intervention of the court in order to ensure the protection of the person, of rights or of property.

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