

87. — Every physician giving up practice may free himself from the payment of the membership fee during all the time that he ceases to exercise his profession, by paying up beforehand all the arrears which he owes, and by notifying the Registrar in writing of his intention to give up practice. See Schedule VIII.

The Registrar must strike his name from the Medical Register at the time fixed in the notice.

If after the time mentioned in such notice, he continues to exercise his profession, he remains subject to all the provisions of the present law as though no notice had been given.

88. — Such Physician may resume practice by notifying the Registrar of the College. See Schedule IX.

Upon payment of his membership fee for the current year, the Registrar transmits his request to the president of the College.

In the event of any objection from the President of the College on account of the occupation followed by such physician during the interval, or on account of any other cause, the matter is submitted to the Provincial Board which, after having heard the parties, may refuse or grant the physician the right to exercise his profession and the reasons shall be stated in the judgment.

An appeal lies from this decision to the Provincial Medical Board.

89. — Annual membership fees and arrears thereof are recoverable both from the physician himself and from his heirs and representatives, by the Registrar in the name of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec.

90. — In every action for the recovery of such fees it is sufficient to give the initials of the first names of the defendant such as they appear in the Medical Register of Quebec.

91. — It is sufficient to allege that the physician defendant or his heirs or representatives are indebted to the College for the annual fees demanded.