

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS, 1984

Administrator/ Name of Program	Objective	Eligibility	Type of Assistance
<p>QUEBEC Quebec Industrial Development Corporation</p>	<p>— Investment assistance program for manufacturing companies</p>	<p>Advanced technology: high productivity, export potential, potential for market growth: ancillary economic benefits. Dynamic enterprises: 50 per cent Quebec controlled: at least 3 years of operations; minimum sales volumes of \$750,000; profitable. Financing not available on reasonable terms and conditions from private sector firms.</p>	<p>Acquisition of non-voting shares, non-interest bearing loans, interest rebates.</p>
<p>— Financing program for manufacturing companies</p>	<p>To provide a source of financing to manufacturing firms to establish or expand production facilities.</p>	<p>The project should incorporate advanced technology and relate to the development or creation of a product or service for commercial use.</p>	<p>Loans, loan guarantees, acquisition of shares, convertible loans.</p>
<p>— Investment assistance program for research laboratories</p>	<p>To encourage industrial research activities to promote the economic development and growth of Quebec.</p>	<p>Pre-defined percentages of sales must be derived from electronics products or software and information packages manufactured in Quebec; maximum number of employees is 500.</p>	<p>Acquisition of non-voting shares, non-interest bearing loans, interest rebates.</p>
<p>— Assistance program for electronics industry</p>	<p>To encourage the development of the electronics industry in Quebec and to assist in marketing the industry's products.</p>	<p>Enterprises situated in Quebec in the manufacturing/processing, tourism and tertiary sectors.</p>	<p>Grants, acquisition of non-voting shares, non-interest bearing loans.</p>
<p>— Business Financing Program</p>	<p>To increase employment in the manufacturing, tourism and tertiary sectors of the Quebec economy.</p>	<p>In addition to the location of assets and employees in Quebec, the firm must have demonstrated profitability in the past.</p>	<p>Loan guarantees (up to \$10 million) and a subvention measured against increases in the interest rate.</p>
<p>— Small Business Emergency Assistance Program</p>	<p>To assist firms experiencing short term financial difficulties and seeking loan assistance to improve working capital.</p>	<p>Feasibility studies related to an industrial expansion in Quebec.</p>	<p>Loan guarantees; interest subsidization.</p>
<p>Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce et du Tourisme du Québec</p>	<p>To assist industrial enterprises in the realization of industrial projects.</p>	<p>Hydro-Québec customers increasing electricity consumption as a result of a capital investment.</p>	<p>Grants (on a cost sharing basis).</p>
<p>— Program to assist in the Realization of Industrial Projects</p>	<p>To encourage an increase in productive capacity through the provision of electricity at reduced costs.</p>	<p>Manufacturers and processors.</p>	<p>Discounts related to increase in consumption.</p>
<p>Program for Electricity Rate Discounts</p>	<p>To encourage establishment, modernization and expansion of industry.</p>	<p>Manufacturers and processors.</p>	<p>Loans, loan guarantees or acquisition of shares for capital projects and working capital requirements.</p>

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Department of Commerce and Development
— Financial Assistance to Industry Program