

16.—Lieutenant-Governors of Quebec, 1867-1948, Legislatures and Premiers, 1934-48, and Present Ministry as at July 28, 1948—concluded

Twentieth Ministry

(Party standing at latest General Election, July 28, 1948: 82 Union Nationale, 8 Liberals and 2 Independent.)

Office	Name	Date of Appointment
Premier, Attorney General and President of Executive Council.....	HON. MAURICE L. DUPLESSIS.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Provincial Treasurer.....	HON. ONESIME GAGNON.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Lands and Forests.....	HON. J. S. BOURQUE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Health.....	HON. J. A. PAQUETTE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Municipal Affairs.....	HON. BONA DUSSAULT.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Roads.....	HON. ANTONIO TALBOT.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Public Works.....	HON. ROMEO LORRAIN.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Mines.....	HON. JONATHAN ROBINSON.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Colonization.....	HON. JOS. D. BEGIN.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Game and Fisheries.....	HON. C. E. POULIOT.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Labour.....	HON. ANTONIO BARRETTE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Trade and Commerce.....	HON. PAUL BEAULIEU.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Agriculture.....	HON. LAURENT BARRE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Provincial Secretary.....	HON. OMER COTE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister of Social Welfare and of Youth.....	HON. PAUL SAUVE.....	Sept. 18, 1946
Minister without portfolio.....	HON. ANTONIO ELIE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister without portfolio.....	HON. TANCREDE LABBE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister without portfolio.....	HON. MARC TRUDEL.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister without portfolio.....	HON. PATRICE TARDIF.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister without portfolio.....	HON. J. T. LAROCHELLE.....	Aug. 30, 1944
Minister without portfolio.....	HON. J. H. DELISLE.....	Aug. 30, 1944

Subsection 5.—Ontario

The House of Assembly of Ontario, the single-chamber Legislature of the Province, is composed of 90 elected members. It is elected for five years on an adult suffrage basis and holds annual sessions so that 12 months shall not intervene between the last sitting in one session and the first sitting in the next.

The Executive Council consists (1948) of 13 members holding portfolios as follows: Premier, President of the Council and Minister of Education; Attorney General; Minister of Lands and Forests; Minister of Agriculture; Minister of Highways and Minister of Public Works; Minister of Labour; Provincial Treasurer and Minister of Mines; Provincial Secretary and Registrar; Minister of Municipal Affairs and Minister of Reform Institutions; Minister of Health; Minister of Public Welfare; Minister of Planning and Development; Minister of Travel and Publicity; and three Ministers without portfolio.

Besides the regular departments, certain commissions have been created for specific purposes. They include the Niagara Parks Commission, the Ontario Municipal Board, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and the Ontario Northland Transportation Commission.