

receives an indemnity of \$3,000, an expense allowance of \$2,000 and a lodging allowance of \$2,000; the Leader of the Government and the Leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Council each receive an additional sessional indemnity of \$2,000 plus a \$3,000 expense allowance.

21.—Legislatures of Quebec, 1945-65, as at Apr. 30, 1965

NOTE.—Legislatures from Confederation to 1923 are given in the 1924 Year Book, p. 78; for 1924-35 in the 1938 edition, p. 113; and for 1936-44 in the 1963-64 edition, p. 85.

Date of Election	Legislature	Number of Sessions	Date of First Opening	Date of Dissolution
Aug. 8, 1944	22nd.....	4	Feb. 7, 1945	June 9, 1948
July 28, 1948	23rd.....	4	Jan. 19, 1949	May 28, 1952
July 16, 1952	24th.....	4	Nov. 12, 1952	Apr. 25, 1956
June 20, 1956	25th.....	4	Nov. 14, 1956	Apr. 27, 1960
June 22, 1960	26th.....	3	Sept. 20, 1960	Sept. 19, 1962
Nov. 15, 1962	27th.....	1	Jan. 15, 1963	1

¹ Life of Legislature not expired at Apr. 30, 1965.

22.—Twenty-third Ministry of Quebec, as at Apr. 30, 1965

(Party standing at latest General Election, Nov. 15, 1962: 63 Liberal, 31 Union Nationale and 1 Independent.)

Office	Name	Date of First Appointment	Date of Present Appointment
Prime Minister, President of the Executive Council, Minister of Finance and Minister of Federal and Provincial Affairs.....	HON. JEAN LESAGE.....	July 6, 1960	Apr. 1, 1961
Minister of Cultural Affairs.....	HON. PIERRE LAPORTE.....	Dec. 5, 1962	Sept. 9, 1964
Attorney-General.....	HON. CLAUDE WAGNER.....	Aug. 31, 1964	Oct. 30, 1964
Minister of Education.....	HON. PAUL GÉRIN-LAJOIE.....	July 6, 1960	May 13, 1964
Minister of Agriculture and Colonization....	HON. ALCIDE COURCY.....	July 6, 1960	July 6, 1960
Minister of Natural Resources.....	HON. RENÉ LÉVESQUE.....	July 6, 1960	Apr. 1, 1961
Minister of Transportation and Communications.....	HON. CLAIRE KIRKLAND-CASGRAIN.....	Dec. 5, 1962	Nov. 25, 1964
Minister of Roads.....	HON. BERNARD PINARD.....	July 6, 1960	Apr. 1, 1961
Minister of Family and Social Welfare.....	HON. ÉMILIE LAFRANCE.....	July 6, 1960	July 6, 1960
Provincial Secretary.....	HON. BONA ARSENAULT.....	July 6, 1960	Apr. 3, 1963
Minister of Health.....	HON. ALPHONSE COUTURIER.....	July 6, 1960	July 6, 1960
Minister of Tourism, Fish and Game.....	HON. GÉRARD COURNOYER.....	July 6, 1960	Nov. 25, 1964
Minister of Industry and Commerce.....	HON. GÉRARD-D. LÉVESQUE.....	July 6, 1960	Dec. 5, 1962
Minister without Portfolio and Leader of the Legislative Council.....	HON. GEORGE C. MARLER.....	Oct. 8, 1960	Oct. 8, 1960
Minister of Lands and Forests.....	HON. LUCIEN CLICHE.....	Dec. 20, 1960	Dec. 5, 1962
Minister of Public Works.....	HON. RENÉ SAINT-PIERRE.....	Mar. 28, 1961	Mar. 28, 1961
Minister of Municipal Affairs.....	HON. PIERRE LAPORTE.....	Dec. 5, 1962	Dec. 5, 1962
Minister of Labour.....	HON. CARRIER FORTIN.....	Dec. 5, 1962	Aug. 8, 1963
Minister of Provincial Revenue.....	HON. ERIC KIERANS.....	Aug. 8, 1963	Aug. 8, 1963
Minister without Portfolio.....	HON. GASTON BINETTE.....	Jan. 20, 1965	Jan. 20, 1965
Minister without Portfolio.....	HON. ALBERT MORISSETTE.....	Jan. 20, 1965	Jan. 20, 1965