

**MINISTÈRE DE L'ENVIRONNEMENT DE
 LA LUTTE CONTRE LES CHANGEMENTS
 CLIMATIQUES, DE LA FAUNE ET DES PARCS**

**QUEBEC BEVERAGE CONTAINER
 RECYCLING ASSOCIATION**

January 2020

The government announces that the deposit-refund system will be modernized



October 2020

The Quebec Beverage Container Recycling Association (QBCRA) is created

March 2021

The *Act to amend mainly the Environment Quality Act with respect to deposits and selective collection* is passed



August 2021–April 2023

Ten pilot projects take place in eight municipalities

July 2022

The *Regulation respecting the development, implementation and financial support of a deposit-refund system for certain containers* comes into force



December 2022

The QBCRA Board of Directors is appointed

October 2022

RECYC-QUÉBEC designates the Quebec Beverage Container Recycling Association (QBCRA) as Designated Management Body (DMB)

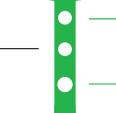


February 2023

Normand Bisson is named President and CEO of the Quebec Beverage Container Recycling Association (QBCRA)

August 2023

Amendments to the *Regulation respecting the development, implementation and financial support of a deposit-refund system for certain containers* come into effect



September 2023

Consignaction becomes the new emblem of the deposit-refund system in Quebec

November 1, 2023

Rollout of Phase 1 of expanded deposit-refund

November 2023

The amount of the deposit is increased and deposit-refund is expanded to all aluminum beverage containers of between 100 mL and 2 L



April 2024

Rollout of a hybrid network of return sites begins across Quebec



PHASE 1

March 1, 2025

Rollout of Phase 2 of expanded deposit-refund



March 2025

Deposit-refund is expanded to all plastic beverage containers of between 100 mL and 2 L

Underway–March 2027

Rollout of the hybrid network of return sites continues across Quebec



PHASE 2

March 1, 2027

Rollout of Phase 3 of expanded deposit-refund



March 2027

Deposit-refund is expanded to all glass and multi-layer carton containers of between 100 mL and 2 L

PHASE 3