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^{*} Please note that Plumitifs does not issue a "Certificate of Good Conduct" or its equivalent, a document sometimes requested by insurers or employers. If you need that type of document, please contact the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

1. ACCES TO PLUMITIFS

Open a session on the Portail SOQUIJ

http://soquij.qc.ca/fr/services-aux-professionnels

Click on Services aux professionnels.

Enter your access code and password.



In the blue ribbon, select Plumitifs.



2. SEARCH CRIMINAL COURT LEDGERS

Select Pénal from the menu on the left, under Plumitifs.

Tip

The Pénal and Municipal categories both contain files that have resulted in criminal convictions. Try searching in both.

WARNING: A fee is charged for each search, even if the search is repeated with the same name.



2.1 Search for individuals

Select the Particulier tab.

Enter the last name and first name in the appropriate boxes. These are the only mandatory fields.

Search with different combinations of the individual's last and first names, as well as the different possible spellings.

For example, if you are looking for records for Jean-Baptiste Raymond and Nicholas Tremblay:

Last name	First name
Raymond	Jean-Baptiste
Baptiste-Raymond	Jean
Raymond	Jean
Tremblay	Nicholas
Tremblay	Nicolas

Entering a date of birth

You can add the date of birth of an individual as a search value. It must be entered in the format: YYYY-MM-DD.



2.2 Perform the search

Click on the Rechercher button.

WARNING: A fee is charged when you click on *Rechercher*.

Wait for the list to display the final number of results.



2.3 List of results

If you use the date of birth as a search value, the list of results will be divided into two sections.

In the first section, you will find files containing exactly the same date of birth and containing names that are identical or similar to those entered as search values.

In the second section, you will find files containing names that are identical or similar to those entered as search values, but with any other date of birth.

WARNING: It is important to check the files displayed in the second section: "Other suggested results" because it may contain relevant files. Typographical errors in the name or date of birth might exist, and in such a case, the file will not be displayed in the first section. For example: Georges Tylers or Georges Tyler, 1963-12-09 or 1963-09-12.

If you do not specify a date of birth, the results will be displayed in a single table. Files in which the defendant's name is identical to the name entered in the search form will be displayed at the top of the table, regardless of the date of birth.

2.4 Filter results

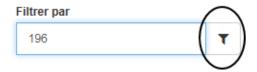
If the list of results is long, you can filter it. Simply enter the last name or first name of the person you are looking for in the *Filtrer par* box and click on the funnel to the right of the box.

Results containing this name will be highlighted in yellow so that you can identify them more easily.

You can also filter results by entering the year of birth in the *Filtrer par* box. Note that some files might not contain the date of birth, so these files will not be highlighted after the filter is applied.

To sidestep any possible typos in the information entered in the ledgers, we recommend that you begin by entering the first three digits of the year only.

You can then filter the results using any other significant search value.



2.5 Select results

Several files may be selected at once. Select the file(s) you wish to consult by checking the adjacent boxes, then click on *Consulter*.

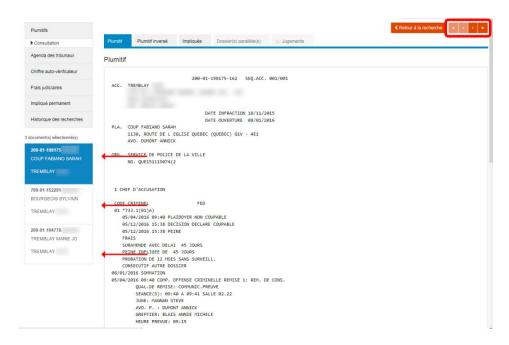


WARNING: A fee is charged when you click on the *Consulter* button and each time you open a file to view it in the consultation screen.

If you select several files in the list of results (as illustrated above), the first will be billed when you click on *Consulter*. The other selected files will be billed only when you view them.

2.6 Navigate through several files

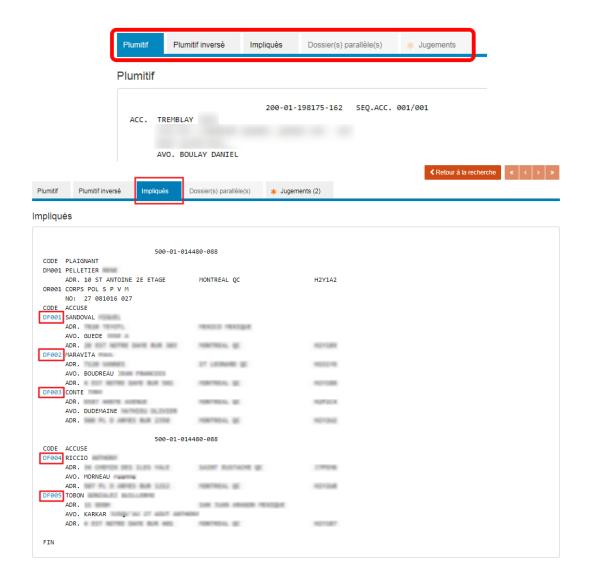
Several files may be selected at once. They will be displayed in the menu on the left. Navigate from one file to another by clicking on the one you want to view or by using the orange arrows at the top right of the screen.



2.7 Consultation modes

Choose your consultation mode from the tabs above the ledger.

- Plumitif: Ledger, i.e., a summary of proceedings and activities in a file, displayed in chronological order. The charges and sentences appear in the Plumitif.
- Plumitif inversé: Reverse ledger, i.e., a summary of proceedings and activities in a file, displayed in reverse chronological order (most recent to oldest). The charges and sentences do not appear in the Plumitif inversé.
- Impliqués: Parties involved, i.e., a list of the names and addresses of the parties involved in a case, along with the names and addresses of their counsel. Where there is more than one accused in a file, the names appear under the Impliqués tab.*



* **NOTE**: When there are several accused in a single file, be sure to consult the file for each one. To do so, click on the link beside the accused's name (DF002, for example), and then on the *Plumitif* tab.

2.8 Reading the ledger

Be sure that you see "FIN" at the bottom of the ledger to confirm that the download of the information is complete.

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19/09/2017 09:32 PROCES POURSUITE SOMMAIRE QUAL DE REMISE: ASSIG. TEMOINS SEANCE(S): 09:32 A 09:32 SALLE 02.03
JUGE: HIBAUIT CARL
AVO. P.: TRITZ LUCIE
AVO. AC.: DUBE SOPHIE

GREFFIER: SIROIS LINDA
HEURE PREVUE: 09:30 QUALIFICATIF DE REMISE PREVUE: ASSIG. TEMOINS
ACCUSE: PRESENT ET EN LIBERTE
AVOCAT P.: PRESENT
DECISION FINALE RENDUE

FIN
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3. SEARCH IN MUNICIPAL COURT LEDGERS

Select *Municipal* from the menu on the left, under *Plumitifs*.

Important

The files from the municipality of Montreal are not available through the SOQUIJ site. For the moment, this tool searches in 88 of the 89 Quebec municipal courts.



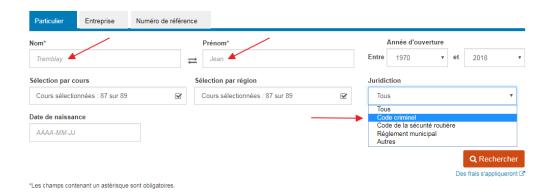
3.1 Search for individuals

Enter the last name and first name in the appropriate boxes. These are the only mandatory fields.

The search will retrieve different variations of the last name and first name entered.

Other search values:

- Jurisdiction: Select *Code criminel* ("*Criminal Code*") from the roll-down menu.
- Date of birth: You can add the date of birth of an individual as a search value. It must be entered in the format: YYYY-MM-DD.



3.2 Perform the search

Click on the Rechercher button.

WARNING: A fee is charged when you click on *Rechercher*.

Wait for the list to display the final number of results.



3.3 List of results

For more information on the list of results, see step 2.3.

Tip: If the list of results is long, you can filter it, as described in step 2.4.

3.4 Select results

Select the file(s) you wish to consult by checking the adjacent boxes, then click on *Consulter*.

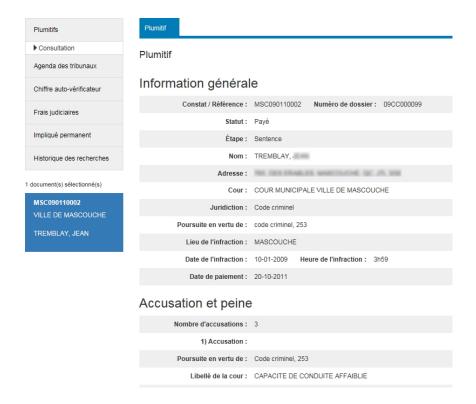


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3.5 Consultation of ledger

Only one mode is available to consult the ledger.



4. TRAINING OFFERED BY SOQUIJ

If you would like more information about how to search for and interpret court ledgers using the *Plumitifs* service, please join us for a training session.

For details, see the training schedule:

https://soquij.uxpertise.ca/#/home/index



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