

DECISION

of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on the consideration of the appeal # 86 received by the Central Election Commission on January 1, 2015

Reshad Habib Gasimov, registered candidate on Sarijali municipality of Aghjabedi-Fuzuli Con.EC # 83 appealed to CEC on January 1, 2015 and claimed on the law violations in the conduct of elections at the polling station # 26 of that election constituency on the voting day, thereby requesting to undertake relevant measures on this.

The complaint was adopted for the implementation in comply with Articles 112 and 112-1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and "Instruction on the rules for filing appeals and complaints to the Central Election Commission and Constituency Election Commissions of the Republic of Azerbaijan and their consideration", relevant opinion was provided on this issue by a member of the Expert Group under CEC and considered at the Commission session upon the investigation of the appeal by the Expert Group member.

It was determined during the reviewing the submitted appeal that the complaint had been submitted upon missing the legally-defined deadline and due to that reason, and Expert Group member provided an opinion to return the appeal.

Pursuant to Article 112.1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and item # 4.1.2 of the above-mentioned Instruction, election actors may submit a complaint against a decision or action (inaction) offending citizens' election rights within 3 days since the day of publication or getting of that decision, committing that action (inaction) or informing the interested person on that.

By assuming the above-mentioned as a basis and pursuant to Articles 19.4, 28.2, 28.4, 112, 112-1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and items # 1, 2, 4.1.2, 6 and 7 of "Instruction on the rules for filing appeals and complaints to the Central Election Commission and Constituency Election Commissions of the Republic of Azerbaijan and their consideration", CEC **decides:**

1. The appeal # 86 submitted to CEC on January 1, 2015 by Reshad Habib Gasimov, registered candidate on Sarijali municipality of Aghjabedi-Fuzuli Con.EC # 83 regarding the Municipal Elections held on December 23, 2014 shall be returned to the applicant due to its submission upon missing the legally-defined deadline for complaints.
2. The decision shall be enforced upon its publication.

CEC Chairman

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