

OPINION

Of Mr.Samir Taghiyev, member of Expert Group under CEC to investigate the complaints against actions (inactions) and decisions violating citizens' election rights in the Elections to the Milli Majlis of the Republic of Azerbaijan on November 1, 2015

on the appeal 32 submitted to CEC on October 5, 2015

Baku

October 6, 2015

Having investigated the appeal # 32 submitted to CEC on October 6, 2015 by Ahmadov Yasin Ahmad, authorized representative of Azerbaijan National Independence Party challenged the decision of Con.EC on not reviewing signature sheets and election documents of Ahmadli Dunyamin Ahmad, nominee by that political party on Sumgayit first Con.EC # 41 and requested for the redress of his violated rights upon making a relevant decision. as a member of Expert Group, I have determined that:

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 submission and investigation of the appeals and complaints filed to the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan and Constituency Election Commissions", 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.

Pursuant to the Election Code and item # 8.6 of the above-mentioned Instruction, in a case when a complaint or appeal is submitted through offending destination rules, the Expert Group member shall provide an opinion on adopting a decision to send that appeal on destination.

According to the above-mentioned, the appeal shall be sent to Sumgayit Con.EC # 41 for investigation on destination.

Pursuant to Articles 112, 112-1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and item # 8.6 of "On the rules for submission and processing of appeals and complaints on the violation of election rights to the Central Election Commission and Constituency Election Commissions of the Republic of Azerbaijan", **I have determined that:**

1. The appeal # 32 submitted by Ahmadov Yasin Ahmad, authorized representative of Azerbaijan National Independence Party on October 5, 2015 in the Elections to the Milli Majlis of the Republic of Azerbaijan on November 1, 2015 shall be implemented due to

grounded factors and the decision # 20/67 of Sumgayit first Con.EC # 41 dated October 3, 2015 shall be annulled.

2. The relevant Con.EC shall be commissioned with the duty of examining the documents submitted for the registration of the candidacy of Ahmadli Dnyamin Ahmad within the shortest period as possible.

3. The opinion shall be published no later than 18 hours upon its adoption (shall be posted on the website) and its copy shall be sent to the applicant.

Expert Group member

Samir Taghiyev