## **DECISION**

## of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan

## on the approval of "Comment on the rules for filling out the voting protocol of Precinct Election Commissions in Municipal Elections"

The Central Election Commission needed to improve many legal acts adopted in concern with the application of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and preparation and conduct of elections (referendum) rooted from the necessity of periodically improving the legislation of the Republic of Azerbaijan and regulating the election (referendum) relations entirely.

In this regard, upon adopting the "Comment on the rules for filling out the voting protocol of Precinct Election Commissions in Municipal Elections", the act in force which regulates the same relationship shall be considered out of force and CEC within its competence shall ensure the implementation of the activities implied by the legislation on the official publication and enforcement of the adopted act by accepting the necessity of further improving the relationship regulated by relevant enforced legal acts and new requirements (structural units, publications, etc.) on normative acts of the Constitutional Law of the Republic of Azerbaijan "On Normative Acts", dated December 21, 2010.

By assuming the above-mentioned as a basis and according to Articles 78.2 and 78.3 of the Constitutional Law "On normative acts" of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Articles 19.4, 19.14, 28.2 and 28.4 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan, the Central Election Commission (CEC)decides:

- 1. "Comment on the rules for filling out the protocol of Precinct Election Commissions in Municipal Elections" shall be approved (attached).
- 2. Since the enforcement of this Comment, the "Comment on the rules for filling out the voting protocol of Precinct Election Commissions in Municipal Elections", approved by the CEC decision # 23-8 dated August 24, 2009 shall be considered out of force.
- 3. CEC within its competence shall ensure the implementation of the activities implied by the legislation on the official publication and enforcement of the Comment indicated in the item # 1 of this Decision.

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