Decision

of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on the registration of Sociological Researches Center as organization conducting "exit poll" on the voting day in the early Presidential elections appointed to February 7, 2024

By applying to Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan (CEC), Sociological Researches Center informed on the intend to conduct "exit-poll" in the early Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan appointed to February 7, 2024 and requested on the registration for this purpose.

The appeal with necessary documents for accreditation was submitted to CEC, the Commission conducted relevant investigation within the timeframe and manner as implied in the "Rules for accreditation of organizations conducting "exit poll" in the elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan" and determined legal grounds for the registration of this organization.

Thus, the appeal of the Sociological Researches Center shall be implemented and it shall be registered as an organization conducting "exit poll" on the voting day.

Adopting the above-mentioned as a basis and pursuant to Articles 19.4, 19.14, 25.2.23, 28.2, 28.4 of the Election Code and Article 2.3 of "Rules for accreditation of organizations conducting "exit poll" in the Elections in Republic of Azerbaijan", the Central Election Commission **decides**:

- 1. The appeal of Sociological Researches Center shall be implemented and it shall be registered in the early Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan appointed to February 7, 2024.
- 2. The decision shall be enforced since the day of its publication.

CEC Chairman Mazahir Panahov

CEC Secretary Arifa Mukhtarova

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