

DECISION

of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on making amendments to the "Instruction on the rules for collecting voters' signatures in support of the candidate to presidency and submitting them to the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan and candidates' registration in the Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan"

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) caused from the necessity of periodically improving the legislation of the Republic of Azerbaijan and more perfectly regulating the election (referendum) relations.

As some provisions of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan had been made amendments by Laws "On making amendments to the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan" dated 18 June 2010 and 20 April 2012, the "Instruction on the rules for collecting voters' signatures in support of the candidate to presidency and submitting them to the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan and candidates' registration in the Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision 6/23-6 dated 4 July 2008 shall be adjusted with this Law and within its competence, CEC shall ensure the implementation of the activities implied by the legislation on the official publication and enforcement of these amendments.

By assuming the above-mentioned as a basis and according to Articles 75.2, 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. "Instruction on the rules for collecting voters' signatures in support of the candidate to presidency and submitting them to the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan and candidates' registration in the Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision 6/23-6 dated 4 July 2008 shall be made the following amendments:

1.1. In item 2.1, the figure "65" shall be replaced by the figure "50", figure "40" by figure "30" and after the word "to" "till 18.00" words shall be added.
1.2. In item 3.1, figure "10" shall be replaced by figure "7" and figure "48" by figure "24".

2. Within its competence, CEC shall ensure the implementation of the activities implied by the legislation on the official publication and enforcement of this Decision.

CEC Chairman

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