DECISION

of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan

on making amendments to the "Rules for candidate registration and checking the information included in the election documents submitted to Constituency Election Commissions to verify and register the candidacy in Municipal Elections"

To further improve the "Rules for candidate registration and checking the information included in the election documents submitted to Constituency Election Commissions to verify and register the candidacy in Municipal Elections", approved by the CEC decision # 23-3 dated August 24, 2009, the words in brackets at the end of the second sentence of the 12th paragraph and "a)" semi-item of the item "protocol compiled by CEC on the results of collecting voters' signatures" included in the part on "II stage – Candidates' registration" of the table on the Rules shall be provided in new edit.

CEC within its competence 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. "Rules for candidate registration and checking the information included in the election documents submitted to Constituency Election Commissions to verify and register the candidacy in Municipal Elections", approved by the CEC decision # 23-3 dated August 24, 2009 shall be made the following amendments:
- 1.1. The words in brackets at the end of the second sentence of the 12th paragraph shall be replaced by the words "Appendix # 1 made to the Rules" and "a)" semi-item of the item "protocol compiled by CEC on the results of collecting voters' signatures" included in the part on "II stage Candidates' registration" of the table on the Rules shall be provided in new edit:

"Compatibility with the Appendix # 2 made to the Rules and Appendix # 1 made to "Instruction on the rules for the collection of voters' signatures in support of a candidate to municipality and submission of signature sheets together with the documents to be attached to them to Constituency Election Commissions in Municipal Elections";

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

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