## DECISION

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

## on the consideration of the appeal # 78 received by the Central Election Commission on December 28, 2014 regarding the Municipal Elections on December 23, 2014

Aghahuseyin Safar Gozelov, registered candidate on Chakhirli municipality of Masalli city Con.EC # 70 and Siyaset Safar Abdullayev, resident of Chakhirli village in Masalli region appealed to CEC on December 28, 2014 and requested to re-count the votes in the PEC # 23 of that Con.EC and claimed on the law violations during vote counting, thereby requesting to undertake relevant measures.

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 filing appeals and complaints to the Central Election Commission and Constituency Election Commissions of the Republic of Azerbaijan and their consideration", 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.

The complaint of Aghahuseyin Safar Gozelov, registered candidate on Chakhirli municipality of Masalli city Con.EC # 70 and Siyaset Safar Abdullayev, resident of Chakhirli village in Masalli region shall be partly implemented and sent to the relevant Con.EC to investigate the claimed law violations.

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, a decision shall be adopted on sending that appeal on destination.

By assuming the above-mentioned as a basis and pursuant to Articles 19.4, 28.2, 112, 112-1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and items # 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8 of "Instruction on the rules for filing appeals and complaints to the Central Election Commission and Constituency Election Commissions of the Republic of Azerbaijan and their consideration", CEC **decides:** 

- The appeal # 78 submitted to CEC on December 28, 2014 by Aghahuseyin Safar Gozelov, registered candidate on Chakhirli municipality of Masalli city Con.EC # 70 and Siyaset Safar Abdullayev, resident of Chakhirli village in Masalli region shall be partly implemented and sent to that Con.EC to re-count the votes and to investigate the claimed law violations.
- 2. The decision shall be enforced upon its publication.

CEC Chairman

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