DECISION

of Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on consideration of the appeal # 43 submitted to the Central Election Commission on December 29, 2019 in the Municipal Elections on December 23, 2019

Regarding the Municipal Elections on December 23, 2019, AghamusaValijanHasanov, registered candidate on Shamakhi city municipality of Shamakhi Con.EC # 85 applied to the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan (CEC) on December 29, 2019 claiming that on the voting day law violations were committed in all of 11 polling stations on Shamakhi municipality, the requirements of the election legislation was violated by the PEC chairmen and the majority of the voters voted for him, therefore requested to conduct re-elections.

The appeal was adopted for the implementation in comply with Articles 112 and 112-1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan (Election Code) 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.

Pursuant to the Election Code, the appeals on the law violations claimed to have been committed in the polling stations on the voting day shall be filed primarily to the Con.EC and the complaint against the decision adopted by that Con.EC on the appeal or the action (inaction) of the Con.EC could be filed to the Central Election Commission.

Pursuant to Article 112-1.12 of the Election Code, if the complaint has been received upon violating the rules for determination, then a decision shall be made to send that appeal to the appropriate destination.

Pursuant to 19.4, 28.2, 112, 112-1 of Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and items 1, 2, 4, 6, 7 and 8 of the "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" the Central Election Commission **decides:**

- 1. The appeal # 43 submitted to CEC on December 29, 2019 by AghamusaValijanHasanov, registered candidate on Shamakhi city municipality of Shamakhi Con.EC # 85 in the Municipal Elections on December 23, 2019 shall be sent to that election constituency for investigation.
- 2. The decision shall be enforced upon its publication.

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