DECISION

of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on the consideration of the appeal # 19 received by the Central Election Commission on December 11, 2014 regarding the Municipal Elections on December 23, 2014

Elkhan Huseyn Isayev, nominee on Piramsan municipality of Shabran-Siyazan Con.EC # 54 on his own initiative appealed to CEC in written form on December 11, 2014 regarding the Municipal Elections and informed that the relevant Con.EC had not submitted a document on registration or refusal from registering his candidacy to him.

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 applicant was informed on the investigation, also noted on his right to take part in the investigation.

By justifying his complaint, citizen E.H.Isayev informed that he had nominated his candidacy on Piramsan municipality of Shabran-Siyazan Con.EC # 54 in Municipal elections on December 23, 2014, submitted signature sheets and other necessary documents attached to them to the Con.EC upon the collection of voters' signatures within that municipality, the relevant Con.EC had not submitted a document on registration or refusal from registering his candidacy to him.

It was determined through investigation process that E.H.Isayev was registered as a candidate to the membership of Piramsan municipality of Shabran-Siyazan Con.EC # 54 by the con.EC decision # 19/47 dated November 18, 2014. But afterwards, the registration of E.H.Isayev on Piramsan municipality was cancelled by the Con.EC decision # 26/65 dated December 5, 2014 upon his request.

Applicant E.H.Isayev applied to CEC in written form on December 13, 2014, informed that he had not withdrawn his candidacy and therefore requested to maintain the relevant Con.EC decision on his registration enforced.

So, through a full, comprehensive, fair and impartial investigation legal grounds were determined to annul the relevant decision of the Con.EC and to implement the complaint. Therefore, the decision # 26/65 of Shabran-Siyazan Con.EC # 54, dated December 5, 2014 on the cancel of the candidacy of E.H.Isayev on Piramsan municipality shall be annulled

By assuming the above-mentioned as a basis and pursuant to Articles 19.4, 28.2, 28.4, 73.1.2 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and items # 1, 2, 4, 6 and 7 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**:

- 1. The appeal # 19, dated December 11, 2014 by Elkhan Huseyn Isayev, nominee on Piramsan municipality of Shabran-Siyazan Con.EC # 54 on his own initiative shall be implemented.
- 2. The Con.EC decision # 26/65 dated December 5, 2014 on the refusal from registering his candidacy shall be annulled.

3. The decision shall be enforced upon its publication.

CEC Chairman Mazahir Panahov

CEC Secretary Arifa Mukhtarova

CEC Secretary Mikayil Rahimov