

DECISION

of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on the consideration of the appeal # 74, dated December 28, 2014, received by the Central Election Commission regarding the Municipal Elections held on December 23, 2014

Rovshan Aflat Babayev, registered candidate on Turkan municipality of Khazar Con.EC # 14 appealed to CEC regarding the Municipal elections on December 23, 2014, informed on the law violations in the polling stations of that municipality and requested 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 applicant was informed on the investigation and his right to participate in that investigation.

It was determined investigation of the appeal that the relevant Con.EC had not been submitted any appeal or complaint by those polling stations on the voting day.

Basing on the explanations by the chairperson of Khazar Con.EC # 14, members of the PECs # 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 34, other registered candidates on Gakh municipality and observers who have observed in those polling stations, the claims on the law violations and election falsification have not been justified.

So, observers Rzayeva Magsuda Ogtay, Rahimov Ramin Rafael, Ahmadov Elman Mahammad, Mammadli Jale Nasir, Ahmadov Rafiq Yashar, as well as, registered candidates on that municipality who had not collected sufficient votes Guliyev Rovshan Seyman, Guliyev Ilyas Almin, Aliyev Shahin Eyyub, Aliyev Vusal Afikhan, Aliyev Akif Abdulla and Bahlulov Elkhan Ogtay expressed in their explanations that the voting process had been conducted in comply with legislation. After the vote counting has ended, final protocol on the voting results was compiled at the PEC, one copy of that protocol was displayed on the information board and copies were submitted to the observers and registered candidates in comply with legislation.

Through full, detailed, fair and impartial investigation and written evidences, the cases claimed in the appeal have not been justified and due to that reason, the complaint shall not be implemented.

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 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 # 74 dated December 28, 2014 by Rovshan Aflat Babayev, registered candidate on Turkan municipality of Khazar Con.EC # 14 shall not be implemented due to the groundless factors.
2. The decision shall be enforced upon its publication.

CEC Chairman

Mazahir Panahov

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