Decision

of the Central Election Commission

on making amendments to some legal documents of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan

For the purpose of execution of the 3rd part of the Decree # 554 by President of the Republic of Azerbaijan, dated July 14, 2015 on the annul of the Decree # 644 by President of the Republic of Azerbaijan, dated November 24, 1997 "On the implementation of the Law # 1281-IVQ "On Advertising" of the Republic of Azerbaijan, dated May 15, 2015 and on the implementation of the Law "On Advertising" of the Republic of Azerbaijan, dated January 10, 2019 on the implementation of the Law # 1397-VQD of the Republic of Azerbaijan, dated December 18, 2018 "On making amendments to the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan", thereby according to Articles 75.2, 78.2 on "Normative legal acts" of the Constitutional Law of the Republic of Azerbaijan, the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan, **decides:**

- The "Instruction on the rules for conducting pre-election campaign in mass media in Elections to the Milli Majlis of the Republic of Azerbaijan", approved by CEC decision # 15/58- 14, dated July 23, 2010 shall be made the following amendments:
- 1.1. The words "and "On Advertising"" in the item 1.1 shall be excluded and the words "the laws" shall be replaced by the words "the Law";
- 1.2. The words "the Decision" in the items 3.2, 3.13, 4.4 and semi-items 6.1.5, 6.1.9 shall be replaced by the words "the Order";
- 1.3. The item 6.2.7 shall be annulled.
- 2. The "Instruction on the rules for conducting pre-election campaign in mass media in Municipal Elections", approved by CEC decision # 23-7, dated August 24, 2009 shall be made the following amendments:
- 2.1. The words "and "On Advertising"" in the item 1.1 shall be excluded and the words "the laws" shall be replaced by the words "the Law";
- 2.2. The item 6.2.7 shall be annulled.
- 3. The words "the Decision" in the item 1.1 of the "Instruction on the rules for nomination of the candidacy on own initiative of citizens, establishment of voters' initiative groups and candidate nomination by them in Elections to the Milli Majlis of the Republic of Azerbaijan", approved by CEC decision # 13/38, dated July 2, 2005 shall be replaced by the words "the Order".
- 4. After the words "the Decision" in the items 1.1 and 2.1 of the "Instruction on the rules for the preservation of official documents regarding the conduct of elections

(referendum) in the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 27/103, dated May 27, 2006 shall be added the words "the Order".

- 5. The "Instruction on working rules of voters' lists of election commissions" approved by CEC decision # 6/23-1, dated July 4, 2008 shall be made the following amendments:
- 5.1. The words "Upon its announcement" in the items 3.1 and 3.5 shall be replaced by the words "On appointment of the decision (order) upon its official publication";
- 5.2. The words "since the day" in the item 3.2 shall be replaced by the words "On appointment of the decision (order) upon its official publication";
- 5.3. The words "since its announcement" in the items "3" "3 a" shall be replaced by the words "On appointment of the decision (order) upon its official publication".
- 6. After the words "The decision" in the 6th and 10th lines of the second paragraph of the first part of the "Instruction on the status of the agents in elections (referendum) held in the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 7/27-1, dated July 18, 2008 shall be added the words "order".
- 7. The "Instruction on the rules of the activities of the international (foreign) observers in the elections (referendum) held in the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 7/27-4, dated July 18, 2008 shall be made following amendments:
- 7.1. The words " The decision" in the items 1.1 shall be added the words "(The order)"
- 7.2. The words "since its announcement" in the item 2.1 shall be replaced by the words "On appointment of the decision (order) upon its official publication".
- 8. The words "The announcement" in the first sentences of the items 1.1 and 2.1 of the "Instruction on providing local observation in the elections (referendum) held in the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 7/27-3, dated July 18, 2008 shall be replaced by the words "On appointment of the decision (order) its official publication".
- 9. After the words "The decision" in the semi items 1.2.5 and 1.2.9 of the "Instruction on the rules for receipt of monetary resources to financial funds on referendum of referendum campaign groups, conducting of records of expenses and accounting rules" approved by CEC decision # 31/141-6, dated December 30, 2008 shall be replaced by the words "order".
- 10. After the words "the order" in the items 3.4, 3.5, 4.2 and in semi items 5.1.6, 5.1.10 of the "Instruction on procedures of conducting pre-referendum campaign in mass media" approved by CEC decision # 1/4-1, dated January 8, 2009 shall be added the words "the order" and the words "the elections" in the semi item 5.1.10 shall be replaced by the words "the referendum".
- 11. The words "the order" in the items 3.5 and 3.9 of the "Instruction on the rules for receipt of monetary resources to election funds, accounting and reporting of expenses in Elections to the Milli Majlis of the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 10/49-3, dated May 6, 2010 shall be replaced by the words "the order".

- 12. After the words "the order" to the item 2.3 of the "Regulation on control-inspection section of the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 5/24, dated June 5, 2013 shall be added the words "(the order)"
- 13. After the words "the decision" to the item 2.3 of the "Regulation on control- inspection service of the Constituency Election Commission" approved by CEC decision # 5/25, dated June 5, 2013 shall be adde the words "(the order)".
- 14. The words "upon its publication" in the item 2.1 of the "Instruction on participation of stateless persons and foreigners in elections (referendum)" approved by CEC decision # 6/48, dated June 18, 2013 shall be replaced by the words "On appointment of the decision (order) upon its official publication".
- 15. After the words "the appointment" to the item 1.2 of the "Rules for submitting information on the amount and source of income and property of the candidate in elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan" approved by CEC decision # 9/84, dated May 15, 2015 shall be the words "official publication of the decision (order) on the appointment".
- 16. The Central Election Commission shall ensure within its competence the implementation of the activities implied in the legislation for the official publication and enforcement of the Decision.

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