

DECISION

of Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on consideration of the appeal # 151 submitted to the Central Election Commission on February 13, 2020 in the Elections to the MilliMajlis on February 9, 2020

Regarding the Elections to the MilliMajlis on February 9, 2020, RamilBalakerimKerimli, registered candidate on Surakhani third Con.EC # 32 applied to the Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan (CEC) on February 13, 2020, claiming that the law violations were committed in some polling stations of that Con.EC, therefore requested to undertake relevant measures.

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.

It was determined during the reviewing the submitted appeal that the complaint had been submitted upon missing the legally-defined deadline and due to that reason, and Expert Group member provided an opinion to return the appeal.

Pursuant to Article 112.1 of the Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and semi-item # 4.1.2 of the above-mentioned Instruction, election actors may submit a complaint against a decision or action (inaction) offending citizens' election rights within 3 days since the day of publication or getting of that decision, committing that action (inaction) or informing the interested person on that.

Pursuant to Article 112-1.14.1 of the Election Code and semi-item # 7.10.2 of the relevant Instruction, a complaint shall be filed within the manner and period defined by law, i.e. within 3 days after the action (inaction) has committed or the interested side has been warned.

Pursuant to 19.4, 28.2, 112, 112-1 of Election Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan and items 4.1.2 and 7.10.2 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 # 151 submitted to CEC on February 13, 2020 by RamilBalakerimKerimli, registered candidate on Surakhani third Con.EC # 32 in the Elections to the MilliMajlis on February 9, 2020 shall be sent to the applicant as the application is filed with the legally-defined deadline.
2. The decision shall be enforced upon its publication

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