

DECISION
of Central Election Commission
of the Republic of Azerbaijan

**on the consideration of the appeals 05 dated 23 September 2013 by Gulagha Aslanli,
authorized representative of registered candidate to presidency Jamil Hasanli in
Presidential Elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan on October 9, 2013**

Having applied in written form to Central Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan on 23 September 2013, Gulagha Aslanli, authorized representative of Jamil Hasanli, registered candidate in the Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan on October 9, 2013 informed that on 22 September 2013, 5 young persons supporting the interests of the candidate represented by him were detained by the police on the entrance of subway station "Azadlig prospekti" and were taken to police office № 5 Binagadi district Police Office and exposed to physical violence there, they were released after the police took the campaign materials (17 shirts, 220 posters and slogans) belonging to Jamil Hasanli, on that day taxi and other cars which were being driven from Sumgayit to Baku were stopped and made to go back to Sumgayit by the state traffic police without any reason, furthermore, the voters going to "Inshaatchilar" station were troubled by turning the subway trains in the route "Hazi Aslanov" – "Darnagul" to the station "Icherishahar" from 15.00 until 16.40, after the meeting of Jamil Hasanli with voters ended on that day, the police went to the house of one of the activists of Musavat Party Vasif Huseynov and required his parents to deliver him to come to Yasamal district Police Office, therefore, applicant requested to appeal to Baku city Main Police Office, Baku Metropolitan and Yasamal district Police Office for the punishment of the organizations and persons who have committed the illegal actions as supposed in the appeal.

As the appeal had been compiled 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 on the violation of election rights to Central Election Commission and Constituency Election Commissions and their consideration by these commissions", it was adopted to investigation by the member of the Expert Group established under Central Election Commission and relevant opinion was provided and considered at the session of Central Election Commission.

As there were grounds for the implementation of the applicant's request on investigating the law violations claimed in the appeal by relevant bodies and undertaking necessary measures, the appeal shall be sent to Baku city Main Police Office (since Yasamal district Police Office also is under the subordination of Baku city Main Police Office) and Baku Metropolitan and the applicant shall be informed on the result.

Taking the above mentioned as a basis, pursuant to Articles 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 Instruction "on submission and investigation of complaints and appeals on violation of election rights filed to Election Commission of the Republic of Azerbaijan and constituency election commissions", the Central Election Commission **decides**:

1. The appeal filed to Central Election Commission on 23 September 2013 by Gulagha Aslanli, authorized representative of Jamil Hasanli, registered candidate in the Presidential elections of the Republic of Azerbaijan on October 9, 2013 shall be sent to Baku city Main Police Office and Baku Metropolitan for the investigation on determination and undertaking relevant measures on this.
2. The complainer shall be ensured to be informed on the result of investigation.
3. This decision shall be enforced since the day of its publication.

Chairman

Mazahir Panahov

Secretary

Arifa Mukhtarova

Secretary

Mikayil Rahimov