



Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
Electoral Complaints Commission

October 18, 2009

Dr. Azizullah Ludin
Chairman
Independent Election Commission of Afghanistan
IEC Compound, Jalalabad Road,
Kabul, Afghanistan

Dear Dr. Ludin,

The Electoral Complaints Commission has completed its work with respect to certification of the 20 August 2009 Presidential election. Three separate activities were undertaken since election day including investigating and adjudicating complaints that could have had a material impact on the election results; an audit and recount based on the ECC order of 8 September 2009; and, addressing the issue of the quarantined ballot boxes that were identified in IEC decisions 61-1388 and 62-1388.

The ECC has delivered documents that provide the IEC with the conclusions of our work in the three aforementioned categories as well as specifying the adjustments to the vote totals of the candidates that the IEC must undertake prior to the final results for the Presidential election being certified.

Once the IEC has complied with all of the terms of the attached decisions, including those related to the quarantined polling stations, it may proceed with certification of the final results according to Article 49(1) of the Election Law, to certify the final results of the 20 August 2009 Presidential election.

Sincerely,



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Grant Kippen
Chairman
Electoral Complaints Commission