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**Resolution of the  
Federation Council of Federal Assembly of the  
Russian Federation of November 25, 2011 No. 442-SF**

**“On calling the election of the President of the Russian Federation”**

In accordance with Article 81, paragraph “d” of Clause 1 of Article 102 of the Constitution of the Russian Federation, Clauses 2 and 7 of Article 5 of the Federal Law “On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation” the Federation Council of Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation **decrees**:

1. To call the election of the President of the Russian Federation on March 4, 2012.
2. This Decision shall enter into force after its official publication.

**Chairman of the Federation Council of  
Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation**

**V. Matvienko**

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## **REGULATION**

of December 27, 2011

Moscow

No. 82/635-6

### **On the procedure of video surveillance at polling stations during the election of the President of the Russian Federation, March 4, 2012**

In order to provide transparency and publicity of the activities of election commissions, in accordance with Clause 5 of Article 3, Sub-clause “c” of Clause 9 of Article 21, Article 30 of the Federal Law “ On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum”, Clause 1 of Article 10 and Article 23 of the Federal Law “On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation”, the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation resolves:

1. To establish the procedure of video surveillance at polling stations during the election of the President of the Russian Federation on March 4, 2012 (attached).

2. Election commissions of the Russian Federation, territorial, and precinct election commissions shall follow the specified Procedure for application of video surveillance means at the polling station.

3. To recommend to the Ministry of Communications and Mass Communications of the Russian Federation to provide video broadcasting in the information and telecommunication network Internet for representing the voting process and counting of votes in the election of the President of the Russian Federation on March 4, 2012 from polling stations in the territory of the Russian Federation, archiving, storage of materials obtained in the course of video broadcasting, and to determine the regional data processing centers for further image transmission to the relevant site.

4. To take into consideration that the technical requirements for means of video surveillance and broadcasting of images used during the election of the President of the Russian Federation on March 4, 2012, are established by the Ministry of Communications and Mass Communications of the Russian Federation.



Technical requirements for means of video surveillance and broadcasting of images approved by an extract from the protocol of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation of September 2, 2010 No. 215-2-5, for means of video surveillance and broadcasting of images used during the election of the President of the Russian Federation on March 4, 2012, do not apply.

5. To impose control over the implementation of this Regulation on the Chairman of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, V. E. Churov.

6. To publish this Regulation in the journal “Bulletin of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation”

**Chairman  
of the Central Election Commission  
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**Secretary  
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of the Russian Federation**

**N.E. Konkin**

APPROVED

by the Regulation of the Central Election  
Commission of the Russian Federation  
of December 27, 2011, No. 82/635-6

**The procedure  
of video surveillance at polling stations during the election  
of the President of the Russian Federation on March 4, 2012**

**1. General Provisions**

1.1. The use of modern information technology is one of the priorities to improve the election process in general and to optimize the activity of election commissions.

Organization of video surveillance at election precincts (hereinafter – the precincts) is carried out in order to increase public confidence in the electoral process, to ensure maximum transparency and publicity of the voting procedure and vote counting.

Means of video surveillance and broadcasting of images are technical devices designed for video surveillance of the voting procedure and votes counting, which occurs at the polling station of the precinct, and broadcasting of their images.

1.2. Means of video surveillance and broadcasting of images are used at all polling stations in the territory of the Russian Federation, with the exception of polling stations formed in hospitals and other medical institutions with in-patient departments, confinement facilities for suspects and accused persons, military units, ships at sea , at polar stations, in remote and hard-to-reach areas, where it is not possible to transfer information to one of the regional centers specified in Clause 2.1 of the Procedure for regional centers, as well as those established by heads of diplomatic and consular missions. The list of precincts where broadcasting is carried out is posted on the website of the election commission of the subject of the Russian Federation.

1.3. When combining the authorities of the precinct election commission on conducting the election of the President of the Russian Federation with the authorities on conducting elections and referenda of other levels, means of video surveillance are used during all elections and referenda, conducted by this precinct commission.

1.4. Means of video surveillance and broadcasting of images designed for video broadcasting of the voting procedure and counting of votes are used according to the requirements of Clause 5 of Article 3 of the Federal Law “ On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum”, and Clause 1 of Article 10 of the Federal Law “On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation” that the activity of the commissions in preparation and conduct of elections, counting of votes, establishment of vote results and election results shall be open and transparent, as well as the provisions of Article 1521 of the Civil Code of the Russian Federation, other provisions of the legislation of the Russian Federation, establishing restrictions for the access to information.

1.5. Broadcasting of the image obtained is carried out on a special page on the Internet site. Redirection to a special page is carried out by using

the hyperlink on the website of the election commission of the Russian Federation of the Internet portal of the GAS “Vybory”. Broadcasting time – from the beginning of the work of the PEC on the voting day till 20:00 local time and from 21:00 Moscow time until the end of all election activities in the polling station.

1.6. A registered candidate for the post of the President of the Russian Federation has the right to get access to a continuous image broadcasting through allocation of a separate communication channel.

1.7. Image broadcasting can be performed on the devices for displaying collectively sharing information of the Information Center of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, information centers of election commission of the subjects of the Russian Federation.

## **2. Requirements for installation and operation of video surveillance means**

2.1. The video surveillance and image broadcasting system consists of a web-camera (surveillance cameras) installed at the polling stations, as well as devices for recording and storing video information, and devices for data processing of video broadcasting installed in the regional data processing centers, for further transmission of the image to the relevant site.

Hardware configuration must provide impossibility of substitution of the video information received from the video surveillance devices and ensure its reliability and sustainability.

2.2. Two surveillance cameras are installed at each precinct, they are fixed and checked for operation in accordance with the operational documentation. Video surveillance means shall operate continuously from the start of work of the precinct election commission till signing the protocol of the precinct commission of voting results and issuing copies of the protocol in accordance with Article 68 of the Federal Law “ On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum”, including vote recounting, redrawing of the protocol of voting results by the precinct commission at the polling station of the election precinct (at least 30 hours after opening of the election precinct).

2.3. Objects of video surveillance include:

polling stations as a whole (surveillance camera No. 1);

the places of issuing ballots to voters and of working with lists of voters (surveillance camera No. 1);

stationary and mobile ballot boxes (surveillance camera No. 2);

places of cancellation of unused ballots and direct counting of the ballots used (surveillance camera No. 2).

Video surveillance devices are installed in such a way as to avoid violating the secrecy of voting and to eliminate the possibility of control over the will expression of voters, as well as control over participation of citizens of the Russian Federation in elections, the image of a citizen shall not occupy a larger part of the frame (screen).

It is prohibited to conduct video surveillance over places designed to fill in the ballots, over the ballots filled in prior to counting of votes. Surveillance over the work with the voters' list shall be carried out in such manner as to preserve the confidentiality of personal data which it contains.

2.4. Interaction with special technical subdivisions, installing and maintaining video surveillance devices is organized by the election commission of the subject of the Russian Federation.

Places for video surveillance devices and other necessary equipment are determined by the precinct election commission, in its absence – the territorial election commission, taking into account planned placement of process equipment at the polling station and recommendations of technical specialists installing the equipment, in agreement with the owner of the premises and subject to the requirements of this Procedure.

The placement scheme for video surveillance devices and process equipment for precinct commissions shall be agreed with the head of a group of technical specialists and the owner of the premises, a copy of the scheme is sent to the territorial election commission.

2.5. After performance of works on installation of video surveillance devices at the polling station an act is drawn up, which is sent to the territorial election commission. The act specifies the equipment operability, image quality, availability of broadcasting to the user. After that it is prohibited: to move video surveillance devices, to change their focal distance, to take actions that violate the continuing operation of video surveillance devices, to interfere with the process of transmission or storage of recorded information.

2.6. Regional data processing centers provide recording of images, generated by video surveillance devices during the operation, to the electron-

ic media. The recorded video material is stored for one year from the date of official publication of general election results. Access to stored video materials is not restricted.

### **3. Awareness activities of commissions**

3.1. The Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, election commissions of the subjects of the Russian Federation, territorial election commissions, precinct election commissions before the voting day and directly on the voting day perform a set of actions to inform all participants of the election process on the use of video surveillance devices and their application.

3.2. Broadcasting from each precinct must be accompanied by information about the number of election precinct, the name of the subject of the Russian Federation, stating the date and time of broadcasting.

3.3. At the entrance to the polling station, as well as inside of these premises plates of "A4" format with the inscription "Video surveillance is conducted in the room" shall be placed to the fore.

## **Transparency of the Activity of Election Commissions**

### **(Article 23 of the Russian Federation Federal Law On The Election Of The President Of The Russian Federation (Federal Law No. 19-FZ of January 10, 2003))**

1. Members and staff personnel of superior election commissions, a registered candidate or his attorney or authorized representative for financial issues may attend all meetings of any election commission and be present when a precinct, territorial election commission is working with voters' lists, ballots, absentee certificates, protocols of voting results and summary tables. The aforementioned persons shall not need any additional permission to attend the meeting of the relevant election commission and be present when it is working with the aforementioned electoral documents. The relevant election commission shall make arrangements to ensure free access of these persons to its meeting and to the premises where this election commission counts votes and works with the aforementioned documents. Vote counting may also be witnessed by the members of the press.

2. Election commissions shall inform the election commission of the next higher level, each registered candidate or his attorney or authorized representative for financial issues about the time and place when and where the election commission is to hold its meetings and work with the electoral documents listed in Clause 1 of this Article.

3. When election commissions consider complaints (appeals), their meeting may be attended by the complainants and the representatives of the parties concerned, who may give explanations and submit evidence to the substance of the matter under consideration.

4. Election commissions shall inform voters about the results of the registration of candidates; biographical data of registered candidates and other information about them, which was received by the election commissions in accordance with this Federal Law; the voting results for each registered candidate and the results of the election of the President of the Russian Federation.

5. On the voting day and on the days of early voting, the persons mentioned in Clause 1 of this Article as well as observers, foreign (international

al) observers may be present at polling stations from the time a precinct election commission begins its work and until it is informed that the superior election commission has received a protocol of voting results, and also during vote recount.

6. Observers, members of the press, foreign (international) observers may be present in other election commissions when these commissions establish voting results and election results, preparing protocols on voting results, election results and when votes are recounted.

7. All members of an election commission, other persons mentioned in Clause 1 of this Article, observers shall be allowed to enter the premises of a precinct election commission of any election precinct formed in the territory of a military unit, in a closed administrative-territorial unit, at a hospital, sanatorium, holiday hotel, in places where persons suspected of or charged with commission of a crime are held in custody and other places of temporary stay, as well as polling stations of these election precincts and the premises where votes are counted.

8. Observers may be appointed by each registered candidate, each political party which nominated a registered candidate. Eligible to act as an observer shall be a citizen of the Russian Federation who is entitled to an active electoral right. Ineligible for appointment as observers shall be persons occupying elective offices, deputies, top executives of the subjects of the Russian Federation (heads of the highest executive bodies of state power of the subjects of the Russian Federation), heads of local administrations, persons directly subordinated to them, judges, prosecutors, voting members of election commissions.

9. The powers of an observer shall be certified in writing by the credentials issued by a registered candidate or his attorney, a political party whose interests are represented by the given observer. The credentials shall indicate the surname, first name and patronymic of the observer; his residential address and telephone number (if any); the number of the election precinct and the name of the election commission (territorial or precinct commission) to which he is sent; the fact that the person does not come within the restrictions set forth in Clause 8 of this Article. Provision of any additional information about the observer shall not be required. If an observer is sent by a candidate or his attorney, the credentials need not be certified by a seal. The credentials shall be valid if presented together with the passport or a document equivalent to a citizen's passport. No advance notification about sending an observer shall be required.

10. The credentials mentioned in Clause 9 of this Article may be produced to a precinct election commission in the period specified by Clause 5 of this Article and to other election commissions – in the period from the commencement of voting at election precincts to completion of the work on the protocol of voting results, election results, including results of vote recount.

11. A candidate, a political party may appoint several observers to each election commission, who may take turns while monitoring the conduct of voting and performance of other electoral actions at the polling station. Two and more persons, representing the interests of one registered candidate, one political party, shall not be allowed to act simultaneously as observers in the premises of an election commission or at the polling station. No restrictions other than those set forth in this Federal Law shall be imposed on the presence of observers in the premises of an election commission or at the polling station, on monitoring the conduct of voting, vote counting and preparation of protocols of voting results and on the issuance of copies of these protocols.

12. An observer is entitled to:

1) inspect the voters' lists, register of issued absentee certificates, absentee certificates kept by an election commission, register of applications for voting outside the polling station;

2) be present at the polling station of the given election precinct on the voting day at any time during the period mentioned in Clause 5 of this Article;

3) observe issuance of ballots to voters;

4) be present when voters vote outside the polling station;

5) observe counting of the number of voters in the voters' lists, the number of ballots issued to voters, the number of canceled ballots; observe vote counting at the polling station from a distance and under conditions which allow the observer to see the marks made by voters in the ballots; inspect any marked and unmarked ballots when votes are being counted; observe the preparation by the election commission of the protocol of voting results and other documents during the period mentioned in Clause 5 of this Article;

6) make proposals and remarks concerning organization of voting to the chairman of a precinct election commission or, in his absence, to a person acting for him;

7) inspect the protocol of voting results of the election commission to which the observer is sent, the protocol of voting result, election results of



election commissions of the next lower level and the documents attached to these protocols; receive certified copies of these protocols from the election commission;

8) appeal decisions and actions (inaction) of the election commission, to which the observer was sent, directly to the election commission of the next higher level or to a court;

9) be present at vote recount carried out by the election commission;

13. Observers shall not:

1) issue ballots to voters;

2) sign for voters for the receipt of ballots when asked to do so by them;

3) mark ballots for voters and do so on their request;

4) do anything that might violate the secrecy of voting;

5) directly participate in the counting of ballots together with the voting members of an election commission;

6) interfere with the work of an election commission in any way;

7) carry on election campaigning among voters;

8) participate in taking of decisions by an election commission.

14. Members of the press, taking part in the information coverage of preparation and conduct of the election of the President of the Russian Federation, are entitled to:

1) be present at meetings of election commissions;

2) inspect the protocol of voting results of a precinct elections commission and with protocols of voting results, election results, including repeat protocols, of other election commissions;

3) receives copies of the protocols mentioned in Sub-Clause 2 of this Clause and the attached documents from the election commission;

4) attend election campaigning events and cover them in the mass media;

5) be present at the polling station on the voting day and early voting day, take photos and make video films.

15. Copies of protocols and of other documents of an election commission shall be certified by the chairman, deputy chairman or secretary of the election commission. To do so, the aforementioned persons shall make a note "This is a true copy" on the copy to be certified, sign this note, write their names and initials, indicate the date and time of certification and affix the seal of the election commission.

16. Non-voting members of election commissions, observers, members of the press present at voting and vote counting carried out by precinct

election commissions may wear name badges free of any signs of election campaigning, which indicate their status, surname, first name and patronymic. The badge of a non-voting member of an election commission shall also indicate the surname, first name and patronymic of the registered candidate who appointed him. The badge of an observer shall indicate the surname, first name and patronymic of the registered candidate or the name of the political party who/which sent this observer to the election commission. The forms of badges of non-voting members of election commissions and observers shall be established by the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation.

# **CENTRAL ELECTION COMMISSION OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

## **RESOLUTION**

May 12, 2011

Moscow

No. 10/98-6

### **On Explanations on the activities' procedure of foreign (international) observers during the election of the President of the Russian Federation and on certificate of a foreign (international) observer**

In order to implement requirements of Article 30 of the Federal Law "On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum" and Article 24 of the Federal Law "On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation" the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation decrees:

1. To approve Explanations on the activities' procedure of foreign (international) observers (Annex 1), the form of certificate of foreign (international) observer during the election of the President of the Russian Federation (Annex 2).

2. To publish this resolution in the journal "Vestnik of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation".

**Deputy Chairman  
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of May 12, 2011 No. 10/98-6

**Explanations  
on the activities' procedure of foreign (international) observers  
at the elections of the President of the Russian Federation**

These explanations on the activities' procedure of foreign (international) observers at the elections of the President of the Russian Federation (hereinafter – the Explanations) are prepared on the basis of the provisions of the Federal Law “On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum”, the Federal Law “On the Elections of the President of the Russian Federation”, generally recognized principles and norms of international law, international treaties of the Russian Federation, the Convention on Standards of Democratic Elections, Electoral Rights and Freedoms in the Commonwealth of Independent States member states.

These Explanations for the uniform application of the legislation of the Russian Federation on elections, in accordance with Sub-Clause 3 of Article 19 of the Federal Law “On the Elections of the President of the Russian Federation” explain the activities' procedure of foreign (international) observers at the elections of the President of the Russian Federation, who perform observation individually, in groups of observers, and as a part of an international observation mission.

**1. General Provisions**

1.1. Foreign (international) observer may be the representative of a foreign or international organization, who is not a citizen of the Russian Federation, having the power to perform observation of the preparation and conduct of the election of the President of the Russian Federation in the manner prescribed by the law.

1.2. International Organization in accordance with the Vienna Convention on the law of international treaties, Federal Law of July 15, 20

1995 No. 101-FZ “On International Treaties of the Russian Federation” is an interstate, intergovernmental organization.

In accordance with Article 47 of the Federal Law “On Public Associations” international public associations are not classified as international organizations and, therefore, are not empowered to appoint foreign (international) observers.

1.3. Foreign organization under these Explanations is the state authority of a foreign country or foreign non-profit organization with a volume of legal capacity which allows performing international supervision in the Russian Federation. Legal status and legal capacity of foreign organizations, if necessary, is supported by documents, recognized as such by laws of the country where they are established.

1.4. In accordance with international law, foreign or international organizations (their branches, offices, etc.) can be registered and located both outside the Russian Federation, and directly in the Russian Federation.

1.5. Foreign (international) observers are allowed to enter the Russian Federation in accordance with the Federal Law “On procedure of Exit from the Russian Federation and Entry to the Russian Federation”, and if there is a relevant invitation they are accredited by the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation on the basis of submitted documents.

1.6. The term of powers of a foreign (international) observer starts from the date of accreditation by the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation and ends on the day of official publication of the results of the election of the President of the Russian Federation.

1.7. Foreign (international) observer operates on his own and independently. Material and financial support of foreign (international) observers shall be at the expense of the organization which sent an observer, or at the expense of his own funds.

## **2. The procedure of invitation and accreditation of foreign (international) observers**

2.1. Invitations may be sent by the President of the Russian Federation, the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation, the State Duma of the Russian Federation, the Government of the Russian Federation, the Central Election Commission of the Russian

Federation after the official publication of the Decision to call the election of the President of the Russian Federation.

2.2. The Central Election Commission of Russian Federation can send invitations to the election authorities of foreign countries, as well as to foreign and international organizations specializing in electoral legislation and elections, ensuring rights of citizens to participate in the elections.

2.3. Suggestions for invitations may be submitted by the Commissioner for Human Rights in the Russian Federation, international and national governmental and nongovernmental organizations, if their statutory objectives include observing the elections, as well as by individuals who have recognized authority in the field of protection of the rights and freedoms of man and citizen.

2.4. For accreditation as a foreign (international) observers at the election of the President of the Russian Federation representative of a foreign (international) organization that meets the requirements of Clauses 1.2 and 1.3 of the Explanations sends to the body that invited him and authorized to invite foreign (international) observers the application for accreditation as a foreign (international) observers, copies of identity documents, as well as the profile of a foreign (international) observer in the established form.

2.5. Documents listed in Clause 2.4 of these Explanations should reach the body which sent the invitation in the period since receipt of the invitation, but no later than ten days before the voting day. Documents submitted in violation of the deadline will not be accepted.

2.6. The body authorized to invite foreign (international) observers after checking received documents from the representative of a foreign (international) organization required for accreditation as a foreign (international) observer submits them to the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation to make a decision on accreditation.

2.7. The Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation issues the certificate of a foreign (international) observer of a standard type to the representative of a foreign (international) organization if received documents meet established requirements. This certificate entitles the representative of a foreign (international) organization to carry out his observation of the election of the President of the Russian Federation as a foreign (international) observer. If the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation takes the decision on holding re-election the period of validity of the certificate of foreign (international) observers shall be extended by the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation.

2.8. The Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation has the right to deny accreditation to foreign (international) observer in the following cases:

- Lack of legal capacity of foreign (international) organization, which sent foreign (international) observer to observe the election of the President of the Russian Federation;

- If the representative of a foreign (international) organization of the relevant foreign (international) organization does not submit documents specified in Clause 2.4 of these Explanations or submitted them with incomplete or inaccurate information;

- If statutory objectives of foreign (international) organization or a purpose of staying in the Russian Federation and activities of foreign (international) organization or its representative are in contrary with the Constitution and laws of the Russian Federation, threaten sovereignty, security, territorial integrity, national unity and national interests of the Russian Federation;

- If previously the representative of a foreign (international) organization or the organization itself were denied accreditation as foreign (international) observers in the territory of the Russian Federation in connection with a flagrant violation of the Constitution of the Russian Federation, legislation of the Russian Federation, international instruments or principles of international observation.

### **3. The powers and activities' procedure of foreign (international) observers**

3.1. The activities of foreign (international) observers is regulated by international treaties of the Russian Federation, Federal Laws “On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum”, “On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation”, other laws of the Russian Federation.

3.2. Foreign (international) observer during his stay in the Russian Federation is under the auspices of the Russian Federation. Election commissions at all levels, federal state power bodies and state power bodies of the Russian Federation subjects, other state bodies, local self-government bodies and their officials are obliged to provide him with necessary assistance within their competence.

3.3. Foreign (international) observers visiting election commissions at all levels, federal state power bodies and state power bodies of the Russian Federation, other state bodies and local self-government bodies shall have a certificate of a foreign (international) observer issued to him and a document proving his identity.

3.4. Foreign (international) observers shall be entitled to:

3.4.1. Meet with candidates for the position of the President of the Russian Federation, their attorneys, authorized representatives on financial issues, authorized representatives of political parties, groups of voters, observers.

3.4.2. Have access to all documents (not affecting interests of national security and not containing confidential information) governing the election of the President of the Russian Federation, receive necessary information and copies of election documents specified in the Federal Law "On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation" from election commissions.

3.4.3. Be present at election precincts, including those established outside the territory of the Russian Federation, including polling stations since the work start of the precinct election commission on the voting day, as well as on the days of early voting and up to obtaining information on acceptance of the protocols of voting results by superior election commission, as well as during vote recount.

3.4.4. Be present when territorial election commissions and election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects establish voting results, the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation establishes the results of the election, mentioned commissions compile protocols of voting results and election results as well as during the vote recount.

3.4.5. Get acquainted with the voters' list, registry, issuing register of absentee certificates in the election commission, absentee certificates, register of applications (requests) for voting outside polling station.

3.4.6. Monitor issuance of ballots to voters.

3.4.7. Get acquainted with the work process of technical means of votes' counting (ballot processing complexes, electronic voting complexes) and monitor their use by the election commission on the voting day.

3.4.8. Observe after voting the counting of voters' number in the voters' list, ballots issued to voters and extracted from ballot boxes; present at counting and cancellation of unused ballots, announcement of the number of canceled ballots, the number of unused and canceled absentee certificates.



3.4.9. Get acquainted visually with canceled, unused and spoiled ballots, detachable coupons and absentee certificates (in case of reelection with not canceled unused absentee certificates) under the supervision of voting members of precinct election commission.

3.4.10. Be present at the announcement of summarized data for the list of voters, carried out by the precinct election commission before starting to count the votes.

3.4.11. Get acquainted visually with sorted ballots of standard type on votes for federal lists of candidates under the control of voting members of precinct election commission.

3.4.12. Be present at the direct counting of votes and observe counting at a distance and in conditions providing visibility of voters' marks contained in ballots, get acquainted visually with any completed or uncompleted ballot.

3.4.13. Observe compilation by the election commission of protocols of voting results and other documents from the work start of the precinct election commission on the voting day, including on the days of early voting, and up to obtaining information on acceptance of protocol of voting results by superior election commission as well as votes recount.

3.4.14. Get acquainted with protocols of voting results and election results compiled by the election commission, where they are present, receive copies of protocols and documents attached thereto from the election commission.

3.4.15. Put their signatures on sealed bags or boxes, where ballots, absentee certificates are packed after votes counting.

3.4.16. Inform members of election commissions on results of their observations; make recommendations without interference with the work of election commissions and attempts to guide the electoral process.

3.4.17. Attend the final meeting of the precinct election commission, which examines complaints and appeals on violations of voting and vote counting.

3.4.18. Get acquainted with results of consideration of complaints (appeals), applications related to violation of election legislation.

3.4.19. Receive for reviewing from the relevant election commission vote results for each election precinct or territory covered by commission activities, election results in the amount of data contained in its protocol of voting results and protocols of voting results from directly subordinate commissions.

3.4.20. After voting set forward their opinion on the legislation of the Russian Federation on elections, preparation and conduct of the election of the President of the Russian Federation, to hold press conferences and appeal to the media.

3.4.21. At the end of voting time to provide their conclusion on results of observation of preparation and conduct of the election to election organizers, state power bodies, local self-government bodies and corresponding officials.

#### **4. Obligations of foreign (international) observers and liability for violation of election legislation and rights of foreign (international) observers**

4.1. Foreign (international) observers shall:

4.1.1. Act in accordance with provisions of the Constitution, federal laws, regulations of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, universally recognized principles and norms of international law on the organization and conduct of elections and observation.

4.1.2. Perform their duties on international observation of the election of the President of the Russian Federation, guiding by principles of political neutrality, impartiality, respect of national sovereignty of the Russian Federation, disclaimer of any preferences or judgments in respect of election commissions, state power bodies, other state bodies and local self-government bodies, members of the election process.

4.1.3. Have certificate of accreditation as a foreign (international) observers and present it at the request of election organizers and other officials.

4.1.4. Observe without interfering with the election process in any of its phases, including election campaign, voting, votes counting and establishment of voting results, as well as processes following the voting day.

4.1.5. Base all their conclusions on observations and factual material.

4.1.6. Abstain until the end of voting from making any comments, evaluations, proposals and recommendations in connection with their observations or findings to the media and public.

4.2. Foreign (international) observers shall not carry out other activities other than those listed in Clauses 3.3, 3.4 and 4.1 of these Explanations, as well as use their status for activities not related to the observation of the election campaign, preparation and conduct of the election.

4.3. The Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation may revoke the accreditation of foreign (international) observer in case of violation of universally recognized principles and norms of international law on the organization and conduct of elections and their observation, federal laws, established procedure of a foreign (international) observers in the territory of the Russian Federation or in the event of new circumstances that are grounds for refusal of accreditation as a foreign (international) observer under Clause 2.8 of these Explanations.

4.4. Persons that violated the rights of foreign (international) observers shall be liable in accordance with federal laws.

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by the Regulation of the Central Election  
Commission of the Russian Federation  
of May 12, 2011 No. 10/98-6

**The form of certificate of a foreign (international) observer  
at the election of the President of the Russian Federation  
Elections of the President of the Russian Federation**

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| <b>is accredited by the<br/>Central Election Commission<br/>of the Russian Federation<br/>as a foreign (international) observer</b> |                             |
| Chairman of the Central<br>Election Commission<br>of the Russian Federation   | Stamp<br>_____              |
|   | “ _____ ” 20 ____.          |
|   | <i>(accreditation date)</i> |
| (Certificate is valid upon presentation<br>of an identity document)   |                             |

Certificate of foreign (international) observer – is a document certifying his status.

The certificate is issued on a three-color letterhead, size 135x90 mm. The certificate of a foreign (international) observer at the election of the

President of the Russian Federation includes certificate number, name of a foreign (international) observer, the name of presented country and/or organization, accreditation date as well as signature of the Chairman of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation sealed with the circular hologram stamp of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation.

Certificate of foreign (international) observer is valid upon presentation of an identity document.

# **CENTRAL ELECTION COMMISSION OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

## **RESOLUTION**

November 26, 2011

Moscow

No. 62/542-6

### **On the schedule for the preparation and conduct of the election of the President of the Russian Federation**

Based on Article 21 of the Federal Law “On Basic Guarantees of Electoral Rights and the Right of Citizens of the Russian Federation to Participate in a Referendum”, Article 19 of the Federal Law “On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation”, Resolution of the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation of November 25, 2011 No. 442-SF “On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation”, the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation decrees:

1. To approve Schedule for the preparation and conduct of the election of the President of the Russian Federation (hereinafter – the Schedule) (attached).

2. To vest control over implementation of the Schedule in the Secretary of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation N.E. Konkin.

3. To publish this resolution in the journal “Vestnik of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation” and submit it for publication in “Rossiyskaya Gazeta”, “Parlamentskaya Gazeta”.

**Chairman  
of the Central Election Commission  
of the Russian Federation**

**V.E. Churov**

**Secretary  
of the Central Election Commission  
of the Russian Federation**

**N.E. Konkin**

APPROVED  
by the Resolution of the Central Election  
Commission of the Russian Federation  
of November 26, 2011 No. 62/542-6

**SCHEDULE**  
**of activities for the preparation and conduct of the election**  
**of the President of the Russian Federation**

**Date of official publication of the regulation**  
**of Federation Council of Federal Assembly**  
**of the Russian Federation**  
**of November 25, 2011 No. 442-SF** **November 25, 2011**

**Voting day** **March 4, 2012**

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**I. ELECTION PRECINCTS. VOTERS' LISTS**

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| 1. | Formation of election precincts | Not later than January 13, 2012 | Heads of local administrations of municipal districts, urban districts, inner city areas of cities of federal significance, and in cases prescribed by laws of the Russian Federation – cities of federal significance, – the heads of territorial executive authorities in cities of federal significance (hereinafter – heads of local administrations), in coordination with relevant territorial election commissions |
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| 2. | Formation of election precincts in places of temporary stay of voters in hard-to-reach or remote areas, on ships that will be at sea on the voting day, at polar stations as well as in places where the voters reside, not having registered place of residence within the Russian Federation | Not later than January 13, 2012 and in exceptional cases – in coordination with election commissions of the subjects of the Russian Federation – not later than February 29, 2012 | Territorial election commissions, including in coordination with heads of facilities, located in hard-to-reach or remote areas, ships' captains and ship owners, heads of polar stations |
| 3. | Formation of election precincts within territories of military units situated in isolated areas, far from populated centers  | Not later than January 13, 2012 and in exceptional cases not later than February 27, 2012   | Commanding officers of military units on the decision of relevant election commissions of the subjects of the Russian Federation   |
| 4. | Formation of election precincts for voting and votes' counting of voters residing or staying outside the Russian Federation  | Not later than January 13, 2012 and in exceptional cases not later than February 27, 2012   | Heads of diplomatic or consular missions of the Russian Federation in countries' territories of voters stay  |
| 5. | Making decision on the formation of election precincts if they are not formed in terms set by Clauses 2 and 4 of Article 25 of the Federal Law "On the Election of the President of the Russian Federation" (hereinafter – the Federal Law)  | Within three days after expiration of the formation of election precincts set by Clause 2 or 4 of Article 25 of the Federal Law   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects  |
| 6. | Publication of lists of election precincts with their numbers and boundaries (if the election precinct was established in the part of settlement's territory) or the list of settle-   | Not later than January 18, 2012   | Heads of local administrations, including in coordination with commanding officers of military units (when election precincts are  |



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|     | ments (if election precinct was established in territories of several settlements), location of precinct election commissions, polling stations and phone numbers of precinct election commissions |  | formed on the territory of military units)   |
| 7.  | Publication of information about election precincts established later than January 13, 2012  | No later than two days after the formation of such election precincts                        | Heads of local administrations, including in coordination with commanding officers of military units (when election precincts are formed in the territory of military units)   |
| 8.  | Notification the CEC of the Russian Federation on the formation of election precincts for voting and voters' counting of voters residing or staying outside the Russian Federation                 | Not later than January 23, 2012, and in exceptional cases – not later than February 29, 2012 | Heads of diplomatic missions or consular missions of the Russian Federation in countries' territories of the voters stay   |
| 9.  | Providing of information on voters to territorial election commissions for compiling voters' lists   | Not later than January 3, 2012   | Heads of local administrations, commanding officers of military units, heads of educational institutions with full-time education, which have hostels on the basis of operational management or independent possession |
| 10. | Informing territorial election commissions about changes in voters' data previously submitted for compiling of voters' lists   | Weekly from the date of submission of information  | Heads of local administrations, commanding officers of military units, heads of educational institutions with full-time education, which have hostels on the basis of operational management or independent possession |
| 11. | Compilation of voters' lists separately for each election precinct   | Not later than February 11, 2012   | Territorial election commissions   |

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| 12. | Transfer of first copies of voters' lists to relevant precinct electoral commissions   | February 12, 2012  | Territorial election commissions   |
| 13. | Providing of information on voters for voters' lists compilation to election commissions of election precincts formed in hard-to-reach or remote areas, within territories of military units, ships that will be at sea on the voting day, at polar stations | Immediately after the formation of precinct election commissions   | Heads of local administrations of settlements located in hard-to reach or remote areas, commanders of military units, ships' captains, heads of polar stations |
| 14. | Providing of information on voters for voters' lists compilation and updating to election commissions of election precincts where there are voters who have temporary residence  | Not later than February 25, 2012, and daily since February 25, 2012 to voting day  | Managers of hospitals, sanatoria, rest houses, places of detention of suspected and accused persons, and other places of temporary stay                        |
| 15. | Compilation of voters' lists at election precincts formed in hard-to-reach areas, in territories of military units   | Not later than February 12, 2012, and if precinct election commission is being formed later – no later than the day of formation of the commission | Precinct election commissions  |
| 16. | Compilation of voters' lists at election precincts formed in places of temporary stay of voters, on ships, which will be at sea on the voting day, at polar stations   | Not later than March 3, 2012   | Precinct election commissions  |
| 17. | Compilation of voters' lists at election precincts formed in places where there are voters who do not have registration by place of residence within the Russian Federation  | Not later than March 4, 2012 on voters' inquiries  | Precinct election commissions  |
| 18. | Compilation of voters' lists at election precincts formed in places of temporary stay of voters at railway, bus stations and airports  | March 4, 2012  | Precinct election commissions  |

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| 19. | Compilation of voters' lists at election precincts outside the territory of the Russian Federation   | Not later than March 3, 2012  | Precinct election commissions  |
| 20. | Providing voters' lists for review and further clarification to voters   | Since February 12, 2012, if the list is complying later – immediately after completion of voters' list  | Precinct election commissions  |
| 21. | Sending of invitations to voters for review and further clarification of voters' lists (in the form prescribed by the CEC of the Russian Federation) | Not earlier February 12 and not later February 17, 2012   | Precinct election commissions in the manner established by election commissions of the Russian Federation Subjects   |
| 22. | Clarification of voters' lists   | Upon receipt of the voters' list from the territorial election commission (its preparation by the precinct election commission) to the end of voting time | Precinct election commissions  |
| 23. | Sending of information on voters to update voters' lists to territorial or precinct election commissions   | From 12 to 24th of February 2012 – every three days, and from February 25, 2011 to the voting day inclusively – every day Election                        | Commissions of the Russian Federation subjects, heads of local administrations; offices of civil registration; territorial authorities of the Federal Migration Service, and in settlements where there are no such authorities – local administrations of settlements; military commissars; commanding officers of military units; heads of educational institutions with full-time education; courts; territorial election commissions |

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| 24. | Signing of checked and updated voters' list and stamping by the precinct election commission      | Not later than 18 hours local time on March 3, 2012          | Chairmen and secretaries of precinct election commissions |
| 25. | Making a list of individual books of voters' lists (i.e. the list is divided into separate books) | After signing voters' list, but not later than March 3, 2012 | Chairmen of precinct election commissions                 |

## II. ELECTION COMMISSIONS

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| 26. | Formation (if necessary) of territorial election commissions to guide activities of precinct election commissions formed at election precincts on ships at sea, at polar stations  | Not later than December 30, 2011      | Election commissions of the Russian Federation Subjects |
| 27. | Formation of territorial election commissions to guide activities of precinct election commissions formed at election precincts outside the territory of the Russian Federation or assignment of powers of such territorial election commissions to respective territorial election commissions formed to prepare for and conduct elections of deputies to the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation of the Sixth Convocation | Not later than December 30, 2011      | Central election commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 28. | Publication (publicizing) of information on formation of precinct election commissions and the period for receipt of suggestions on nominations of candidates to precinct election commissions   | After formation of election precincts | Territorial election commissions                        |

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| 29. | Receiving suggestions on nominations to precinct election commissions  | In a period of not less than 15 days after the date of publication (publicizing) of information on formation of precinct election commissions | Territorial election commissions   |
| 30. | Formation of precinct election commissions   | Not earlier than February 2 and no later than February 9, 2011  | Territorial election commissions   |
| 31. | Formation of precinct election commissions at election precincts established in the territories of military units situated in an isolated, remote from human settlements areas, in hard-to-reach or remote areas, on ships at sea or at polar stations, in places of temporary stay of voters, or in places where there are voters without registered place of residence within the Russian Federation | Not earlier than February 2 and no later than February 9, 2012, and in exceptional cases – not later than February 29, 2012                   | Territorial election commissions   |
| 32. | Formation of precinct election commissions at election precincts outside the territory of the Russian Federation   | Not earlier than February 2 and no later than February 9, 2012, and in exceptional cases – not later than February 29, 2012                   | Heads of diplomatic and consular missions of the Russian Federation or commanding officers of military units stationed outside the territory of the Russian Federation |

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### III. NOMINATION AND REGISTRATION OF CANDIDATES

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| 33. | Preparation and publication in national state print periodicals of list of political parties eligible to participate in the election of the President of the Russian Federation, including to nominate candidates, placing it on the Internet, and also submission to the CEC of the Russian Federation of the said list | Not later than November 28, 2011  | Ministry of Justice of the Russian Federation  |
| 34. | Self nomination of candidates  | From November 25 to December 15, 2011   | Citizens of the Russian Federation, having a passive right to vote   |
| 35. | Notification of the CEC of the Russian Federation or the election commission of the Russian Federation Subject in which territory the meeting of a group of voters, established to support the self nomination of a candidate, is planned, on time and place of the said meeting   | Not later than five days before the date of the said meeting                  | Meeting's organizers   |
| 36. | Submission of application for registration of voters' group, established to support self nomination of candidates and other election documents to the CEC of the Russian Federation  | Not later than December 15, 2011  | Candidates nominated themselves or in cases stipulated by Federal law – authorized representatives of groups of voters |
| 37. | Issuance of acknowledge of receipt of documents on candidate's nomination to a candidate (authorized representative of group of voters) in written   | On the day of receipt of relevant documents                                   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 38. | Taking decision on registration of group of voters and its authorized representatives and issuance to authorized representatives of registration certificates or adoption of a reasoned decision to refuse to register them  | Within five days of receipt of documents to the CEC of the Russian Federation | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |

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| 39. | Issuance of reasoned decision to refuse registration (in case of refusal to register) to authorized representatives of a group of voters   | Not later than the day following the day of decision  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 40. | Nomination of candidates by political party  | From November 25 to December 20, 2011   | Political parties  |
| 41. | Submission of decision of the political party congress on nomination of candidate and other documents to the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation                         | Not later than December 20, 2011  | Authorized representatives of political parties  |
| 42. | Submission of candidate's application and other documents to the CEC of the Russian Federation   | Simultaneously with the submission of decision of the political party congress on nomination of candidate and other documents | Candidates nominated by political parties, or in cases stipulated by Federal law – authorized representatives of political parties |
| 43. | Issuance of acknowledgement of receipt of document on candidate's nomination in written to candidate, authorized representative of a political party                                       | On the day of receipt of relevant documents   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 44. | Taking decision on registration of authorized representatives of the political party or a reasoned decision to refuse to register them   | Within five days of receipt of the documents to the CEC of Russia   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 45. | Issuance of reasoned decision to refuse registration of authorized representatives of political party (in case of refusal to register) to an authorized representatives of political party | Not later than the day following the day of its decision  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 46. | Collection of voters' signatures in support of nomination of candidates  | From the date of payment for manufacturing of signature sheets  | Candidates, political parties that nominated a candidate   |

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| 47. | Submission of documents for registration of candidate to the CEC of the Russian Federation   | Not earlier than December 14, 2011 and not later than January 18, 2012 till 18 p.m. at Moscow time  | Candidates, authorized representatives of political parties that nominated a candidate |
| 48. | Notification of candidate, political party that nominated the candidate on apparent incompleteness of information about candidate or non-compliance with requirements of the Federal law to design of documents submitted to the CEC of the Russian Federation | Not later than three days prior the meeting of the CEC of the Russian Federation, which should consider the issue of registration of candidates | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation                                  |
| 49. | Transferring a copy of final minutes of verification of signature lists to the authorized representative of political party  | Not later than one day prior the meeting of the CEC of the Russian Federation, which should consider the issue of registration of candidates    | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation                                  |
| 50. | Realization of the right to make revisions and amendments to documents submitted to the CEC of the Russian Federation  | Not later than one day prior the meeting of the CEC of the Russian Federation, which should consider the issue of registration of candidates    | Candidates, authorized representatives of political parties                            |
| 51. | Making decision on registration of candidate or a reasoned decision to refuse its registration   | Not later than 10 days after receiving the necessary registration documents of candidates   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation                                  |



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| 52. | Issuance of a copy of the decision to refuse registration of candidates and grounds of refusing (in case of such decision) to the authorized representative of a political party | Within one day since decision making                     | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation |
| 53. | Transferring of information about registered candidates to media representatives   | During 48 hours after registration of relevant candidate | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation |

#### IV. STATUS OF CANDIDATES

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| 54. | Submission to the CEC of the Russian Federation of certified copies of orders (decrees) for release from performing official duties of registered candidates who work in state or municipal authorities or in organizations engaged in production of media for the time of participation in elections | No later than three days from the date of registration of the candidate   | Candidates or authorized representatives of political parties |
| 55. | Registration of attorneys of political parties  | Within three days of receipt of the written submission of the political party on attorneys appointment together with statements of citizens on consent to be attorneys, but not before making a decision on the certification of candidates nominated by the respective political party | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation         |

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| 56. | Notification of the relevant candidate, political party on cancelation of their attorney registration if he/she receives status, which is incompatible with the status of an attorney | Within three days from the date of the decision making   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation |
| 57. | Realization of the right of candidate to refuse his participation in elections by submitting a written application to the CEC of the Russian Federation                               | Not later than February 27, 2012, and if there are compelling circumstances – not later than March 2, 2012                                     | Candidates  |
| 58. | Realization of the right of political party to withdraw nominated candidates by submitting a written application to the CEC of the Russian Federation                                 | Not later than February 27, 2012   | Authorized body of the political party                |
| 59. | Making decision to cancel registration of candidate based on submission of a written notice on withdrawal of the candidature or candidate   | Not later than within three days from the date of receipt the candidate's statement, and since February 29 till March 2, 2012 – during the day | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation |
| 60. | Notification of the candidate against whom a decision to cancel registration is made and issuance to him a copy of the decision   | On the day of decision making  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation |
| 61. | Application submission to court to cancel the registration of the candidate   | Not later than February 24, 2012   | CEC of the Russian Federation, registered candidates  |

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## V. INFORMING OF VOTERS AND ELECTION CAMPAIGNING

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| 62. | Provision of free airtime to the election commissions of the Russian Federation to inform voters, as well as free print space to publish acts and decisions of election commissions, placement of other information  | Not later than 5 days from request  | National and municipal television and radio broadcasting organizations, editorial offices of national and municipal print periodicals |
| 63. | Placement on stands and in premises of territorial election commissions of information about registered candidates with details provided for in Clauses 3 and 4 of Article 66 of the Federal Law   | Not later than February 17, 2012  | Territorial election commissions  |
| 64. | Placement on stands and in premises of territorial election commissions of information about cancellation of registration of registered candidates   | Immediately upon receipt of information on cancelation of registration of candidates from election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects | Territorial election commissions  |
| 65. | The ban for publication (publicizing) of opinion polls, forecasts of election results and other studies related to elections, including their placement in information and telecommunications networks access to which is not restricted by a certain circle of persons (including the Internet) | From February 28 to March 4, 2012 inclusive   |   |
| 66. | The ban for publication (publicizing) of voting returns, election results, including their placement in information and telecommunications networks access to which is not restricted by a certain circle of persons (including the Internet)  | March 4, 2012 until the end of voting in the Russian Federation   |   |

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| 67. | Providing of list of national state television and radio broadcasting organizations and national state print periodicals to the CEC of the Russian Federation  | Not later than November 30, 2011   | Federal Service for supervision in the sphere of communications, information technologies and mass communications                                |
| 68. | Providing of list of regional state television and radio broadcasting organizations and print periodicals, as well as municipal television and radio broadcasting organizations and print periodicals to election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects | Not later than November 30, 2011   | Territorial authorities of the Federal Service for supervision in the sphere of communications, information technologies and mass communications |
| 69. | Publication of list of national state television and radio broadcasting organizations and national state print periodicals   | Not later than December 5, 2011  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 70. | Publication of list of regional state television and radio broadcasting organizations and print periodicals, as well as municipal television and radio broadcasting organizations and print periodicals  | Not later than December 5, 2011  | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects  |
| 71. | Campaigning period   | From the date of nomination of candidate and to midnight local time on March 3, 2012 |  |
| 72. | The period of election campaigning on television and radio broadcasting channels of and in print periodicals   | From February 4 to midnight local time on March 3, 2012                              |  |
| 73. | Publication of information about total printed space, that editorial board of state print periodical provides for election campaigning   | Not later than December 16, 2011   | Editorial boards of national state print periodicals   |

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| 74. | Publication of information about the amount (in currency of the Russian Federation) and other terms of payment of airtime and print space. Submission of specified information and notice of readiness to provide airtime to political parties, print space to relevant election commissions               | Not later than December 25, 2011   | Television and radio broadcasting organizations and editorial boards of print periodicals   |
| 75. | Drawing lots in accordance with Clause 13 of article 52 of the Federal Law in order to determine the date and time of airing of campaign materials of registered candidates, political parties and joint campaign activities on channels of national state broadcasting organizations                      | After completion of registration of candidates but not later than February 2, 2012   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, representatives of national state television and radio broadcasting organizations            |
| 76. | Drawing lots in accordance with Clause 13 of article 52 of the Federal Law in order to determine the date and time of airing of campaign materials of registered candidates, political parties and joint campaign activities on channels of regional state television and radio broadcasting organizations | After completion of registration of candidates but not later than February 2, 2012   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects, representatives of relevant regional state television and radio broadcasting organizations |
| 77. | Realization of the right of registered candidate to refuse participation in joint campaigning event  | No later than five days prior airing of joint campaigning event, and if airing should be held less than five days from the date of the drawing lots – at drawing day | Registered candidates   |

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| 78. | Drawing lots in order to determine the date and time of airing of joint campaign activities and (or) election campaign materials of registered candidates on a paid basis   | After completion of registration of candidates but not later than February 2, 2012   | State television and radio broadcasting organizations on the basis of written applications submitted by registered candidates  |
| 79. | Drawing lots in order to determine the date and time of airing of joint campaign activities and (or) election campaign materials of registered candidates on a fee basis  | After completion of registration of candidates but not later than February 2, 2012   | Municipal television and radio broadcasting organizations, that have met requirements provided for Clause 9 of Article 51 of the Federal Law on the basis of written applications submitted by registered candidates |
| 80. | Realization of the right of registered candidate, political party that nominated registered candidates to refuse using airing time after drawing lots by notifying in writing the relevant television and radio broadcasting organization | No later than five days before airing, and if airing should be held less than five days from the date of the drawing lots – at drawing day | Registered candidates, political parties that nominated registered candidates  |
| 81. | Drawing lots to determine dates of publication of election campaign materials in state print periodicals  | After completion of registration of candidates but not later than February 2, 2012   | CEC of the Russian Federation, editorial boards of state print periodicals published at least once a week  |
| 82. | Drawing lots to determine dates of publication of election campaign materials within paid print space reserved for election campaigning   | After completion of registration of candidates but not later than February 2, 2012   | Editorial boards of state print periodicals published at least once a week, on the basis of written applications submitted by registered candidates  |
| 83. | Drawing lots to determine dates of publication of election campaign materials with-   | After completion of registration of candi-   | Editorial boards of municipal print periodicals as well as state   |

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|     | in paid print space reserved for election campaigning   | dates but not later than February 2, 2012   | print periodicals published at least once a week that have met terms of Clause 9 of Article 51 of the Federal Law on the basis of written applications submitted by registered candidates |
| 84. | Realization of the right of registered candidate, political party that nominated registered candidates to refuse the use of print space for election campaign after drawing lots, notifying in writing the relevant editorial board of the print periodical | Not later than five days before the publication of election campaign material                     | Registered candidates, political parties that nominated registered candidates   |
| 85. | Submission of a payment document on transfer funds in full to pay for the airtime to the branch of the Savings Bank of the Russian Federation   | Not later than two days before providing air-time   | Registered candidates   |
| 86. | Submission of a payment document on transfer funds in full to pay for the print space to the branch of the Savings Bank of the Russian Federation   | Not later than two days before publishing of election campaign material                           | Registered candidates   |
| 87. | Submission and review of notifications of organizers of rallies, demonstrations, parades and pickets of campaigning nature  | In accordance with the Federal Law "On Assemblies, Meetings, Demonstrations, Parades and Pickets" | The organizer of a public event, executive power bodies of the Russian Federation subjects or bodies of local self-government   |
| 88. | Review of statements for providing premises for meetings of registered candidates, their attorneys, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates and voters  | Within three days from the date of filing a statement   | Owners of premises referred to in Clauses 3 and 4 of Article 54 of the Federal Law  |

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| 89. | Written notice to election commission of the Russian Federation on the fact of provision of premises to a registered candidate, their attorneys, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates, on conditions under which it was provided and when these premises may be provided to other registered candidates, their attorneys, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates during campaigning | Not later than the day following the day of providing premises to a political party               | Owners of premises referred to in Clauses 3 and 4 of Article 54 of the Federal Law  |
| 90. | Placement on the Internet of information contained in the notice of the fact of provision of premises to political party for meetings of registered candidates, their attorneys, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates and voters, or informing other registered candidates, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates otherwise about this   | Within two days of receiving a notice of the fact that premises was provided to a political party | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects   |
| 91. | Notification of registered candidates, their attorneys, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates on time and place of the meeting with military voters, organized in the location of military unit or military organization or institution (if there is no other suitable premises for meetings)   | Not later than than three days prior to the meeting   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects or territorial election commissions, at which request commanding officers of military units have provided buildings or premises |
| 92. | Publication of information about the amount (in currency of the Russian Federation) and other terms of payment for manufacturing of printed   | Not later than December 25, 2011  | Organizations, private entrepreneurs that perform work (provide services) on manufacturing of printed elec-   |



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|     | election campaign materials. Submission of specified information to the CEC of the Russian Federation or to the election commission of the Russian Federation subject where respective printing organization or individual entrepreneur is registered  |   | tion campaigning materials  |
| 93. | Submission of specimen of printed election campaigning materials or copies thereof, copies of audio-video election campaigning materials, photos, other election campaigning materials to the CEC of Russia or to the election commission of the Russian Federation subject where such materials will be distributed | Prior to distribution of relevant materials | Candidates  |
| 94. | Allocation and equipping each election precinct with special places (special place) for placement of printed election campaigning materials  | Not later than February 2, 2012             | Bodies of local self-government according to proposals of election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects or territorial election commissions           |
| 95. | Publication by a political party that nominated registered candidate of its election program in at least one national state print periodical, placement it on the Internet.<br>Providing a copy of this publication and website address where election program of the political party is hosted to the CEC of Russia | Not later than February 12, 2011            | Political parties that have nominated registered candidates   |
| 96. | Providing respectively accounting data of amount and cost of airtime and print space provided to registered candidates, representatives of political parties that nominated registered candidates for  | March 5–14, 2012                            | National television and radio broadcasting organizations and editorial boards of national print periodicals, regional and municipal television and radio broad- |

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|   | election campaigning to the CEC of Russia and election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |   | casting organizations and editorial boards of regional and municipal print periodicals |

## VI. FINANCING OF ELECTIONS

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| 97.  | Transferring of funds allocated from the federal budget for the preparation and conduct of election of the President of the Russian Federation   | Not later than December 4, 2011   |   |
| 98.  | Distribution of funds allocated for the preparation and conduct of the election between election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects  | Not later than January 13, 2012   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 99.  | Distribution of funds allocated for the preparation and conduct of elections between territorial election commissions  | Not later than February 2, 2012   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 100. | Distribution of funds for the preparation and conduct of elections at election precincts, formed in accordance with Clauses 5 and 6 of Article 25 of the Federal Law, between relevant state power bodies, as well as between territorial election commission formed in accordance with Clauses 2 and 3 of Article 14 of the Federal Law | Not later than February 2, 2012   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 101. | Reporting on the receipt of funds allocated from the federal budget for the preparation and conduct of elections and expenditure of these funds:   |   |   |
|      | To territorial election commissions  | Not later than March 14, 2012   | Precinct election commissions                           |
|      | To election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects   | Not later than March 24, 2011   | Territorial election commissions                        |
|      | To the CEC of Russia (along with information on the receipt of funds to election funds of regional branches of political parties and expendi-  | Not later than 50 days after the official publication of election results | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |

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|      | ture of these funds (in case of creation of campaign funds)<br><br>to chambers of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation (along with details of receipt of funds to campaign funds and expenditure of these funds)   | Not later than three months after the official publication of election results  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 102. | Publication of the report of the Central Election Commission the Russian Federation on the expenditure of funds allocated from the federal budget for preparation and conduct of elections, as well as information on receipt of funds to campaign funds and spending these funds in the journal "Vestnik of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation". | Transferring of report and data to editorial boards of other media for publication  | Not later than one month from the date of submission of the report and information to chambers of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation<br>Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation |
| 103. | Return to the federal budget of funds not spent by election commissions and allocated from the federal budget for preparation and conduct of elections   | Not later than 60 days after submission of a report on the expenditure of these funds to chambers of the Federal Assembly   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 104. | Issuance of a regulation of the CEC of Russia to open a special election account at the branch of Saving Bank of the Russian Federation to a candidate   | After registration of authorized representatives of political party that have nominated a candidate, authorized representatives of voters' group along with registration of authorized representative for financial issues of the candidate | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |

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| 105. | Providing of the first financial report to the CEC of Russia  | Along with documents necessary for registration of candidates                          | Candidates  |
| 106. | Providing of the final financial report to the CEC of Russia  | Not later than 30 days after the official publication of election results              | Candidates  |
| 107. | Transfer of copies of the first and final financial reports of candidates to mass media for publication, as well as their placement on the Internet       | Within five days of report's receipt   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 108. | The publication of financial reports of candidates submitted to the CEC of Russia   | Within three days of report's receipt  | Editorial offices of national, regional state print periodicals   |
| 109. | Providing of information on receipt of funds on special election accounts and expenditure of these funds to the CEC of Russia                             | At least once a week, since February 23, 2012 – at least once every three banking days | Branches of the Savings Bank of Russian Federation  |
| 110. | Direction (transferring) of information on receipt and expenditure of money of election funds to mass media for publication.                              | Periodically but not less frequently than once every two weeks, until March 4, 2012    | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 111. | Submission of certified copies of primary financial documents confirming the receipt of funds on special election accounts and expenditure of these funds | Within three days, and since February 29, 2012 – immediately                           | Branches of the Savings Bank of the Russian Federation at the request of the CEC of Russia, as well as – in the corresponding election fund – at the request of the candidate |
| 112. | Implementation at no charge basis of inspection of information provided by citizens and legal entities in making (transferring) voluntary con-            | Within five days from the date of receipt of submission of relevant                    | Registration authorities of citizens of the Russian Federation in the place of stay and place of residence with-  |

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|      | tributions to election funds. Notification of inspection's results the election commission submitted information   | election commission  | in the Russian Federation, executive bodies in charge of state registration of legal entities or non-profit organizations authorized for registering |
| 113. | Transferring of funds remaining on special election accounts to the federal budget   | Since May 3, 2012  | Branches of the Savings Bank of the Russian Federation at the request of the CEC of Russia   |
| 114. | Transferring of unspent funds on special election accounts to citizens and (or) legal entities who have made donations or transferred money to campaign funds  | Since the day of official publication of election results and prior the submission of final financial report | Candidates   |
| 115. | Secondment of experts belonging to the supervisions and auditing services, established by the CEC of Russia, election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects, at the disposal of relevant election commissions | Not later than December 25, 2011   | State bodies and other bodies and organizations referred to in Clause 2 of Article 65 of the Federal Law   |

## VII. VOTING AND DETERMINATION OF ELECTION RESULTS

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| 116. | Formation of control groups for use of GAS "Vybery" or some of its facilities in the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects | Not later than January 31, 2012 | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation, election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 117. | Formation of control groups for use of GAS "Vybery" or some of its facilities in territorial election commission  | Not later than February 3, 2012 | Territorial election commissions   |

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| 118. | Approval of procedure of manufacturing and use of special marks (stamps), their quantity, as well as requirements for transfer of special marks (stamps) by subordinate election commissions to election commissions | Not later than January 3, 2012   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 119. | Manufacturing of special marks (stamps)  | Not later than January 25, 2012  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 120. | Transferring of special marks (stamps):  |  |  |
|      | To election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects   | Not later than February 9, 2012  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
|      | To territorial election commissions  | Not later than February 15, 2012   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects, Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation (to territorial election commissions to oversee activity of precinct election commissions formed at election precincts outside the territory of the Russian Federation) |
|      | To precinct election commissions   | Not later than March 2, 2012, and in case of early voting – not later one day before the day of early voting | Territorial election commissions   |
| 121. | Approval of procedure of manufacturing and delivery of ballots, as well as the procedure for control over their production and delivery  | Not later than January 31, 2012  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 122. | Determination of ballots' quantity   | Not later than February 8, 2012  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |

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| 123. | Approval of the form and text of the ballot in Russian language  | Not later than February 8, 2012  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 124. | Approval of the form and text of the e-ballot  | Not later than February 8, 2012  | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation  |
| 125. | Approval of the text of the ballot, printed in two or more languages   | Not later than February 10, 2012   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation Subjects  |
| 126. | Manufacturing of ballots:<br><br>for early voting and voting at election precincts established in hard-to-reach or remote places, and voting at election precincts outside the territory of the Russian Federation | Not later than February 12, 2012   | Printing organization according to the decision of election commissions of the Russian Federation Subjects, Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation respectively |
|      | for the voting day   | Not later than February 22, 2012   | Printing organization according to the decision of election commissions of the Russian Federation Subjects,  |
| 127. | Decision making on the location and time of transfer of ballots to members of the election commission that placed an order for their manufacturing, destruction of excess ballots (if identified)                  | Not later than two days before the date of receipt of ballots from printing organization                                 | Election commissions that placed an order for ballots  |
| 128. | Transferring of ballots:<br><br>To territorial election commissions  | Not later than February 23, 2012, and in case of early voting – not later than three days before the day of early voting | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects  |

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|      | To precinct election commissions  | Not later than March 2, 2012, and in case of early voting – not later one day before the day of early voting | Territorial election commissions                        |
| 129. | Approval of the text of an absentee certificate, quantity of absentee certificates, form of register of issued absentee certificates  | Not later than January 3, 2012   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 130. | Transferring of absentee certificates:  |  |   |
|      | To territorial election commissions   | Not later than January 17, 2012  | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
|      | To precinct election commissions  | February 12, 2012  | Territorial election commissions                        |
| 131. | Issuance of absentee certificates to voters:  |  |   |
|      | in territorial election commissions   | From January 18 to February 12, 2012   | Territorial election commissions                        |
|      | in precinct election commissions  | From February 13 to March 3, 2012  | Precinct election commissions                           |
| 132. | Delivery of certified extracts from the register of issued absentee certificates to precinct election commissions   | February 12, 2012  | Territorial election commissions                        |
| 133. | Informing citizens who are long period of time out of their places of residence, living in new buildings and are not registered by place of residence at these premises, migrants compatriots who have benefited from the state program to assist the voluntary resettlement to the Russian Federation of compatriots living abroad, as well as citizens who do not have registration by place of residence within the Russian Federation, on the procedure of their vote | Periodically but not rarely than once every two weeks, from January 4 to March 4, 2012                       | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |



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| 134. | Notification of voters about the date, time and place of voting via mass media or otherwise | Not later than February 12, 2012, and during early voting – no later than five days before early voting   | Territorial and precinct election commissions   |
| 135. | Delivery of invitations to participate in elections to voters                               | Not earlier than February 27 and not later than February 29, 2012   | Precinct election commission in the manner established by election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 136. | Voting  | March 4, 2012 from 8:00 to 20:00 local time. If the election precinct is a place of residence of voters, whose working time coincides with the time of voting (working in companies with a continuous cycle of work or work on a rotational basis), according to the decision of election commission of the Russian Federation subject start of voting at this election precinct may be set for earlier time, but not more than two hours | Precinct election commissions   |

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| 137. | Submission of written applications (oral requests) to provide an opportunity to vote outside polling station   | After the formation of a precinct election commission but not later than 14:00 local time on March 4, 2012 | Voters who are unable for valid reason (health, disability) to arrive to polling station independently   |
| 138. | Conducting of early voting of voters (separate groups of voters who are at a considerable distance from the polling premises) on one or more election precincts established outside the territory of the Russian Federation, in hard-to-reach or remote areas, at ships that are at sea on the voting day, at polar stations | Not earlier than February 17, 2012   | Precinct election commissions according to the decision of the CEC of Russia, election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects respectively |
| 139. | Vote counting  | Immediately after completion of voting and without interruption until the establishment of voting results  | Precinct election commissions  |
| 140. | Signing protocol of voting results by the precinct election commission   | At the final meeting of the precinct election commission   | Voting members of election commissions   |
| 141. | Issuance of certified copies of protocol of voting results of the precinct election commission to persons referred to in Clause 5 of Article 23 of the Federal Law   | Immediately after signing protocol   | Precinct election commissions under appeal of relevant persons   |
| 142. | Placing of data contained in protocol of voting results of precinct election commissions on the Internet   | As input of data into the GAS "Vybory", but no later than March 6, 2012                                    | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects  |
| 143. | Establishment of voting results in the respective territory  | Not later than March 6, 2012   | Territorial election commissions   |

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| 144. | Establishment of voting results in the territory of the Russian Federation   | Not later than March 8, 2012                                    | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 145. | Establishment of results of the election of the President of the Russian Federation and signing of protocol of results of the election of the President of the Russian Federation  | Not later than March 15, 2012                                   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 146. | Delivery of the preliminary data on results of elections to editorial boards of mass media   | On a rolling basis of data to the CEC of the Russian Federation | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 147. | Official publication of data contained in protocols of voting results of all territorial election commissions and related summary tables in regional state print periodicals   | Not later March 18, 2012  | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 148. | Official publication of election results and data on number of votes received by each registered candidate   | Within three days from signing of protocol of election results  | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 149. | Official publication of complete data contained in protocols of election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects on voting returns in the journal "Vestnik of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation"  | Within ten days from signing protocol of election results       | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 150. | Publication of information on vote results, which includes full information contained in protocols of voting results, election results of all election commissions with the exception of precinct ones, as well as information on elected candidate as provided for by Clauses 4 and 6 of the article 67 of the Federal law in "Bulletin of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation" | Not later than May 3, 2012                                      | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |

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| 151. | Publication of information, which includes full information contained in protocols of voting results, election results of all election commissions with the exception of precinct ones as well as information on elected candidate as provided for by Clauses 4 and 6 of the article 67 of the Federal law | Not later than seven days from the date of publication of this information in the journal "Vestnik of the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation" | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 152. | Storage of protocol of voting results data of precinct election commissions on the Internet  | At least one year after the official publication of election results   | Election commissions of the Russian Federation subjects |
| 153. | Storage of information, which includes full information contained in protocols of voting results, election results of all election commissions with the exception of precinct ones as well as information on elected candidate on the Internet   | At least one year after the official publication of election results   | Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation   |
| 154. | Storage of documents related to preparation and conduct of elections, their transfer to superior election commission or to the archive, destruction of these documents   | In accordance with the legislation of the Russian Federation and the Regulation of the CEC of Russia dated from June 1, 2011 No. 13/149-6                        | Election commissions                                    |
| 155. | Storage of ballots, absentee certificates, voters' lists and signature lists with voters' signatures   | At least one year after the official publication of election results   | Election commissions                                    |
| 156. | Storage of the first copies of protocols of voting results, election results of election commissions and summary tables, reports of election commissions on receipt of   | Not less than five years after the official publication of election results  | Election commissions                                    |

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funds allocated from the federal budget for preparation and conduct of election and expenditure of these funds, final financial reports of political parties, registered candidates

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| 157. | Storage of video and audio recordings broadcasted in radio and television programs that contain election campaigning materials | Not less than 12 months after the official publication of election results | Television and radio broadcasting organizations |
| 158. | Storage of accounting documents on providing free and paid airtime, free and paid print space for election campaigning         | Prior to March 4, 2015   | Organizations engaged in production of media    |

**POINTS OF CONTACT  
(PHONE NUMBERS) OF THE POLITICAL PARTIES  
AND ACCREDITED REPRESENTITIVES  
OF THEIR CANDIDATES RUNNING FOR THE PRESIDENCY**

| №  | Political Party and its candidate for the Presidency  | Points of contact (phone numbers) with representatives of the candidates   |
|----|---|--|
| 1. | All-Russian political party<br>“United Russia”<br>Vladimir V. Putin                               | Phone number of the party’s office:<br>(495) 786-82-89<br>The person in charge – the CEC of Russia member in a consultative capacity<br>Andrey G. Pipilonsky<br>(POC: 8-903-795-91-67)   |
| 2. | Political party<br>“The Communist Party of the Russian Federation” (CPRF)<br>Gennadiy A. Zyuganov | Phone number of the party’s public reception room (495) 628-04-90<br>Persons in charge:<br>1. The CEC of Russia member in a consultative capacity Kiril G. Serdyukov.<br>POC: 8-925-84-84-888<br>2. The CEC of Russia member in a consultative capacity appointed by the CPRF’s candidate for the 2012 presidential election Gennadiy Zyuganov is Sergey A.Chikirev<br>(POC: 8-926-583-3915) |
| 3. | Political party<br>“The Liberal Democratic Party of Russia” (LDPR)<br>Vladimir M. Zhirinovsky     | Phone number of the party’s office<br>(495) 623-02-44; 624-08-69<br>The person in charge: the CEC of Russia member in a consultative capacity<br>Garegin N. Mitin (POC: 8-915386-28-47)  |
| 4. | Political party<br>“Fair Russia”<br>Sergey M. Mironov   | Phone number of the party’s office:<br>(495) 787-85-15<br>Persons in charge:<br>1. The CEC of Russia member in a consultative capacity Alla A. Alekseyeva<br>(POC: 8-916-503-13-18)<br>2. The CEC of Russia member appointed by the party’s candidate for the 2012 presidential election Sergey S. Mironov – Anatoly V. Pavlyuk (POC: 760-19-59)   |

## INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE

On January 25, 2012 Russia's Central Election Commission registered **Mikhail Prokhorov** as a presidential candidate.

As for February 1, 2012 M.Prokhorov is represented in the CEC of Russia by the CEC of Russia member in a consultative capacity Oksana V. **Sharova**.

## **REFERENCE DATA**

**on the Central Elections Commissions and Election commissions of the Subjects of the Russian Federation with addresses of the commissions and contact phone numbers of their officials**

### **Adygei Republic (Adygei)**

(Dialling code: 877-2. Moscow time)

#### **Central Election Commission of Adygei Republic**

Tel.: 57-03-80 (Chairman); Fax: 52-30-35 (Office)

(385000, Adygei Republic, Maikop, Pionerskaya Str. 199)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Huth Yuri Abubachirovich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Kazykhanov Fanyus Raisovich  |
| Secretary                  | Hatsats Fatima Zaurkanovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Abramova Galina Vladimirovna |

### **Altai Republic**

(Dialling code: 38882. Time zone difference is 3 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Altai Republic**

Tel.: 22234; Fax: 22234

(649000, Gorno-Altaysk, Erkemen Palkin Str. 1)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Karanina Iraida Aleksandrovna  |
| Deputy Chairman            | Meshkinov Yevgeny Kaylyukovich |
| Secretary                  | Cherkasov Dmitry Viktorovich   |
| Head of Information Center | Zimarev Vladimir Valentinovich |

### **Bashkortostan Republic**

(Dialling code: 347. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Central Election Commission of Bashkortostan Republic**

Tel.: 250-66-22; Fax: 250-16-00

(450000, Ufa, Zaki Validi Str. 46)

|                            |                            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Valeev Haydar Arslanovich  |
| Deputy Chairman            | Altynova Naylya Fayazovna  |
| Secretary                  | Dolmatova Marina Borisovna |
| Head of Information Center | Arslanov Rif Zakuvanovich  |



### **Buriat Republic**

(Dialling code: 3012. Time zone difference is 5 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Buriat Republic**

Tel.: 213498; Fax: 220643

(670001, Ulan-Ude, Buriat Republic, Lenin Str. 54)

|                            |                                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Ivaylovsky Dmitry Aleksandrovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Dondubon Vladimir Molotovitch    |
| Secretary                  | Sidorenko Lyudmila Valentinovna  |
| Head of Information Center | Tyrheev Munko Sergeevich         |

### **Dagestan Republic**

(Dialling code: 88772. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Dagestan Republic**

Tel.: 672122; Fax: 678350

(367000, Makhachkala, Lenin Square, a building of Association of Trade Union Organizations of Dagestan Republic)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Dibirov Magomed Tagirovich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Gushev Bagavudin Magomedovich  |
| Secretary                  | Halidov Halid Magomedovich     |
| Head of Information Center | Dzhamalov Shamil Badrudinovich |

### **Ingush Republic**

(Dialling code: 88732. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Ingush Republic**

Tel.: 221563; Fax: 221574

(386101, Nazran, Ozdov Str. 44)

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Evloev Mussa Hasanovich       |
| Deputy Chairman            | Ekazhev Ayup Yakubovich       |
| Secretary                  | Parizheva Madina Alihanovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Malsagov Magomet Magometovich |

### **Kabardino-Balkarian Republic**

(Dialling code: 866-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Kabardino-Balkarian Republic**

Tel.: 47-23-00, 47-00-75; Fax: 47-22-87

(360028, Kabardino-Balkarian Republic, Nalchik, Lenin Avenue 27)

|          |                            |
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| Chairman | Geshev Viacheslav Micevich |
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| Deputy Chairman            | Evtushenko Sergey Viktorovich |
| Secretary                  | Atmurazova Irina Ahmatovna    |
| Head of Information Center | Beshtokov Murat Hamidbievich  |

### **Kalmyk Republic**

(Dialling code: 847-22. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Kalmyk Republic**

Tel.: 4-07-21; Fax: 4-07-21

(358000, Elista, Lenin Square, Government House)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Dikalov Alexander Nikolaevich  |
| Deputy Chairman            | Amninova Tatyana Amurovna      |
| Deputy Chairman            | Muchaev Batyr Ivanovich        |
| Secretary                  | Fedorchenko Natalia Dmitrievna |
| Head of Information Center | Uchurov Gennady Aleksandrovich |

### **Karachayevo-Cherkess Republic**

(Dialling code: 8782. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Karachayevo-Cherkess Republic**

Tel.: 257369, 256992, 256986, 254292; Fax: 257369, 250198

(369000, Cherkessk, Krasnoarmeyskaya Str. 54)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Baytokov Mehti Hamidovich       |
| Deputy Chairman            | Aparin Vyacheslav Vladimirovich |
| Secretary                  | Zizdok Alla Viktorovna          |
| Head of Information Center | Kanyukov Oleg Pavlovich         |

### **Karelian Republic**

(Dialling code: 8-814-2. Moscow time)

#### **Central Election Commission of Karelian Republic**

Tel.: 717541; Fax: 765337

(185610, Petrozavodsk, Kuybyshev Str. 5)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Bahilin Alexey Yevgenevich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Levkin Vladimir Aleksandrovich |
| Secretary                  | Barinova Natalia Fedorovna     |
| Head of Information Center | Kondrashov Oleg Alekseevich    |

### **Komi Republic**

(Dialling code: 8212. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Komi Republic**

Tel.: 24-64-24, 28-56-76; Fax: 24-64-24  
(167010, Syktyvkar, Communisticheskaya Str. 8)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Shabarshina Elena Viktorovna |
| Deputy Chairman            | Baskakova Elena Mihaylovna   |
| Secretary                  | Serditova Larisa Mihaylovna  |
| Head of Information Center | Kozak Svetlana Nikolaevna    |

### **Mari El Republic**

(Dialling code: 8362. Moscow time)

#### **Central Election Commission of Mari El Republic**

Tel.: 425570; Fax: 424010  
(424001, Mari El Republic, Lenin Avenue 29)

|                            |                                    |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Klementyev Nikolay Konstantinovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Patrusheva Galina Aleksandrovna    |
| Secretary                  | Fomina Nadezhda Dmitrievna         |
| Head of Information Center | Yakovlev Peter Nikolaevich         |

### **Mordovian Republic**

(Dialling code: 8342. Moscow time)

#### **Central Election Commission of Mordovian Republic**

Tel.: 24-06-56; Fax: 47-82-15  
(430002, Saransk, Sovetskaya 26)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kosov Alexander Vasiljevich    |
| Deputy Chairman            | Kalinin Alexander Sergeevich   |
| Secretary                  | Chudaeva Nina Ivanovna         |
| Head of Information Center | Abrosimov Vladimir Anatolevich |

### **Yakutian (Sakha) Republic**

(Dialling code: 4112. Time zone difference is 6 hours)

#### **Central Election Commission of Yakutian (Sakha) Republic**

Tel.: 342154; Fax: 342154  
(677022, Yakutian (Sakha) Republic, Yakutsk, Lenin Str. 30)

|          |                                 |
|----------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman | Krivoshapkin Anatoly Denisovich |
|----------|---------------------------------|

|                            |                            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Pahomov Egor Afanasevich   |
| Secretary                  | Alenina Galina Georgievna  |
| Head of Information Center | Sharin Anatoly Mihaylovich |

**North Ossetian Republic – Alania**

(Dialling code: 8672. Moscow time)

**Central Election Commission of North Ossetian Republic – Alania**

Tel.: 53-85-36; Fax: 54-38-15

(362038, Vladikavkaz, Svobody Square 1)

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kadiev Konstantin Nikolaevich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Dzagoev Vyacheslav Aleksandrovich |
| Secretary                  | Markova Olga Pavlovna             |
| Head of Information Center | Dzhioev Oleg Egorovich            |

**Tatarstan Republic (Tatarstan)**

(Dialling code: 843. Moscow time)

**Central Election Commission of Tatarstan Republic**

Tel.: 292-84-03; Fax: 292-84-33

(420014, Kazan, Kreml Str. 3)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Fomin Anatoly Alekseevich       |
| Deputy Chairman            | Vahitova Rushaniya Mustafievna  |
| Secretary                  | Kamen'kova Valentina Nikolaevna |
| Head of Information Center | Potapov Roman Viktorovich       |

**Tyva Republic**

(Dialling code: 39422. Time zone difference is 4 hours)

**Election Commission of Tyva Republic**

Tel.: 2-10-09; Fax: 2-10-09

(667000, Kyzyl, Chuldum Str. 18)

|                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Ondar Bolat-Ool Dogbutovich         |
| Deputy Chairman            | Fortuna Oleg Vladimirovich          |
| Secretary                  | Sambala Mergen Shimitovich          |
| Head of Information Center | Davaakay Mongun-ool Maadyr-oolovich |

### **Udmurt Republic**

(Dialling code: 3412. Moscow time)

#### **Central Election Commission of Udmurt Republic**

Tel.: 68-25-28; Fax: 68-29-79

(426074, Izhevsk, 50 let Oktyabrya Square 15)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Ponomarev Vladimir Alekseevich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Gluhova Nadezhda Andreevna     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Vyalkina Elena Vasilevna       |
| Secretary                  | Pchelnikov Georgy Sergeevich   |
| Head of Information Center | Nikitin Leonid Anatolevich     |

### **Khakassia Republic**

(Dialling code: 3902. Time zone difference is 4 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Khakass Republic**

Tel.: 29-91-93; Fax: 29-92-72

(655019, Abakan, Lenin Avenue 67)

|                            |                                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Chumanin Alexander Vladimirovich |
| Secretary                  | Togochakov Vladimir Nikolaevich  |
| Head of Information Center | Mitruhin Yevgeny Gennadevich     |

### **Chechen Republic**

(Dialling code: 88712. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Chechen Republic**

Tel.: 62-88-76, 62-88-70; Fax: 62-88-73

(364000, Chechen Republic, Grozny, Garazhnaya Str. 2a)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Bayhanov Ismail Bautdinovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Karimov Alu Muhadinovich     |
| Secretary                  | Vahitov Ela Alievich         |
| Head of Information Center | Metsalov Ahmed Zaynadinovich |

### **Chuvash Republic (Chuvashia)**

(Dialling code: 8-8352. Moscow time)

#### **Central Election Commission of Chuvash Republic**

Tel.: 62-12-38; Fax: 58-62-02

(428004, Cheboksary, Presidentsky Boulevard 17)

|          |                              |
|----------|------------------------------|
| Chairman | Tsvetkov Alexander Ivanovich |
|----------|------------------------------|

|                            |                            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Kuprin Petr Karlovich      |
| Secretary                  | Tarasov Sergey Nikolaevich |
| Head of Information Center | Saykin Anatoly Semenovich  |

### **Altai Krai**

(Dialling code: 3852. Time zone difference is 3 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Altai Territory**

Tel.: 36-70-68; Fax: 369266

(656035, Barnaul, Lenin Avenue 59)

|                            |                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Akimova Irina Leonidovna    |
| Deputy Chairman            | Smetanin Yuri Nikolaevich   |
| Secretary                  | Ponomarenko Anna Gennadevna |
| Head of Information Center | Sidorov Yuri Vladimirovich  |

### **Krasnodar Krai**

(Dialling code: 391. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Krasnodar Territory**

Tel.: 268-29-16; Fax: 268-26-38

(350000, Krasnodar, Gymnazicheskaya Str. 30)

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Burlachko Yuri Aleksandrovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Mikheev Igor Viktorovich      |
| Secretary                  | Kucherenko Svetlana Sergeevna |
| Head of Information Center | Topolev Vladimir Nikolaevich  |

### **Krasnoyarsk Krai**

(Dialling code: 861. Time zone difference is 4 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Krasnoyarsk Territory**

Tel.: 2493061; Fax: 2493659

(660009, Krasnoyarsk Territory, Krasnoyarsk, Mira Avenue 110)

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Bocharov Konstantin Anatolevich   |
| Deputy Chairman            | Popov Alexander Ivanovich         |
| Secretary                  | Kozhemyakina Valentina Martynovna |
| Head of Information Center | Krupinin Vladimir Nikolaevich     |

### **Primorski Krai**

(Dialling code: 423. Time zone difference is 7 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Primorski Krai**

Tel.: 2209426; Fax: 2209426

(690110, Primorski Krai, Vladivostok, Svetlanskaya Str. 22)

|                            |                                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Gladkih Tatyana Valerevna        |
| Deputy Chairman            | Shklyarova Tatyana Aleksandrovna |
| Secretary                  | Ohotnikov Roman Andreevich       |
| Head of Information Center | Gladun Elena Anatolevna          |

### **Stavropol Krai**

(Dialling code: 865-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Stavropol Territory**

Tel.: 22-72-10; Fax: 29-65-10

(355025, Stavropol Territory, Stavropol, Lenin Square 1)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Demyanov Yevgeny Viktorovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Lipirov Stepan Grigorevich   |
| Secretary                  | Dikansky Roman Vladimirovich |
| Head of Information Center | Tsarev Dmitry Borisovich     |

### **Khabarovski Krai**

(Dialling code: 4212. Time zone difference is 7 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Khabarovski Territory**

Tel.: 30-55-28; Fax: 30-55-28

(680002, Khabarovsk, Frunze Str. 70)

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Tsyrfya Victor Mefodjevich        |
| Deputy Chairman            | Astashova Elena Nikolaevna        |
| Secretary                  | Nakushnov Gennady Konstantinovich |
| Head of Information Center | Yan Galina Yungyuevna             |

### **Amur Region**

(Dialling code: 4162. Time zone difference is 6 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Amur Region**

Tel.: 51-29-49; Fax: 51-83-68

(675023, Amur Region, Blagoveshchensk, Lenin Str. 135)

|          |                                |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman | Nevedomsky Nikolay Alekseevich |
|----------|--------------------------------|

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Viskulova Victoria Vyacheslavovna |
| Secretary                  | Nyrkova Tatyana Yurevna           |
| Head of Information Center | Yasevich Yevgeny Konstantinovich  |

### **Arkhangelsk Region**

(Dialling code: 8182. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Arkhangelsk Region**

Tel.: 215330, 215736; Fax: 215330

(163000, Arkhangelsk, Lenin Square 1)

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Yashkov Alexander Georgievich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Kontievsky Andrey Vasilevich  |
| Secretary                  | Plotitsyna Elena Vladimirovna |
| Head of Information Center | Lobanov Valery Aleksandrovich |

### **Astrakhan Region**

(Dialling code: 8512. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Astrakhan Region**

Tel.: 51-39-33; Fax: 22-36-44

(414000, Astrakhan, Sovetskaya Str. 14)

|                            |                                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Korovin Igor Mihaylovich         |
| Deputy Chairman            | Zolotokopov Vladimir Yakovlevich |
| Secretary                  | Mizova Vera Mihaylovna           |
| Head of Information Center | Abrosimova Elena Mihaylovna      |

### **Belgorod Region**

(Dialling code: 4722. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Belgorod Region**

Tel.: 325048; Fax: 325048

(308005, Belgorod, Sobornaya Square 4)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Pletnev Nikolay Tihonovich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Belaya Lidia Borisovna         |
| Secretary                  | Shovgenya Vladimir Nikolaevich |
| Head of Information Center | Belousov Andrey Yurevich       |



### **Bryansk Region**

(Dialling code: 4832. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Bryansk Region**

Tel.: 74-08-52, 64-43-05; Fax: 74-08-96, 64-54-14  
(241002, Bryansk, Lenin Avenue 33)

|                            |                                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kaplunov Igor Viktorovich        |
| Deputy Chairman            | Proyanenkov Vladimir Dmitrievich |
| Secretary                  | Buyanova Galina Aleksandrovna    |
| Head of Information Center | Zalashkov Dmitry Vyacheslavovich |

### **Vladimir Region**

(Dialling code: 4922. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Vladimir Region**

Tel.: 33-07-00; Fax: 33-07-00  
(600000, Vladimir, Oktyabrsky Avenue 21)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Komatovsky Vladimir Nikolaevich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Minaev Vadim Aleksandrovich     |
| Secretary                  | Kanishchev Sergey Anatolevich   |
| Head of Information Center | Vorobeva Elena Vladimirovna     |

### **Volgograd Region**

(Dialling code: 8442. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Volgograd Region**

Tel.: 35-25-15; Fax: 35-25-08  
(400131, Volgograd, Novorossiyskaya Str. 15)

|                            |                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Sirotin Andrey Ivanovich    |
| Deputy Chairman            | Guseva Tatyana Valentinovna |
| Deputy Chairman            | Dinega Maxim Alekseevich    |
| Secretary                  | Kuts Dmitry Nikolaevich     |
| Head of Information Center | Sushko Maxim Valerevich     |

### **Vologda Region**

(Dialling code: 8172. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Vologda Region**

Tel.: 72-89-47; Fax: 72-14-52  
(160000, Vologda, Herzen Str. 2)

|          |                            |
|----------|----------------------------|
| Chairman | Antonova Lyudmila Ivanovna |
|----------|----------------------------|

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|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Smirnova Tatyana Vladimirovna    |
| Secretary                  | Osipov Denis Leonidovich         |
| Head of Information Center | Matyushkin Alexey Aleksandrovich |

### **Voronezh Region**

(Dialling code: 4732. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Voronezh Region**

Tel.: 77-55-41; Fax: 77-55-41

(394018, Voronezh, Square named after Lenin 1)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Selyanin Vladimir Egorovich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Cherepuhin Vyacheslav Ivanovich |
| Secretary                  | Pankov Alexey Yevgenevich       |
| Head of Information Center | Harlanova Zinaida Olegovna      |

### **Ivanovo Region**

(Dialling code: 84932. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Ivanovo Region**

Tel.: 416130; Fax: 416128

(153000, Ivanovo, Pushkin Str. 9)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Smirnov Victor Vladimirovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Pavlov Alexander Anatolevich |
| Secretary                  | Zubova Vera Mihaylovna       |
| Head of Information Center | Koreshkov Roman Valeryevich  |

### **Irkutsk Region**

(Dialling code: 395-2. Time zone difference is 5 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Irkutsk Region**

Tel.: 34-20-63; Fax: 25-60-68

(664027, Irkutsk, Lenin Str. 1a)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Ignatenko Victor Vasilevich    |
| Deputy Chairman            | Timofeev Anatoly Innokentevich |
| Secretary                  | Shavenkova Lyudmila Ivanovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Zemskova Natalia Aleksandrovna |

### **Kaliningrad Region**

(Dialling code: 4012. Time zone difference is -1 hour)

#### **Election Commission of Kaliningrad Region**

Tel.: 539-167; Fax: 539-167

(236006, Kaliningrad, Moskovsky Avenue 95)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Plyuhin Michail Yurevich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Vinyarskaya Inessa Petrovna  |
| Secretary                  | Kudryavin Igor Vladimirovich |
| Head of Information Center | Beletsky Pavel Petrovich     |

### **Kaluga Region**

(Dialling code: 8-484-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Kaluga Region**

Tel.: 599120; Fax: 768207

(248001, Kaluga, Lenin Str. 74, building 1b)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kuznetsov Vyacheslav Ivanovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Knyazeva Ekaterina Yurevna     |
| Secretary                  | Konyashin Alexander Semenovich |
| Head of Information Center | Klypin Igor Vladimirovich      |

### **Kemerovo Region**

(Dialling code: 8-384-242. Time zone difference is 3 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Kemerovo Region**

Tel.: 58-52-89 (Chairman), 36-39-85 (Information Center); Fax: 58-54-62  
(650064, Kemerovo Region, Kemerovo, Sovetsky Avenue 58)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Emelyanov Yuri Petrovich       |
| Deputy Chairman            | Razlomova Oksana Aleksandrovna |
| Secretary                  | Pleshkan Natalia Nikolaevna    |
| Head of Information Center | Krasnikov Yuri Vladimirovich   |

### **Kirov Region**

(Dialling code: 8332. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Kirov Region**

Tel.: 62-46-69; Fax: 38-18-35

(610019, Kirov Region, Kirov, K. Liebknecht Str. 69)

|          |                            |
|----------|----------------------------|
| Chairman | Verzilina Irina Gennadevna |
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|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Zlobin Alexander Viktorovich      |
| Secretary                  | Samodelkina Svetlana Valentinovna |
| Head of Information Center | Perminov Vadim Vitalevich         |

### **Kostroma Region**

(Dialling code: 4942. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Kostroma Region**

Tel.: 311386; Fax: 311386

(156006, Kostroma Region, Kostroma, Dzerzhinsky Str. 15)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Barabanov Michail Vladimirovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Shilik Olga Nikolaevna          |
| Secretary                  | Korotaev Vladislav Viktorovich  |
| Head of Information Center | Sergienko Oleg Grigorevich      |

### **Kurgan Region**

(Dialling code: 3522. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Kurgan Region**

Tel.: 431966; Fax: 434049

(640000, Kurgan, Gogol Str. 25)

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Gulkevich Svetlana Anatolevna |
| Deputy Chairman            | Samokrutov Valery Pavlovich   |
| Secretary                  | Pavlenko Alexander Vasilevich |
| Head of Information Center | Usoltsev Victor Valerevich    |

### **Kursk Region**

(Dialling code: 4712. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Kursk Region**

Tel.: 560886 (Office); Fax: 565927

(305001, Kursk, A. Nevsky Str. 7)

|                            |                                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Zaika Galina Dmitrievna          |
| Deputy Chairman            | Molokova Margarita Aleksandrovna |
| Secretary                  | Maltsev Sergey Yakovlevich       |
| Head of Information Center | Teslenko Tatyana Anatolevna      |

### **Leningrad Region**

(Dialling code: 812. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Leningrad Region**

Tel.: 492-96-55; Fax: 492-96-51

(197342, Saint Petersburg, Torzhkovskaya Str. 4, letter A)

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Zhuravlev Vladimir Pavlovich  |
| Deputy Chairman            | Trofimov Vladimir Osipovich   |
| Secretary                  | Bodyagin Vladimir Mihaylovich |
| Head of Information Center | Zinchenko Andrey Vitalevich   |

### **Lipetsk Region**

(Dialling code: 4742. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Lipetsk Region**

Tel.: 22-84-61; Fax: 72-04-76

(398014, Lipetsk, Lenina-Sobornaya Square 1)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Altukhov Yuri Ivanovich         |
| Deputy Chairman            | Lunev Boris Aleksandrovich      |
| Secretary                  | Cherkasova Margarita Vasilevna  |
| Head of Information Center | Ryzhkov Vladimir Aleksandrovich |

### **Magadan Region**

(Dialling code: 4132. Time zone difference is 8 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Magadan Region**

Tel.: 625417; Fax: 625417

(685000, Magadan, Gorky Str. 6)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Epifanov Vladimir Iosifovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Buravchenko Irina Leonidovna |
| Secretary                  | Batsaeva Larisa Grigorevna   |
| Head of Information Center | Paikov Alexander Sergeevich  |

### **Moscow Region**

(Dialling code: 495 Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Moscow Region**

Tel.: 606-63-51; Fax: 625-57-59

(101990, Moscow, Maly Spasoglinishchevsky lane 3/1)

|          |                         |
|----------|-------------------------|
| Chairman | Vildanov Irek Raisovich |
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|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Zemskova Natalia Gennadevna   |
| Secretary                  | Pavlyukova Tatyana Nikolaevna |
| Head of Information Center | Dokin Alexander Petrovich     |

### **Murmansk Region**

(Dialling code: 8152. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Murmansk Region**

Tel.: 453198; Fax: 453567

(183006, Murmansk, Lenin Avenue 75)

|                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Stepanova Tatyana Alekseevna        |
| Deputy Chairman            | Zhdanova Marina Aleksandrovna       |
| Secretary                  | Koval Elena Anatolevna              |
| Head of Information Center | Zaynutdinova Svetlana Aleksandrovna |

### **Nizhni Novgorod Region**

(Dialling code: 831. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Nizhni Novgorod Region**

Tel.: 439-12-91; Fax: 439-16-16

(603082, Nizhni Novgorod, a territory of the Kremlin, building 2)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kuzmenko Sergey Aleksandrovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Ivanov Alexander Sergeevich    |
| Secretary                  | Andrianova Olga Vladimirovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Volovetsky Sergey Nikolaevich  |

### **Novgorod Region**

(Dialling code: 816-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Novgorod Region**

Tel.: 732-101; Fax: 777-454

(173005, Veliky Novgorod, Pobedy-Sofia Square 1)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Alekseev Boris Vladimirovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Lebedeva Tatyana Igorevna    |
| Secretary                  | Shavaev Yevgeny Vasilevich   |
| Head of Information Center | Dmitrienko Elena Viktorovna  |

### **Novosibirsk Region**

(Dialling code: 383. Time zone difference is 3 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Novosibirsk Region**

Tel.: 223-46-31; Fax: 223-46-31

(630011, Novosibirsk Region, Novosibirsk, Krasny Avenue 18)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Petukhov Yuri Fedorovich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Shalabaeva Nina Nikolaevna   |
| Secretary                  | Lebedev Sergey Vladimirovich |
| Head of Information Center | Gulyaeva Marina Nikolaevna   |

### **Omsk Region**

(Dialling code: 3812. Time zone difference is 3 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Omsk Region**

Tel.: 245693; Fax: 245337

(644002, Omsk, Krasny Put 1)

|                            |                                      |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kushnarev Alexander Ivanovich        |
| Deputy Chairman            | Yakovlev Yuri Aleksandrovich         |
| Secretary                  | Hristolyubov Alexander Valentinovich |
| Head of Information Center | Bezluk Sergey Grigorevich            |

### **Orenburg Region**

(Dialling code: 3532. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Orenburg Region**

Tel.: 77-70-74; Fax: 77-48-68

(460046, Orenburg, 9 Yanvarya 64)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kulagin Dmitry Vladimirovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Nalvadov Alexander Yurevich  |
| Secretary                  | Homtsov Pavel Valerevich     |
| Head of Information Center | Abramov Andrey Valentinovich |

### **Orel Region**

(Dialling code: 4862. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Orel Region**

Tel.: 475-471; Fax: 45-49-31

(302021, Orel, Lenin Square 1)

|          |                               |
|----------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman | Sokolov Vadim Vyacheslavovich |
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|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Merkulov Victor Egorovich         |
| Secretary                  | Markina Lyudmila Leonidovna       |
| Head of Information Center | Polotovskiy Arcady Aleksandrovich |

### **Penza Region**

(Dialling code: 841-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Penza Region**

Tel.: 59-56-46; Fax: 55-31-65

(440025, Penza, Moskovskaya Str. 75)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Taktarov Nikolay Mihaylovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Klimuhin Aleksey Nikolaevich |
| Secretary                  | Rozhkova Tatyana Borisovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Burunov Aleksey Viktorovich  |

### **Pskov Region**

(Dialling code: 8-811-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Pskov Region**

Tel.: 66-30-04; Fax: 66-30-04

(180001, Pskov, Nekrasov Str. 23)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Tsvetkov Nikolay Yurevich      |
| Deputy Chairman            | Patlach Ivan Vasilevich        |
| Secretary                  | Kovalchuk Sergey Vladimirovich |
| Head of Information Center | Ivanova Angelina Anatolevna    |

### **Rostov Region**

(Dialling code: 863-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Rostov Region**

Tel.: 240-51-51; Fax: 240-83-10

(344050, Rostov-on-Don, Socialisticheskaya 112)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Yusov Sergey Vladimirovich   |
| Deputy Chairman            | Gorodetsky Alexey Fedorovich |
| Deputy Chairman            | Rozin Mihail Dmitrievich     |
| Secretary                  | Romanenko Natalia Zhorzhevna |
| Head of Information Center | Dyubo Nina Grigorevna        |



### **Ryazan Region**

(Dialling code: 8-491-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Ryazan Region**

Tel.: 218141; Fax: 215640

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| Secretary                  | Skobelev Sergey Borisovich   |
| Head of Information Center | Volkov Victor Dmitrievich    |

### **Samara Region**

(Dialling code: 846. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Samara Region**

Tel.: 242-00-06; Fax: 242-25-98

(443006, Samara, Molodogvardeyskaya Str. 210)

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|----------------------------|------------------------------|
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| Secretary                  | Bogdanov Sergey Nikolaevich  |
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### **Saratov Region**

(Dialling code: 8452. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Saratov Region**

Tel.: 8-(8452)-277-522; Fax: 8-(8452)-277-522, 260-965

(410012, Saratov Region, Saratov, Chelyuskintsev Str. 116)

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| Secretary                  | Burmak Alexander Vladimirovich |
| Head of Information Center | Fedosova Olga Olegovna         |

### **Sakhalin Region**

(Dialling code: 4242. Time zone difference is 7 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Sakhalin Region**

Tel.: 724128; Fax: 724128

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|          |                             |
|----------|-----------------------------|
| Chairman | Vetrova Lyudmila Leonidovna |
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|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
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### **Sverdlovsk Region**

(Dialling code: 3436. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Sverdlovsk Region**

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(620031, Yekaterinburg, Oktyabrskaya Square 1)

|                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
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| Deputy Chairman            | Krasnoperov Sergey Mihaylovich      |
| Secretary                  | Raykov Vladimir Ivanovich           |
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### **Smolensk Region**

(Dialling code: 8-481-2. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Smolensk Region**

Tel.: 38-62-56; Fax: 38-62-56

(214008, Smolensk, Lenin Square 1)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
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| Secretary                  | Avinova Elena Yevgenevna        |
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### **Tambov Region**

(Dialling code: 4752. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Tambov Region**

Tel.: 72-27-24; Fax: 72-27-24

(392036, Tambov, Internatsionalnaya Str. 53)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Puchnin Aleksey Sergeevich     |
| Deputy Chairman            | Valeeva Galina Yurevna         |
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### **Tver Region**

(Dialling code: 4822. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Tver Region**

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(170000, Tver, Sovetskaya Str. 23)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
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| Secretary                  | Bykova Valentina Mihaylovna  |
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### **Tomsk Region**

(Dialling code: 8-382-2. Time zone difference is 3 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Tomsk Region**

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(634050, Tomsk, Lenin Avenue 6)

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
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| Deputy Chairman            | Obukhova Elena Anatolevna         |
| Secretary                  | Maevskaya Margarita Aleksandrovna |
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### **Tula Region**

(Dialling code: 4872. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Tula Region**

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(300600, Tula, Lenin Square 2)

|                            |                               |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Kostenko Sergey Yurevich      |
| Deputy Chairman            | Mashkov Alexander Nikolaevich |
| Secretary                  | Klimov Nikolay Mihaylovich    |
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### **Tyumen Region**

(Dialling code: 3452. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Tyumen Region**

Tel.: 46-57-59; Fax: 46-55-96

(625004, Tyumen, Volodarsky Str. 49)

|          |                         |
|----------|-------------------------|
| Chairman | Khalin Igor Nikolaevich |
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| Deputy Chairman            | Kashkarova Svetlana Mihaylovna |
| Secretary                  | Nikolaev Andrey Sergeevich     |
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### **Ulyanovsk Region**

(Dialling code: 8422. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Ulyanovsk Region**

Tel.: 442589; Fax: 442585

(432970, Ulyanovsk, Radishchev Str. 1)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
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| Secretary                  | Gusev Ivan Viktorovich         |
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### **Chelyabinsk Region**

(Dialling code: 3512. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Chelyabinsk Region**

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(454009, Chelyabinsk, Kirov Str. 114)

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
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| Secretary                  | Gluzdan Irina Nikolaevna          |
| Head of Information Center | Kondratenkov Vladimir Gennadevich |

### **Yaroslavl Region**

(Dialling code: 84852. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Yaroslavl Region**

Tel.: 302311; Fax: 302290

(150000, Yaroslavl, Sovetskaya 3)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Baburkin Sergey Aleksandrovich |
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| Secretary                  | Fefilin Sergey Vladimirovich   |
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### **Moscow City**

(Dialling code: 495. Moscow time)

#### **Moscow City Election Commission**

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(125032, Moscow, Tverskaya, 13)

|                            |                                      |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
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| Deputy Chairman            | Sinelshchikova Lyudmila Vladimirovna |
| Secretary                  | Halilulin Fayas Fatehovich           |
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### **Saint Petersburg City**

(Dialling code: 812. Moscow time)

#### **Saint Petersburg Election Commission**

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(190107, Saint Petersburg, Isaakiyevskaya Square 6)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
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| Deputy Chairman            | Krasnyansky Dmitry Valerevich  |
| Secretary                  | Shubina Nina Vladimirovna      |
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(Dialling code: 42622. Time zone difference is 7 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Jewish Autonomous District**

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(679016, Birobidzhan, Transformatornaya Str. 3a)

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|----------------------------|------------------------------|
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| Deputy Chairman            | Petukhova Valentina Ivanovna |
| Secretary                  | Efimova Olga Ivanovna        |
| Head of Information Center | Tyutrina Marina Alekseevna   |

### **Nenets Autonomous Area**

(Dialling code: 81853. Moscow time)

#### **Election Commission of Nenets Autonomous Area**

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(166000, Nenets Autonomous Area, Naryan-Mar, Smidovich 20)

|          |                             |
|----------|-----------------------------|
| Chairman | Popov Georgy Aleksandrovich |
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|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Deputy Chairman            | Gorelik Maxim Sergeevich      |
| Secretary                  | Sviridova Larisa Viktorovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Vaganov Alexander Gennadevich |

**Khanty-Mansi Autonomous Area – Yugra**

(Dialling code: 34673. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

**Election Commission of Khanty-Mansi Autonomous Area – Yugra**

Tel.: 35-50-45; Fax: 35-50-46

(628011, Tyumen Region, Khanty-Mansiysk, Mira Str. 5)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
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| Deputy Chairman            | Korneev Denis Stanislavovich |
| Secretary                  | Dmitrieva Kseniya Ivanovna   |
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**Chukot Autonomous Area**

(Dialling code: 42722. Time zone difference is 8 hours)

**Election Commission of Chukot Autonomous Area**

Tel.: 22121; Fax: 28124

(689000, Anadyr, Tevlyanto 8)

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Umanskaya Lyudmila Fedorovna |
| Deputy Chairman            | Petrusev Aleksey Petrovich   |
| Deputy Chairman            | Agapova Alexandra Nikolaevna |
| Secretary                  | Talyzina Oksana Viktorovna   |
| Head of Information Center | Rykunov Alexander Borisovich |

**Yamalo-Nenetski Autonomous Area**

(Dialling code: 34922. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

**Election Commission of Yamalo-Nenetski Autonomous Area**

Tel.: 47796; Fax: 4-09-99

(629008, Salekhard, Respubliki Str. 72)

|                 |                           |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Chairman        | Gibert Andrey Nikolaevich |
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| Secretary       | Tarasova Olga Albertovna  |

### **Perm Region**

(Dialling code: 342. Time zone difference is 2 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Perm Region**

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(614006, Perm, Lenin Str. 51)

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Saydakova Tamara Nikolaevna    |
| Deputy Chairman            | Ponomarev Sergey Vladimirovich |
| Secretary                  | Smertin Alexander Nikolaevich  |
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### **Kamchatka Region**

(Dialling code: 415. Time zone difference is 8 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Kamchatka Region**

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(683000, Kamchatka Region, Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky,  
Sovetskaya Str. 35)

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Irinina Inga Vitalevna            |
| Deputy Chairman            | Denisov Alexander Vyacheslavovich |
| Secretary                  | Boyarkina Inga Leonidovna         |
| Head of Information Center | Saldyga Elena Aleksandrovna       |

### **Zabaykalsky Krai**

(Dialling code: 3022. Time zone difference is 6 hours)

#### **Election Commission of Zabaykalsky Territory**

Tel.: 35-19-78; Fax: 35-19-81

(672051, Chita, Chkalov Str. 158)

|                            |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Chairman                   | Buyanov Valery Pavlovich        |
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| Secretary                  | Sudakova Svetlana Viktorovna    |
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**Central Federal District (CFD):**

Belgorod Region, Bryansk Region, Vladimir Region, Voronezh Region, Ivanovo Region, Kaluga Region, Kostroma Region, Kursk Region, Lipetsk Region, Moscow Region, Orel Region, Ryazan Region, Smolensk Region, Tambov Region, Tver Region, Tula Region, Yaroslavl Region, Moscow City.

A center of Federal District is Moscow.

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**Northwestern Federal District (NWFD):**

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| Konstantin Lvovich    | 127427, Russia, Moscow, Academic Korolev      |
|                       | Street, 12, tel. 617-9250                     |
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|                      | Pyatnitskaya Street, 25, building 1,            |
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## **THE SOCIAL “HOTLINE” FOR COMMUNICATION WITH VOTERS**

Public Chamber of the Russian Federation, Institute of Social Research of the Russian Academy of Sciences, the Coordinating Council for the Protection of Electoral Rights of Citizens under the aegis of the Russian Foundation for free and fair elections establish the social “hotline”.

The social “hotline” for communication with electorate attracts keen interest of the citizens and gives hope for solving issues and problems stated in voter’s appeals. It has to become an efficient tool of interactive communication between the civil society and the state, a real mechanism of public control over the election.

### **THE CENTRAL POINT OF THE SOCIAL “HOTLINE”**

**8 (800) 505-47-21**

**Multi-line phones (toll-free calls )**

Please give your phone calls during the period of February 6 – March 7, 2012 on business days from 10.00 a.m. till 18.00 p.m.

From March 3 till March 5, 2012 the line is functional around the clock.

POC:

e-mail: [hotline@rfsv.ru](mailto:hotline@rfsv.ru)

skype: [hotlineRFSV](#)



## **ACTIVITIES OF THE INFORMATION CENTER “ELECTIONS – 2012”**

Information center “Elections – 2012” of the CEC of Russia is to be functional on March 4 and March 5, 2012 at the Central Election Commission of the Russian Federation located at 9 Bolshoy Cherkassky Side street, Moscow.

Information Center is designed for information coverage of the voting process as well as demonstration of preliminary results of the elections of the President of the Russian Federation.

All the data concerning voting process will be received and displayed on-line on TV-screens at the Information Center provided by the assets of the State Automated System “Vybory”.

Required details of its activities can be found on the official site of the CEC of Russia in the Internet: [www.cikrf.ru](http://www.cikrf.ru)

## **TELEPHONE NUMBERS OF CITY EMERGENCY SERVICES**

**Toll-free numbers of emergency services for fixed location phones:**

**01 – fire protection service and rescuers**

**02 – police**

**03 – medical emergency**

**04 – gas emergency service**

**112** is one of phone numbers of emergency services used in GSM standard. It is possible to dial 112 even when phone keyboard is locked.

### **Attention!**

If a phone doesn't support short numbers, it is necessary to dial numbers of emergency services adding \*

**Phone numbers of emergency services for mobile phones:**

**01\* – fire protection service and rescuers**

**02\* – police**

**03\* – medical emergency**

**04\* – gas emergency service**

## **PHONE NUMBERS OF SERVICES FOR EMERGENCY SITUATIONS, NATURAL DISASTERS, ACCIDENTS**

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Firemen and rescuers  | 01        |
| Emergency service (round-the-clock), all kinds of aid                                   | 937-99-11 |
| Moscow Center for management in crisis situations,<br>on-duty service (round-the-clock) | 995-99-99 |
| Moscow police administration of air transport   | 214-08-05 |
| Moscow police administration of railway transport                                       | 264-68-34 |

## **PHONE NUMBERS OF SERVICES FOR FIRES**

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Firemen and rescuers | 01 |
|----------------------|----|

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Central administrative board of the State fire-prevention service<br>of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation | 217-20-59 |
| Administrative board of the State fire-prevention service<br>of the Municipal Department of Internal Affairs of Moscow             | 244-82-33 |

### **PHONE NUMBERS OF SERVICES FOR CRIMES AND OFFENCES**

|  |                         |
|--|-------------------------|
| Federal Security Service of the Russian Federation<br>(FSB of Russia)  | 921-07-62               |
| Administrative board of State Traffic<br>Safety Inspectorate of Moscow | 923-33-90,<br>923-49-09 |

### **PHONE NUMBERS OF MEDICAL EMERGENCY AND HOSPITALIZATION SERVICES (03)**

|   |                                    |
|---|------------------------------------|
| Sklifosovsky Institute, medical admission room<br>(round-the-clock) | 280-9360,<br>280-4154,<br>929-1009 |
|---|------------------------------------|

### **MILITARY AND POLICING AGENCIES**

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| The Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation   | 237-85-51 |
| Central administrative board on struggle against<br>the organized crime of the Ministry of Internal Affairs<br>of the Russian Federation | 204-88-15 |
| Central administrative board of Non-departmental security of the<br>Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation               | 251-40-51 |
| Central administrative board of Protection of public order of the<br>Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation              | 239-64-28 |
| The Municipal Department of Internal Affairs<br>of Moscow Region   | 222-48-01 |
| Office of FSB of the Russian Federation  | 924-31-58 |
| Public Prosecutor's Office of the Russian Federation   | 928-70-61 |
| Military Registration and Enlistment Office  | 924-77-88 |

## HELPLINE NUMBERS

Anonymous free telephone emergency service – a helpline (round-the-clock).

205-05-50

Emergency services

(numbers for mobile (cellular) phones):

If your mobile phone doesn't support dialing of double digit numbers, it is necessary to dial \* after service number when **calling emergency services**.

**01\* – fire protection service and rescuers**

**02\* – police**

**03\* – medical emergency**

**04\* – gas emergency service**

Emergency services numbers for MTS mobile phones

010 – fire protection service and rescuers

020 – police

030 – medical emergency

040 – gas emergency service

Emergency services numbers for MEGAFON mobile phones

010 – fire protection service and rescuers

020 – police

030 – medical emergency

040 – gas emergency service

Emergency services numbers for Beeline mobile phones

001 – fire protection service and rescuers

002 – police

003 – medical emergency

004 – gas emergency service

Emergency services numbers for Skylink mobile phones

901 – fire protection service and rescuers

902 – police

903 – medical emergency

904 – gas service

Emergency services numbers for TELE2 mobile phones

010 – fire protection service and rescuers

020 – police

030 – medical emergency

040 – gas emergency service

Emergency services numbers for U-tel mobile phones

010 – fire protection service and rescuers

020 – police

030 – medical emergency

040 – gas service

Emergency services numbers for Motiv mobile phones

901 – fire protection service and rescuers

902 – police

903 – medical emergency

904 – gas emergency service

*Call for emergency services through 112 number*

**Federal Migration Service Directorate (FMSD)  
Department of FMSD (Visa and Registration for Foreigners Office)  
of Russia for Moscow**

Hotline numbers of Visa and Registration for Foreigners Office of Russia for Moscow:

**(499) 238-64-00,**

**(499) 238-64-04,**

**(499) 238-77-13,**

**(499) 230-70-24,**

**(499) 230-73-21**

Website of Visa and Registration for Foreigners Office for Moscow:

<http://www.fmsmoscow.ru/>

Address: 115035, Moscow, Bolshaya Ordynka Str. 16, building 4

## **Inquiry offices of rail terminals of Moscow**

### **Belorussky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 973-81-91

Rail terminal master-on-duty: (495) 973-85-57

Luggage compartment: (495) 973-89-36

Address: Tverskaya Zastava Square 7 (Belarusskaya underground station)

### **Kazansky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 264-66-56

Rail terminal master-on-duty: (495) 266-28-43

Luggage compartment: (495) 266-21-26

Address: Komsomolskaya Square 2 (Komsomolskaya underground station)

### **Kiyevsky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 240-04-15

Rail terminal master-on-duty: (495) 262-62-30

Address: Kiyevsky Vokzal Square (Kiyevskaya underground station)

### **Kursky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 916-20-03

Luggage compartment: (495) 266-45-82

Address: Zemlyanoy Val Str. 29 (Kurskaya underground station)

### **Leningradsky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 262-91-43

Luggage compartment: (495) 262-98-76

Address: Komsomolskaya Square 3 (Komsomolskaya underground station)

### **Paveletsky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 235-68-07

Luggage compartment: (495) 235-91-05

Address: Paveletskaya Square 1 (Paveletskaya underground station)

### **Savyolovsky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 285-90-05

### **Yaroslavsky Rail Terminal**

Inquiry office: (495) 921-59-14

Luggage compartment: (495) 266-05-23

Address: Komsomolskaya Square 5 (Komsomolskaya underground station)

### **United inquiry service of rail terminals of Moscow**

(price for railway tickets, train schedule, availability of railway tickets, commuter electric train schedule): (495) 266-93-33

### **Inquiry offices of airports of Moscow**

Inquiry office of Sheremetyevo International airport (495) 578-91-01;

Reference information on flights of the Sheremetyevo airport:

Terminal 1: (495) 232-65-65;

Terminal 2: (495) 956-46-66;

United inquiry office of the Domodedovo Airport: (495) 933-66-66;

United inquiry office of the Vnukovo Airport: (495) 436-28-13.

### **Taxi (united service)**

Tel.: (495) 504-30-10,

669-32-66

669-35-66