



Republic of the Philippines
Commission on Elections
Manila

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IN THE MATTER OF
AMENDING SECTION 3 of
RESOLUTION NO. 9987, "In
the Matter of the Guidelines in
the Conduct of the Source Code
Review of the Automated
Election System for the 09 May
2016 National and Local
Elections."

Present:

Bautista, J.A.D.	Chairman
Lim, C.R.S.	Commissioner
Parreño, A.A.	Commissioner
Guia, L.T.F.	Commissioner
Lim, A.D.	Commissioner
Guanzon, M.R.A.V.	Commissioner
Abas, S.M.	Commissioner

Promulgated: December 22, 2015

RESOLUTION NO. _____

10032

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 9987 was promulgated on 14 September 2015 setting the guidelines for the conduct of the Local Source Code Review for the 09 May 2016 National and Local Elections;

WHEREAS, the conduct of a sufficient source code review by any interested party as provided under Section 12 of Republic Act No. 9369 will enhance public acceptance of and build public confidence in the Automated Elections System;

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 9987 sets the period for the start of the code review of the customized and configured codes only upon the certification of the Technical Evaluation Committee (TEC) of the Automated Elections System;

WHEREAS, the latest versions of the customized and configured codes will become available even before the TEC Certification;

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 9987 provides that "*the Commission may modify the above guidelines as it may deem fit and necessary.*"

WHEREAS, in order to enhance the above-mentioned objectives, there is a need to amend Resolution No. 9987 to afford the parties the opportunity to review the customized and configured codes as soon as these codes become available;

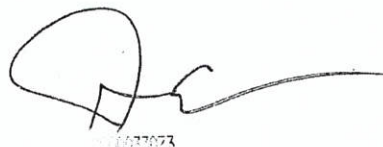
NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the powers vested in it by the Constitution, the Omnibus Election Code, Republic Act No. 9369, and other election laws, the Commission has **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to approve, adopt, and amend the existing guidelines in the conduct of the code review by interested parties or groups of the Automated Elections System for the 09 May 2016 National and Local Elections:

SECTION 1. Section 3 is hereby amended to read as follows:


SEC. 3. Review Phases. The source code review shall involve two phases. The first phase covers the review of the baseline source codes. The second phase covers the review of the source codes after the systems have been customized and configured according to the preferences and needs of the Commission. **The second phase of review shall be undertaken upon the availability of the customized and configured codes.** The start and duration of the local source code review for each of the phases shall be set by the Commission. **However, the Ad-hoc Committee on the Local Source Code Review may adjust the review schedules as it may deem necessary subject to reasonable notice to the parties.**

Let the Education and Information Department cause the immediate publication of this Resolution in two (2) daily newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines.

SO ORDERED.



J. ANDRÉS D. BAUTISTA
Chairman


CHRISTIAN ROBERT S. LIM
Commissioner


AL A. PARRENO
Commissioner


LUIE TITO F. GUIA
Commissioner


ARTHUR D. LIM
Commissioner


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In the matter of amending Section 3 of Resolution No. 9987,
"In the matter of the Guidelines in the Conduct of the Source Code
Review of the Automated Election System for the May 9, 2016 National
and Local Elections"