

Commission on Elections

RESOLUTION NO. 028, SERIES OF 2022

A RESOLUTION ON THE POSTPONEMENT OF THE FIRST AND SECOND DAY OF CANVASSING, AND THE ADJUSTMENT OF THE PERIOD OF CANVASSING OF VOTES

WHEREAS, the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) stands as the highest policy-making body for all election matters in the Polytechnic University of the Philippines (PUP) – Main Campus;

WHEREAS, the Commission En Banc convened online on the 5th of October 2022;

WHEREAS, the verification of bona fide student-voters was stated under Article VII Section 44 of the Student Council Act No. 002 series of 2022 or also known as the "Election Code of the PUP Student Council";

Section 44. Verification of Bona Fide Student-Voters. – The Commission in coordination with the PUP administration shall have a protocol to ensure that only bona fide student-voters of PUP will be allowed to vote.

WHEREAS, the canvassing of votes was stated under Article VII Section 46 of the Student Council Act No. 002 series of 2022 or also known as the "Election Code of the PUP Student Council":

Section 46. Canvassing of Votes. – As soon as the voting is finished, the canvassing of votes shall commence immediately. The canvassing may be done online, or physically which shall promote the most efficient,



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fair, and just procedure. The Commission shall decide whether the canvassing of votes shall be broadcasted live only on its official social media platforms or shall be conducted in a private, online meeting, with the designated poll watchers of each political party or candidate only.

WHEREAS, as per the Election Calendar, the verification of bona fide student-voters shall be done on August 17 to September 01, 2022 while the canvassing of votes shall commence on October 05-09, 2022;

WHEREAS, on the 5th of October 2022, the Commission released an announcement that the verification and canvassing of votes scheduled on October 05, 2022 is postponed;

WHEREAS, on the 6th of October 2022, the Commission released an official announcement stating that the verification and canvassing of votes that was previously scheduled on October 05-09, 2022 is postponed and the reasons behind this.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power vested in the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) being the highest electoral policy-making body hereby announces the postponement of the first and second day of canvassing, and the adjustment of the period of canvassing of votes, **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES**:

THAT, the canvassing of votes for the first and second day shall be postponed due to the mentioned reasons stated under official statement.

THAT, this will continue being implemented until another contradicting resolution is created.



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THAT, the Commission shall inform all the candidates, their campaign officials, and the registered student publications regarding the postponement of the first and second day of canvassing, and the adjustment of the period of canvassing of votes.

THAT, there shall be a furnished copy of this resolution, including any changes made hereto, to the official addresses of Local Student Councils residing in the Polytechnic University of the Philippines - Main Campus.

SO, ORDERED.

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