

Republic of the Philippines Polytechnic University of the Philippines Student Council Constitutional Commissions

Commission on Elections

RESOLUTION NO. <u>026</u> SERIES OF 2021

EXTENDING THE CANVASSING PERIOD UNTIL OCTOBER 5, 2021.

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

WHEREAS, eleven (11) out of fourteen (14) Commissioners were present, which are the commissioners from the College of Architecture, Design and Built Environment, College of Accountancy and Finance, College of Business Administration, College of Computer and Information Systems, College of Communication, College of Education, College of Engineering, College of Human Kinetics, College of Science, College of Social Sciences and Development, and College of Tourism, Hospitality and Transport Management thus the meeting was in quorum;

WHEREAS, the commissioners from the College of Arts and Letters, College of Political Science and Public Administration, and Institute of Technology were not present;

WHEREAS, the ballots from the College of Business Administration, College of Science, and Institute of Technology have not been verified and canvassed due to eight (8) ballots, two (2) from CBA and CS, and four (4) from ITECH, having duplicate student numbers;

WHEREAS, the Commission has coordinated with the Information and Communications Technology Office (ICTO) to verify which one between each pair of the ballots is valid;

WHEREAS, the Commission and the poll watchers, with the consent of their parties, slates, and candidates, agreed that the ballots from CBA, CS, and ITECH will not be canvassed until it is fully verified;

WHEREAS, the ballots from CBA, CS, and ITECH are encrypted from the cells to the file to the drive itself, with the passwords being inputs of the poll watcher present during the face-to-face verification;

WHEREAS, the verification and canvassing of votes of the remaining colleges and institutes shall not resume until the needed data is given to the Commission by the Information and Communications Technology Office (ICTO).

WHEREAS, the canvassing of votes is extended until October 5, 2021, for the College of Business Administration, College of Science, and Institute of Technology;

WHEREAS, the period for post-electoral protest shall commence on October 6, 2021 and shall end on October 10, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power vested in the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) being the highest electoral policy-making body hereby adopts this resolution **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES:**

- **1. THAT,** the Commission shall inform their constituents, mainly the prospective candidates and their paralegals, of these rules and guidelines, in order to provide guidance and have systematized elections;
- **2. TO INFORM AND FURNISH COPIES** of this resolution, including any changes made thereto, to the official addresses of Local Councils residing in the Polytechnic University of the Philippines Main Campus;

SO, ORDERED.

(SGD) JANNETTE PRINCESS V. HINATE

Chairperson
College of Education Commissioner

(SGD) JANEL MARIEKE B. BAÑARIA

Vice Chairperson
College of Social Science and Development
Commissioner

(SGD) ALEC MARIZ G. AVERILLA

Secretary General
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(SGD) KATHERINE CLAIRE A. HOANG Treasurer

College of Architecture, Design and Built Environment Commissioner

(SGD) ANGELA LUISA H. MONTENEGRO

College of Accountancy and Finance Commissioner

DIVINA MARIE B. IBAÑEZ

College of Arts and Letters Commissioner

(SGD) ELIZABETH MARIE G. ANDAYA

College of Business Administration Commissioner

(SGD) PETER THADDEUS V. IBAÑEZ

College of Communication Commissioner

(SGD) MARC JOSEPH V. BARCIAL

College of Computer and Information Systems Commissioner

(SGD) CHARLIZE KRIZIA R. LOPEZ

College of Engineering Commissioner

(SGD) FRANZ MARIELLA D. SUMOCOL

College of Science Commissioner

CYRUS JAMES P. MAGSINO

College of Political Science and Public Administration Commissioner

(SGD) KRISTAN MARK F. BERNARDO

College of Tourism, Hospitality and Transportation Management Commissioner

DIVINA I. ASIS

Institute of Technology Commissioner