

《選舉(舞弊及非法行為)條例》簡介

Briefing on Elections (Corrupt and Illegal Conduct) Ordinance for 2023 Rural Representative Election



#### 《選舉(舞弊及非法行為)條例》 Elections (Corrupt & Illegal Conduct) Ordinance

| 行為 Conduct  | 最高刑罰 Maximum Penalty   |
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| 舞弊行為  | 罰款\$500,000 及 監禁7年   |
| Corrupt conduct   | Imprisonment for 7 years & a fine of \$500,000                       |
| 非法行為  | 罰款\$200,000 及 監禁3年   |
| Illegal conduct   | Imprisonment for 3 years & a fine of \$200,000                       |
| 沒按規定提交<br>選舉申報書<br>Failure to submit election return according to<br>the statutory requirements | 罰款\$200,000 及 監禁3年<br>Imprisonment for 3 years & a fine of \$200,000 |



#### 主要内容 Content

- (一) 賄選、妨礙選舉
  - Vote-buying, obstructive behaviour in relation to electors
- (二) 選舉廣告
  - **Election Advertisements**
- (三)選舉開支 Election Expenses
- (四) 選舉申報書
  - **Election Return**





- 選舉期間內可否舉辦有選民(村民)參與的聚餐活動?
- Can I organise meal gatherings for the electors (villagers) during the election period?



#### 賄賂選民(第11條) Bribing Electors (S.11)

- 向他人提供利益
- 誘使或酬謝他人投票或不投票予某候選人、或不投票
- Offers an advantage
- As an inducement to or a reward for another person not to vote; to vote or not to vote for a particular candidate







#### 利益 Advantage

- 「利益」包括(但不限於)任何有值代價、饋贈、借貸、職位、受僱工作、合約、優待或服務(義務服務除外)等
- "Advantage" includes (but is not limited to) any valuable consideration, gift, loan, office, employment, contract, favour, service (other than voluntary service), etc.



#### 提供飲食或娛樂(第12條) Providing Refreshments or Entertainment (S.12)

- 向他人提供食物、飲料或娛樂,或償付全部或部份費用
- 誘使或酬謝他人投票或不投票予某候選人、或不投票
- Provides or meets all or part of the cost of providing any food, drink or entertainment
- As an inducement to or a reward for the other person not to vote; to vote or not to vote for a particular candidate



#### 施用武力或脅迫手段(第13條) Using Force or Duress (S.13)

- 向他人施用或威脅施用武力或脅迫手段
- 誘使他人投票、不投票、或投票或不投票予某候選人
- Uses or threatens to use force or duress against another person
- To induce that person to vote or not to vote; to vote or not to vote for a particular candidate



#### 作出某些關乎選民的欺騙行為(第14條) Deceptive Behaviour in relation to Electors (S.14)

以欺騙手段誘使他人投票予某候選人、不投票予某候選人、 不投票

To induce a person to vote or not to vote for a particular candidate; not to vote at the election by deception



#### 有關投票的違法行為(第16條) Offences with respect to Voting (S.16)

- ■明知本身無權投票而投票;或
- 提供明知屬虛假或具誤導性達關鍵程度的資料而其後在選舉中投票;或
- 明知他人無權投票卻促請或誘使他投票
- Votes knowing that he/she is not entitled to do so
- Or votes after having knowingly given materially false or misleading information to an electoral officer
- Or invites or induces another person to vote knowing that the other person is not entitled to do



#### 對選民作出妨礙行為(第14(1A)條) Obstructive Behaviour in relation to Electors (S.14(1A))

- ■故意妨礙或阻止他人在選舉中投票
- 或令另一人妨礙或阻止他人在選舉中投票
- Wilfully obstructs or prevents another person from voting at the election
- Gets another person to obstruct or prevent a third person from voting at the election



#### 藉公開活動煽惑另一人(第27A條) Incite another person by public activity in public (S.27A)

- 在選舉期間內
- 藉公開活動, 煽惑另一人在選舉中:
  - 。 不投票;或
  - 。投無效的票
- Incite another person
  - not to vote; or
  - to cast invalid vote
- At an election by activity in public during election



# (二) 選舉廣告 Election Advertisements





• 現任鄉郊代表發布工作報告是否選舉廣告?

 Is a work report published by a village representative an election advertisement?



#### 候選人在選舉期間發布文件

#### A Candidate Publishes a Document During Election Period

- 候選人
- 在選舉期間(由選舉提名日起至投票日止)發布文件
- 列明以下述身份所做工作的詳細資料: 行政長官、選舉委員會委員、立法會議員、區議員、鄉議局議員、鄉事委員會主席 / 副主席 /執行 委員會委員、鄉郊代表
- ■屬選舉廣告
- A candidate
- During an election period (the period beginning with the nomination day and ending with the polling day for the election)
- Publishes a document that gives the details of the work done in the capacity of:
   the Chief Executive, a member of the Election Committee, District Council, Keung Yee Kuk, the
   Chairman or vice-chairman or a member of the Executive Committee of a Rural Committee, a Rural
   Representative
- is an election advertisement



#### 發布關於候選人的虛假陳述(第26條) Publishing False Statements about a Candidate (S.26)

- 為促使或阻礙任何候選人當選
- 發布關於任何候選人的虛假或具誤導性達關鍵程度 的事實陳述
- Publishes a materially false or misleading statement of fact about a particular candidate
- For the purpose of promoting or prejudicing the election of the candidate





• 可否在選舉廣告中收納某團體的名稱?

 Can the name of an organisation be published in an election advertisement?



#### 在選舉廣告中假稱獲支持(第27條) Election Advertisement with False Claim of Support (S.27)

- 發布載有某人/組織的姓名、名稱、標識或與之相似的資料、 或某人的圖像的選舉廣告
- 意味着或相當可能導致選民相信候選人已獲該人/組織的支持
- Publishes an EA which includes
  - the name / logo of or associated with (or substantially similar to)
  - a person / an organisation; or
  - a pictorial representation of a person
- Implies or is likely to cause electors to believe that the candidate has the support of the person / organisation



#### 在選舉廣告中假稱獲支持(第27條) Election Advertisement with False Claim of Support (S.27)

#### ■除非:

- (i) 事前獲有關人士或組織書面同意
- (ii) 候選人沒有要求或指示(或授權任何人要求或指示) 將該等姓名、名稱、標識或圖像納入該選舉廣告中

#### Except that :

- (i) prior written consent from the person/organisation concerned is obtained
- (ii) the candidate has neither requested or directed (nor authorised any person to request or direct) the inclusion of the name, logo or pictorial representation in the election advertisement



## (三)選舉開支 Election Expenses



#### 未經授權而招致選舉開支(第23(1)條) Incur Election Expenses without Authorisation (S.23(1))

- 任何人未獲候選人授權而招致選舉開支
- 選舉開支代理人招致的選舉開支,超出其獲授權的開支 限額
- A person, without the candidate's authorisation, incurs any election expenses
- An election expense agent incurs election expenses that exceed the amount specified in his authorisation



#### 未經授權而招致選舉開支(第23(1A)條) Incur Election Expenses without Authorisation (S.23(1A))

- 任何人如非候選人,亦非候選人的選舉開支代理人
- (a) 在互聯網發布選舉廣告; 及
- (b) 該人就發布該廣告而招致的選舉開支,只屬下述兩項或其中一項費用:
  - (i) **電費**;
  - (ii) 連接互聯網所需的費用
- 第23(1)條不適用
- Section 23(1) does not apply, if a person (other than a candidate or a candidate's election expense agent)
- (a) publishes an election advertisement on the Internet; and
- (b) the only election expenses incurred by the person for the purpose of publishing the advertisement are either or both of the following charges:
- (i) electricity charges;
- (ii) charges necessary for accessing the Internet



#### 招致選舉開支(第24條) Incur Election Expenses (S.24)

候選人或他人代候選人招致超出訂明限額的的選舉 開支,即屬違法

 A candidate engages in illegal conduct for incurring election expenses by or on behalf of the candidate exceeding the prescribed amount of election expenses



#### 運用選舉捐贈(第18條) Use of Election Donations (S.18)

- 將選舉捐贈用於償付候選人的選舉開支以外的用途,或
- (如屬貨品或服務\*)將選舉捐贈用於促使某候選人當選或阻礙其他 候選人當選以外的用途
- ■屬舞弊行為
- Uses election donations for a purpose other than meeting the election expenses of the candidate, or
- (in case of goods or service\*) uses election donations for a purpose other than promoting the election of the candidate or prejudicing the election of other candidates
- Engages in corrupt conduct

- \*不包括義務服務
- \* does not include voluntary service



#### 義務服務 Voluntary Service

■ 任何自然人為促使某候選人當選或阻礙其他候選人當選,而在 私人時間內自願、親自、免費向該候選人提供的任何服務

 Any service provided free of charge to a candidate by a natural person, voluntarily and personally, in the person's own time for the purpose of promoting the election of the candidate or prejudicing the election of other candidates



#### 處置選舉捐贈(第19條) Disposal of Election Donations (S.19)

- 必須就價值\$1,000以上的捐贈發出收據
- 必須將價值\$1,000以上的<u>匿名</u>捐贈、<u>剩餘</u>的、<u>超過</u>選舉開支上限的選舉 捐贈,轉送予慈善機構或慈善信託
- Must issue a receipt for any donation of more than \$1,000 in value
- Must send <u>anonymous</u> election donations of more than \$1,000 in value, the <u>unused</u> election donations and donations that <u>exceed</u> the prescribed maximum amount of election expenses to a charitable institution or trust of a public character



### (四)選舉申報書 Election Return



#### 提交選舉申報書(第37條) Lodge Election Return (S.37)

- 每名候選人必須在法定限期屆滿前提交選舉申報書
- 切勿在提交的選舉申報書內作出屬虛假或具誤導性的陳述 〔舞弊行為〕
- Each candidate must lodge an election return by the statutory deadline
- Do NOT make any false or misleading statement in the election return [corrupt conduct]



#### 提交選舉申報書(第37條) Lodge Election Return (S.37)

| 列出 Set out                                      | 附有 Accompanied by   |
|---|---|
| 選舉開支<br>Election expenses                       | <ul> <li>每項\$500或以上開支的發票及收據</li> <li>Each election expense of \$500 or above with an invoice and a receipt for each item</li> </ul>   |
| 收取的所有選舉捐贈<br>All election donations<br>received | <ul> <li>發給捐贈價值\$1,000以上的捐贈者的收據副本</li> <li>將剩餘、超額的捐贈或價值\$1,000以上的匿名捐贈轉送予慈善機構的收據副本</li> <li>A copy of the receipt issued to the donor of each election donation of more than \$1,000</li> <li>A copy of the receipt given by a charitable institution including unused election donations, election donations that exceed the prescribed maximum amount and anonymous election donations of more than \$1,000</li> </ul> |
|   | <ul><li>聲明書</li><li>A declaration</li></ul>   |



#### 選舉申報書中的錯誤寬免(第37A條) Relief for minor errors in election return (S.37A)

- 錯誤或虛假陳述的累計總價值不超過有關選舉訂明的限額
- 選舉開支總額不超過訂明的最高限額
- 可在獲通知當日後的30天作出修正
- The aggregate value of errors or false statements in an election return that does not exceed the limit prescribed in the Schedule for the election
- The amount of election expenses does not exceed the limit prescribe in the Schedule for the election
- Lodge within 30 days after the candidate receives a notice



#### 提交虛假或具誤導性的選舉申報書(第20條) Lodge False or Misleading Election Return (S.20)

- 候選人在提交的選舉申報書內(或其修正輕微錯誤的 副本內),作出虛假或誤導性達關鍵程度的陳述,屬舞 弊行為
- A candidate who makes a statement that he knows or ought to know is materially false or misleading in the election return (or the copy of the revised election return) engages in corrupt conduct



#### 廉政公署教育及宣傳活動 ICAC Clean Elections Education and Publicity Activities

■「廉潔選舉資料冊」Information booklet

■「選民須知」單張 Reminder to electors

公共交通工具及網上平台宣傳 Publicity in Public

**Transports and Online Platforms** 

■海報、電子橫額、專題文章、倡廉教育短片、

電台廣播 Posters, e-banners, feature articles,

educational filmlets and radio broadcasts

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#### 廉潔選舉網站 Clean Elections Website







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#### 廉潔選舉熱線 Clean Election Hotlines

廉政公署 24小時舉報熱線:

**ICAC 24-hour Report Hotline:** 

25 266 366



廉潔選舉查詢熱線:

**Clean Election Enquiry Hotline:** 

2920 7878

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