

## Report on Monitoring and Observing of Presidential Election Process 1398

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Noor Educational and Capacity Development Organization (NECDO) as a non-affiliated and non-political body has long been involved in consolidating peace and stability in Afghanistan has called for its monitoring over the fate of the Afghan people in Review all activities of the IEC to ensure transparency of the election process, so it submitted its application to the IEC Secretariat and received its accreditation after the IEC secretariat process. to the prosecution nominated seven of its staff as observers on presidential Election Day, and after observing the staff on the Election Day, the following points observed as short coming of the IEC are presented:

- 1- The role of the people on the Election Day is diminished
- 2- Absence of voter names in the list
- 3- Absence of voter names in the biometric system

And in the process of counting the votes, NECDO has introduced two of its observers to the IEC and their report is as follows:

The monitoring and observation of election commission by observer of NEDCO had two main purposes:

1. To check whether proper procedures are followed and to notice and flag any problems that may arise. They also documented their observations, in terms of turnout and vote count, so that this can be checked against the data that the Independent Election Commission (IEC) releases later.
2. The presence of observers is often seen as a deterrent against fraud. However, on-the-ground observers rarely have a full overview of the full extent of any problem of counting the vote, simply because the places where they are present are usually not believable. Observers tend to congregate two main section of counting vote which is very important parts of counting votes.
3. The first stage of counting votes in election commission was the part of biometric machines which all the data of each province has been delivering from Biometric machines to the computer. And worker of this part were more than 40 professional

men and women. They were working in two shift the first shift were working from 8:00am till 4:00pm and the 2nd shift were working from 4:30pm till 10:00 pm.

4. After delivering the data of Biometrics machineries to the computer this data was transferring to the data entry part. In the data entry part were counting the votes and cleaning the data. The team were separating the correct vote from void vote. After the clear vote is voided vote each candidate's vote was separated and counted. Then the clear and counted votes submitted to the election committees.

Finding of observation of vote counting in (IEC).

The process of vote counting in election commission was transparent process out of fraud. The observers of counting vote in election commission were from different part of the cozily such us governmental observer, civil cozily observers, candidate observers and media it was a clear process and the vote counting was not in a hided place while counting the vote and sending to the date center the observers from different organization were present and there was no chance for fraud.