

ABBREVIATIONS

AR, ARs	authorised representative, authorised representatives
ARO, AROs	Assistant Returning Officer, Assistant Returning Officers
Basic Law	Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
Candidate's Platform	an open platform maintained by the candidate(s)
Cap.	Chapter of the Laws of Hong Kong
CE	Chief Executive
CEEEO	Chief Executive Election Ordinance (Cap. 569)
Central Platform	an open platform maintained by the CEO
CEO	Chief Electoral Officer
CERC	Candidate Eligibility Review Committee
CFA	Court of Final Appeal
CFI	Court of First Instance
CMLS	Candidate Mailing Label System
CPPCC	National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference

CPPCC members	Hong Kong Special Administrative Region members of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference
CRO	Chief Returning Officer
CSD	Correctional Services Department
DC	District Council
DCO	District Councils Ordinance (Cap. 547)
DLO, DLOs	District Lands Office, District Lands Offices
DO, DOs	District Office, District Offices
EA, EAs	election advertisement, election advertisements
EAC or the Commission	Electoral Affairs Commission
EAC (EP) (LC) Reg	Electoral Affairs Commission (Electoral Procedure) (Legislative Council) Regulation (Cap. 541D)
EAC (FA) (APP) Reg	Electoral Affairs Commission (Financial Assistance for Legislative Council Elections and District Council Elections) (Application and Payment Procedure) Regulation (Cap. 541N)
EAC (NAC) (LC) Reg	Electoral Affairs Commission (Nominations Advisory Committees (Legislative Council)) Regulation (Cap. 541C)

EAC (ROE) (FCSEC) Reg	Electoral Affairs Commission (Registration) (Electors for Legislative Council Functional Constituencies) (Voters for Election Committee Subsectors) (Members of Election Committee) Regulation (Cap. 541B)
EAC (ROE) (GC) Reg	Electoral Affairs Commission (Registration of Electors) (Legislative Council Geographical Constituencies) (District Council Geographical Constituencies) Regulation (Cap. 541A)
EACO	Electoral Affairs Commission Ordinance (Cap. 541)
EC	Election Committee
ECC	Election Committee constituency
ECICO	Elections (Corrupt and Illegal Conduct) Ordinance (Cap. 554)
election	general election or by-election as appropriate
election return	return and declaration of election expenses and election donations
electors	electors/authorised representatives
EPR	Electronic Poll Register
ERO	Electoral Registration Officer
FAQs	Frequently Asked Questions
FC, FCs	functional constituency, functional constituencies
FPS	Faster Payment System

FR	final register
GC, GCs	geographical constituency, geographical constituencies
HKID	Hong Kong Identity Card
HKPF	Hong Kong Police Force
HKSAR	Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
ICAC	Independent Commission Against Corruption
LC Subscribers & Deposit Reg	Legislative Council (Subscribers and Election Deposit for Nomination) Regulation (Cap. 542C)
LCO	Legislative Council Ordinance (Cap. 542)
LegCo	Legislative Council
NAC, NACs	Nominations Advisory Committee, Nominations Advisory Committees
National Security Committee	Committee for Safeguarding National Security of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
NBPSs	Near Boundary Polling Stations
NCO	Noise Control Ordinance (Cap. 400)
NCZ, NCZs	no canvassing zone, no canvassing zones
NPC	National People's Congress

NPC deputies	Hong Kong Special Administrative Region deputies to the National People's Congress
NSZ	no staying zone
OL	omissions list
OVIES	Online Voter Information Enquiry System (www.voterinfo.gov.hk)
para., paras.	paragraph, paragraphs
PCBP (LC & DC) Reg	Particulars Relating to Candidates on Ballot Papers (Legislative Council and District Councils) Regulation (Cap. 541M)
PCPD	Office of the Privacy Commissioner for Personal Data
PD(P)O	Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486)
PHMSO	Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132)
POBO	Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (Cap. 201)
POO	Public Order Ordinance (Cap. 245)
PR	provisional register
PRO, PROs	Presiding Officer, Presiding Officers
REO	Registration and Electoral Office
RO, ROs	Returning Officer, Returning Officers

RTO	Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374)
S, s, Ss, ss	section, sections
SOO	The Summary Offences Ordinance (Cap. 228)
TD	Transport Department
the Hong Kong National Security Law	the Law of the People's Republic of China on Safeguarding National Security in the HKSAR