ABBREVIATIONS

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) or a person authorised by the candidate(s)
Cap.	Chapter of the Laws of Hong Kong
CAS	Civil Aid Service
CE	Chief Executive
CEEO	Chief Executive Election Ordinance (Cap. 569)
Central Platform	an open platform maintained by the Director of Home Affairs or a person authorised by the Director of Home Affairs
CEO	Chief Electoral Officer
CFA	Court of Final Appeal
CFI	Court of First Instance
CIV, CIVs	Composite Indigenous Village, Composite Indigenous Villages
CSD	Correctional Services Department
DC	District Council
DCO	District Council Ordinance (Cap. 547)
DHA	Director of Home Affairs
DO, DOs	District Office, District Offices
EA, EAs	election advertisement, election advertisements
EAC	Electoral Affairs Commission

EAC (ROE) (RRE) Reg	Electoral Affairs Commission (Registration of Electors) (Rural Representative Election) Regulation (Cap. 541K)
EACO	Electoral Affairs Commission Ordinance (Cap. 541)
EC	Election Committee
ECICO	Elections (Corrupt and Illegal Conduct) Ordinance (Cap. 554)
election	ordinary election or by-election as appropriate
election return	return and declaration of election expenses and election donations
EP (RRE) Reg	Electoral Procedure (Rural Representative Election) Regulation (Cap. 541L)
EPR	Electronic Poll Register
ERO	Electoral Registration Officer
EV, EVs	Existing Village, Existing Villages
FR	final register
HAD	Home Affairs Department
HKID	Hong Kong Identity Card
HKPF	Hong Kong Police Force
HKSAR	Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
ICAC	Independent Commission Against Corruption
IIR, IIRs	Indigenous Inhabitant Representative, Indigenous Inhabitant Representatives
IV, IVs	Indigenous Village, Indigenous Villages
KFR, KFRs	Kaifong Representative, Kaifong Representatives
LCO	Legislative Council Ordinance (Cap. 542)

LegCo	Legislative Council
MT, MTs	Market Town, Market Towns
NCZ, NCZs	No Canvassing Zone, No Canvassing Zones
NSZ	No Staying Zone
OL	omissions list
para., paras.	paragraph, paragraphs
PD(P)O	Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance (Cap. 486)
PHMSO	Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132)
PICS	Personal Information Collection Statement
PLBs	public light buses
POBO	Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (Cap. 201)
POO	Public Order Ordinance (Cap. 245)
PR	provisional register
PRO, PROs	Presiding Officer, Presiding Officers
ReR, ReRs	Resident Representative, Resident Representatives
RO, ROs	Returning Officer, Returning Officers
RR, RRs	Rural Representative, Rural Representatives
RREO	Rural Representative Election Ordinance (Cap. 576)
S, s, Ss, ss	Section, sections
SHYA	Secretary for Home and Youth Affairs
TD	Transport Department