

2004 Legislative Council Election
Outcome of Complaint Cases Investigated by the Returning Officers
(Showing position as at 27 October 2004)

Nature		Outcome							Total
		Being Follow-up	Action Completed						
			Withdrawn	No further action	Referral made	Not substantiated	Partially substantiated	Substantiated	
1	Election advertisements	7	16	44	31	183	28	571	880
2	Electioneering activities on private premises	2	5	13	7	23	2	20	72
3	Entitlement to vote	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	5
4	Nomination and candidature	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
5	Election expenses	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
6	False statements	0	1	1	4	0	0	1	7
7	False claims of support	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	3
8	Corruption/bribery/ treating/duress/ impersonation	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
9	Employment of young persons under 18 years of age for canvassing/ electioneering activities	1	0	1	0	5	1	1	9
10	Disturbances to electors caused by loudspeakers/ telephone canvassing/ shouting electors' names/ broadcasting vans	0	0	24	35	38	4	36	137
11	Personal data privacy	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	5
12	Unfair and unequal treatment by the media	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	6
13	Polling arrangements	0	1	3	4	4	4	9	25
14	Illegal canvassing in NCZ/NSZ	1	0	19	1	50	7	64	142
15	Conduct of exit polls	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
16	Against Returning Officer or his staff	1	5	0	0	2	0	0	8
17	Against polling staff	0	1	7	20	10	2	2	42
18	Counting arrangements	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
19	Complaints outside EAC's ambit	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
20	Others	3	1	18	10	20	3	5	60
Total		15	32	135	123	343	51	711	1410