

**2012 Legislative Council Election**  
**Outcome of Complaint Cases Investigated by the Returning Officers**  
*(Showing position as at 24 October 2012)*

Nature		Outcome							Total
		Investigation underway	Action completed					Substantiated	
			Withdrawn	No further action	Referral made to other relevant government departments/ parties	Not substantiated	Partially substantiated		
1	Election advertisements	202	38	378	107	727	73	1,682	<b>3,207</b>
2	Electioneering activities on private premises	19	4	18	5	50	2	39	<b>137</b>
3	Entitlement to vote	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	<b>7</b>
4	Allocation/designation of polling station	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	<b>3</b>
5	False statements	2	0	2	29	0	0	0	<b>33</b>
6	False claim of support	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	<b>4</b>
7	Corruption/bribery/ treating/undue influence/impersonation	2	0	2	5	2	0	0	<b>11</b>
8	Employment of young persons under 18 years of age for canvassing or electioneering activities	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	<b>5</b>
9	Disturbances to electors caused by loudspeakers/ broadcasting vehicles/ telephone canvassing/ others	12	6	57	34	78	3	34	<b>224</b>
10	Personal data privacy	1	0	1	5	0	0	0	<b>7</b>
11	Polling arrangements	0	0	2	6	2	0	1	<b>11</b>
12	No canvassing zone arrangement	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
13	Illegal canvassing in no canvassing zone/no staying zone	3	1	19	1	49	1	44	<b>118</b>
14	Conduct of exit polls	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	<b>3</b>
15	Against Returning Officer or his staff	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	<b>6</b>
16	Against polling staff	0	2	11	1	0	0	0	<b>14</b>
17	False registration of electors	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
18	Unfair and equal treatment by the media	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	<b>5</b>
19	Others	0	4	9	10	15	0	9	<b>47</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>243</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>1,810</b>	<b>3,844</b>