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<p>IN THE MATTER OF THE DEPUTATION OF THE PROSECUTORS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO HANDLE ELECTION OFFENSE CASES.</p> <p>X-----X</p>	<p>JOSE A.R. MELO RENE V. SARMIENTO NICODEMO T. FERRER LUCENITO N. TAGLE ARMANDO C. VELASCO ELIAS R. YUSOPH GREGORIO Y. LARRAZABAL</p>	<p>Chairman Commissioner Commissioner Commissioner Commissioner Commissioner Commissioner</p>
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Promulgated on: October 29, 2009

RESOLUTION NO. 8690

WHEREAS, the Commission on Elections is currently engaged in preparing for the conduct of the first fully-automated national and local elections on May 10, 2010;

WHEREAS, there is an overwhelming number of election offense cases pending before the regular courts;

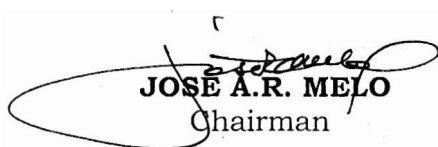
WHEREAS, there is a need to delegate the prosecution of election offense cases to enable the lawyers of the Commission on Elections to focus all their efforts on the automation of the May 10, 2010 National and Local Elections;

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the Commission En Banc **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to **DELEGATE** to the prosecutors of

the Department of Justice the prosecution of election offense cases presently pending before the regular courts.

Let the Executive Director implement this resolution.


SO ORDERED.



JOSE A.R. MELO
Chairman



RENE V. SARMIENTO
Commissioner


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