



Republic of the Philippines  
**COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS**  
Intramuros, Manila

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING  
COMELEC RESOLUTION NO. 11061 IN  
VIEW OF THE CORRECTION OF ERROR  
REGARDING SYDNEY PCG'S  
JURISDICTION  
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Promulgated: January 15, 2025

**RESOLUTION NO. 11093**

**WHEREAS**, the Commission *En Banc*, promulgated COMELEC Resolution No. 11061 entitled "GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SPECIAL BOARD OF ELECTION INSPECTORS AND SPECIAL BALLOT RECEPTION AND CUSTODY GROUP FOR THE CONDUCT OF ONLINE VOTING AND COUNTING OF VOTES IN CONNECTION WITH THE OVERSEAS VOTING ACT OF 2013 FOR PURPOSES OF THE 12 MAY 2025 NATIONAL AND LOCAL ELECTIONS" promulgated on 13 September 2024;

**WHEREAS**, after the promulgation of the said resolution, it was discovered that New Caledonia was inadvertently not included under the jurisdiction of Sydney PCG;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to amend the said resolution to properly reflect the jurisdiction of New Caledonia as falling under Sydney PCG and ensure the allocation of a separate clustered precinct and separate election returns for the voters of New Caledonia under Sydney PCG;

**IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING**, the Commission *En Banc*, by virtue of the powers vested in it by the Constitution, the **OMNIBUS ELECTION CODE** as amended, the **OVERSEAS VOTING ACT OF 2013**, and other pertinent election laws, rules, and regulations, has **RESOLVED** and hereby **RESOLVES** to promulgate the following amendment to COMELEC Resolution No. 11061:

*Section 1. Section 8 of COMELEC Resolution No. 11061 is amended to read as follows:*

“Section 8. **Special Board of Election Inspectors; Constitution and Appointment.** – The Commission, through the OFOV, shall, upon recommendation of the DFA-OVS, constitute in every Post, not later than 27 December 2024 (Friday), at least one (1) SBEI, which shall be composed of a Chairperson and two (2) Members (who shall be the Poll Clerk and the Third Member). They shall be officers and members of the foreign service post, including attachés of other Philippine Government Agencies, posted abroad and deputized by the Commission.

The Head of Post shall issue the Appointment of Chairperson/Poll Clerk/Third Member/Substitute of the SBEI using OVF No. 5. If the Head of Post shall serve as part of the SBEI, the Commissioner-in-Charge of the OFOV shall issue his/her Appointment.

The number of SBEIs to be appointed per Online Voting Post shall be as follows:

POST	COUNTRY	No. OF SBEI
<b>ASIA PACIFIC</b>		
X X X	X X X	X
Sydney PCG	Australia	1
	<u>New Caledonia</u>	
	Territory of Wallis and Futuna	
X X X	X X X	X
<b>EUROPE</b>		
X X X	X X X	X
<b>MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICAS</b>		
X X X	X X X	X
<b>NORTH AND LATIN AMERICAS</b>		
X X X	X X X	X

**Section 2. Dissemination.** The Education and Information Department shall cause the publication of this Resolution in two (2) daily newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines and furnish the Department of Foreign Affairs, Department of Migrant Workers, Department of Transportation, Department of Information and Communications Technology, Department of Science and Technology – Advanced Science and Technology Institute, Bureau of Immigration, Commission on Filipinos Overseas, and other government agencies concerned with the welfare of Filipinos overseas;

**Section 3. Effectivity.** These Amendments shall take effect immediately after the publication in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines.

**SO ORDERED.**

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Chairman

**SOCORRO B. INTING**  
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Commissioner

**CERTIFICATION**

**APPROVED** for publication, January 15, 2025.

  
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