

Information on Overseas Voting

(For a voter who has to show original to confirm voter's nationality)

① Voter's Nationality & Identification (Show your any document to confirm the nationality)



② Receive a ballot paper and an envelope



③ Fill in a ballot



④ Seal the envelope



⑤ Put the envelope into the ballot box



▶ Polling Stations and Voting Period

- **Polling Stations** : Diplomatic missions (If it is impossible to establish a polling station at an overseas diplomatic mission, an alternative facility will be designated by the Overseas Election Commission)
- **Voting Period** : The Overseas Election Commission will designate a voting period between December 5 and December 10, 2012
- **Voting Hours** : During the voting period, every day from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- ☞ The overseas polling station, its location and the operating period, etc. (These may differ from each overseas voting committee) will be posted on the website of the National Election Commission, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, and each diplomatic mission. until November 29, 2012.

▶ Voting Procedure

- ① Visit nearby overseas polling station, present your original document to confirm the nationality (If this does not contain a photo, voter has to show another proper photo ID.). After identifying and verifying that an elector has Korean nationality, receive a ballot and a return envelope
- ② Enter the polling booth, select a candidate, mark the appropriate column using the marking tool provided, put the ballot into the return envelope and exit the polling booth with the return envelope.
* A marking tool is provided in the polling booth.
- ③ Seal the return envelope that is equipped with double-sided tape. Do not write your name on the return envelope.
- ④ Drop the return envelope into the ballot box and leave the overseas polling station.

▶ Voting Requirements (No vote without requirements)

Originals required by the competent overseas returning officer to confirm voter's nationality. But if this is not a photo ID, voter has to show another acceptable photo ID.

- ☞ The documents required by competent overseas returning officer to confirm voter's nationality will be posted on website; National Election Commission (<http://ok.nec.go.kr>), Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (www.mofat.go.kr) and each overseas missions.
- ☞ Acceptable forms of ID are a passport, resident registration card, public official ID card, or driver's license issued by a Korean government agency. Also an ID card or certificate with a photograph, full name and date of birth issued by the government of the country where the voter resides (a certificate of alien registration etc.) are proper.

▶ As the following conditions make your vote invalid, caution is advised.

- Not using a return envelope or ballot granted by an overseas polling station
- Sending the return envelope without sealing it
- Not marking all columns
- Marking in two or more columns
- Officials not able to figure out which column is marked
- Filling out a column using a letter or any shape other than ⊕
- Filling out a column using any other data except for ⊕
- Marking with any tools that are not provided by the Election Commission