

## **IMPORTANT**

1. These Guidelines come into operation on 26 May 2005 and will apply to all Chief Executive elections conducted under the Chief Executive Election Ordinance (Cap 569) to be held after that date.
2. In these Guidelines, “he” means “he” or “she” as far as the context permits; and “elector” means a member of the Election Committee constituted under section 8 of the Chief Executive Election Ordinance (Cap 569) who is not disqualified under section 26 of the Ordinance from voting.
3. The law stated in these Guidelines is that prevailing as at the date of publication.
4. All specified forms referred to in these Guidelines are obtainable from the Registration and Electoral Office, tel: 2891 1001; fax: 2891 1180; e-mail: reoenq@reo.gov.hk and its website at <http://www.reo.gov.hk>.
5. Electioneering, campaigning and canvassing activities referred to in these Guidelines include any positive and negative campaigning conducted for the purpose of promoting or prejudicing the election of a candidate or candidates at the election.
6. In the event that future amendments to these Guidelines are necessary, loose-leaf amendment sheets would be issued. Amendment sheets will be obtainable from the Registration and Electoral Office (tel: 2891 1001; website: <http://www.reo.gov.hk>).