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# STATEMENT

# ELECTORAL OBSERVATION AND INTEGRITY NETWORK-OIE NETWORK OF LATIN AMERICA

The organizations conducting electoral observation in Latin America, gathered in the **Electoral Observation and Integrity Network - OIE Network**, request the National Electoral Council (CNE) of Venezuela to carry out a transparent and public count of the votes and electoral records from the presidential elections held yesterday. The election results must be fully credible and subject to verification by all political organizations, independent national and international electoral observers, and civil society in general.

In this regard, the organizations that are part of the OIE Network urge the National Electoral Council of Venezuela to make all electoral records public. This information should be made available in images and should be accessible in files by polling station and by duly identified voting site.

However, in the event that the records are not published, or are published by the electoral authority without proper traceability, the organizations that are part of the OIE Network offer their support to conduct a statistical, technical, and independent analysis of the results of the records collected on election day by civil society organizations and political parties.

The members of the OIE Network reiterate the urgent need for the publication, verification, and auditing of all the records. Without fulfilling these requirements, it is not feasible to recognize the electoral results in Venezuela.

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