



## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

### Legal Basis

- **The Philippine Constitution of 1935 and 1987** vested legislative power in a bicameral Congress of the Philippines consisting of a Senate and a House of Representatives (a unicameral National Assembly under the 1970 Constitution).
- **The 1987 Constitution** restored the presidential system of government and a bicameral Congress of the Philippines consisting of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

### Mandate

The House of Representatives, as the Lower House of a bicameral Congress of the Philippines, exercises legislative power (with the Senate) “except to the extent reserved to the people by the provision on initiative and referendum.”

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Note: Logframe and Performance Measures and Targets have yet to be formulated.



## House of Representatives Electoral Tribunal

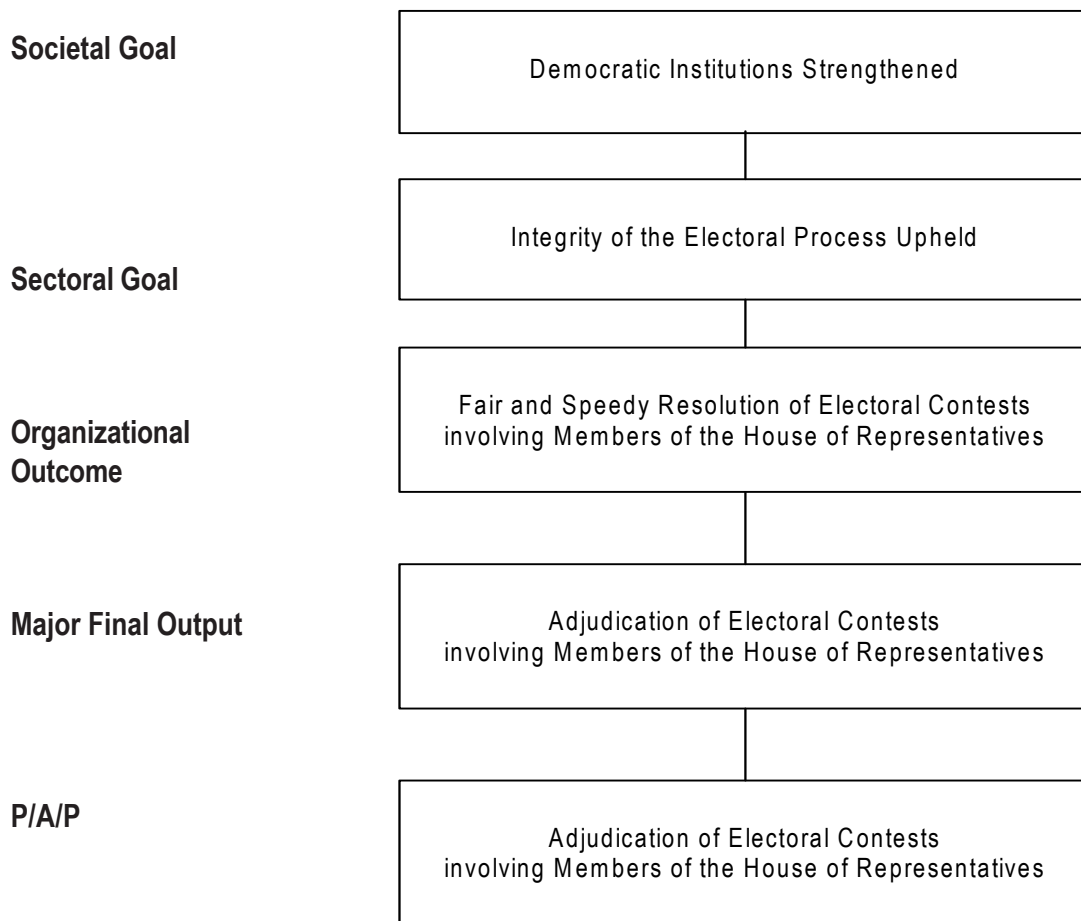
### **Legal Basis**

**The Philippine Constitution of 1987** (Sec. 17, Article VI) provided for the creation of a House of Representatives Electoral Tribunal.

### **Mandate**

The House of Representatives Electoral Tribunal acts as the sole judge of all contests relating to the election, returns, and qualifications of members of the House of Representatives.

**LOGICAL FRAMEWORK (HRET)**



## PERFORMANCE MEASURES AND TARGETS

(Amount in thousand pesos)

Particulars	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
	Actual/Amount	Target/Amount	Target/Amount
<b>MFO</b>	85,733	85,010	95,458
Adjudication of electoral contests involving members of the House of Representatives			
No. of Cases Filed	38		
No. of Cases Resolved/Adjudicated	10	14	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>P85,733</b>	<b>P85,010</b>	<b>P95,458</b>

### FY 2009 MFO Budget

#### By MFO/By Expense Class

(In Thousand Pesos)

Particulars	PS	MOOE	CO	Total	% Share
<b>MFO</b>	61,904	33,554		95,458	100%
Adjudication of electoral contests involving members of the House of Representatives					
<b>Total</b>	61,904	33,554	-	95,458	100%
<b>% Share</b>	<b>64.85%</b>	<b>35.15%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>100%</b>	

#### By Expense Class

(Total Budget = P95,458,000)

