

The increase in the number of pre-registrations leads to an increase in the number of polling stations in constituency no. 50

The Promo-LEX Association urges Moldovan citizens, who will be abroad on the election day, to register in advance by filling out an online registration form in the *Pre-registration* section on www.alexator.md.

The registration may also be made on paper by filing an application form, signed individually or collectively, with the Central Electoral Commission and / or the diplomatic missions, consular offices of the Republic of Moldova.

There are 5 days left. Voters may register by January 9, 2019.

Even if the number of pre-registered voters is only one of the 5 criteria set out by the legislation, the **analysis of the evolution of the number of pre-registered voters shows that the location and number of polling stations to be opened in single member constituencies outside the country can be influenced by voter activism.**

[In the analysis](#) published on October 16, 2018, Promo-LEX mentioned the number of 2448 pre-registered voters. On **January 3, 2019, there were already 7,945 voters, by 5,497 more, especially in the European states located to the west of Moldova.**

According to the Promo-LEX estimates, provided that the other indicators remain intact and the number of pre-registered voters increases exclusively, the distribution of the polling

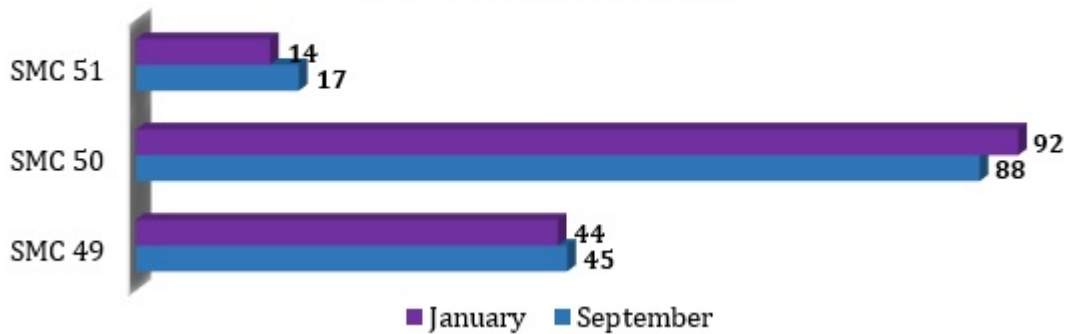
stations per constituency would undergo the following changes:

+4 for SMC no.50 (states located to the west of Moldova) from 88 to 92;

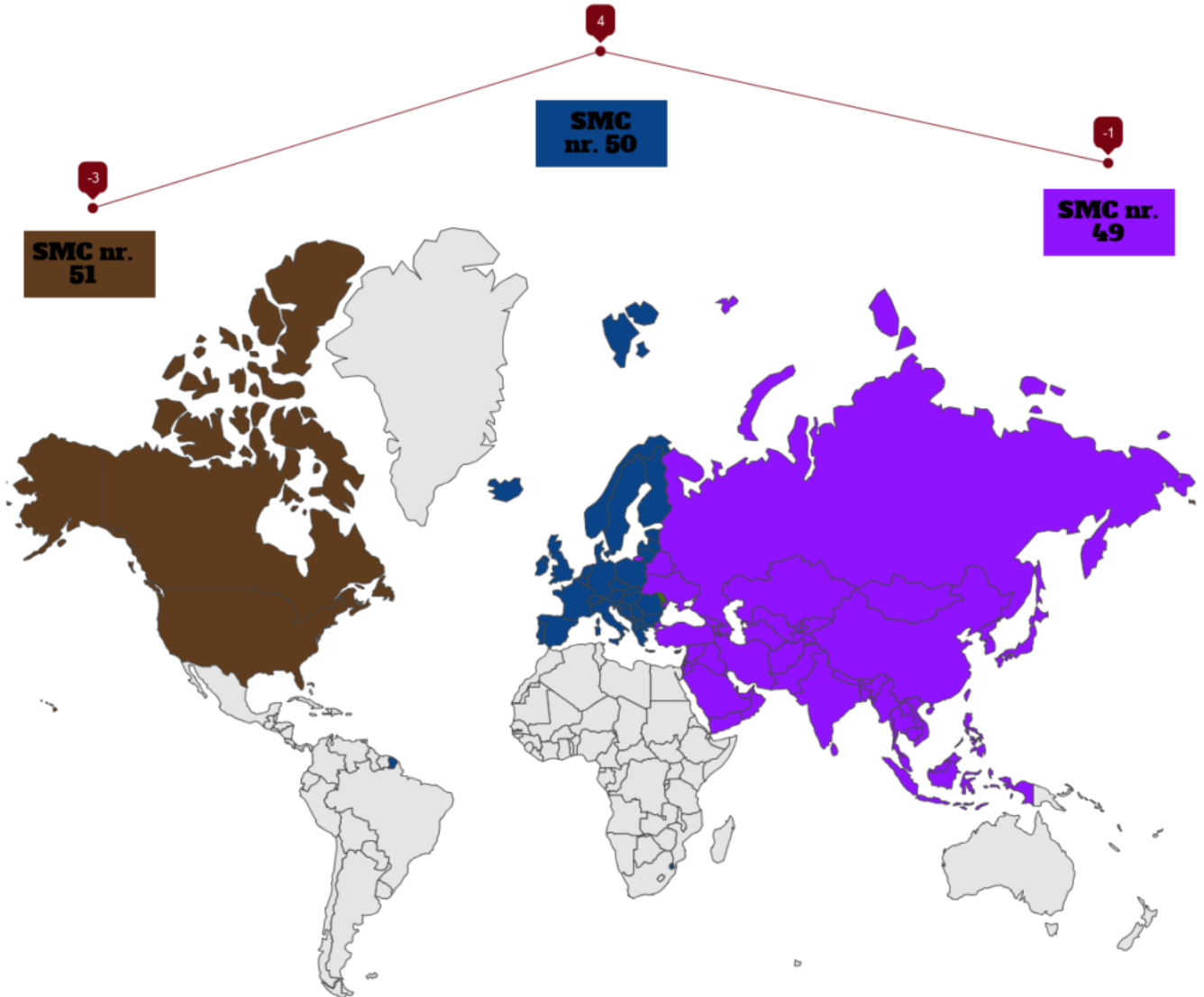
-3 for SMC No.51 (US and Canada) from 17 to 14

– 1 for SMC no. 49 (states located to the east of Moldova) from 45 to 44.

Impact of voter pre-registration on the number of polling stations per single member constituency



Impact of voter pre-registration



Considering the above conclusions, we repeatedly urge voters based abroad to register as actively as possible, as pre-registration can influence the number and location of polling stations in the constituencies situated abroad.

Bring the polling stations closer to your place of residence!

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