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Information regarding individuals with pending criminal cases, who have been selected as candidates, along with the reasons for such selection, as also as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates. (As per the Commission's directions issued in pursuance of the Order dated 13.02.2020 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Contempt Petition (C) no. 2192 of 2018 in WP(C) no. 536 of 2011)

Name of Political Party: **Bharatiya Janata Party**
 *Name of the Election : **Lok Sabha General Elections-2024**
 Name of State/UT : **NCT of Delhi**
 (1) Name of the Constituency: **PC No. 02-North-East, NCT of Delhi**
 Name of the Candidate: **SH. MANOJ TIWARI**

1. Criminal antecedents		
a. Nature of the Offences		Allegation of making defamatory statements against Sh. Manish Sisodia in connection of alleged corruption of Rs 2,000 Crore in building of classroom in Delhi's government School. Complaint u/s 200 of the Code of Criminal Procedure involving s. 499, 500, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 at PS Tilak Marg, State NCT of Delhi
b. Case no.		Ct Case 51/2019 (MANISH SISODIA VS. MANOJ KUMAR TIWARI & ORS.)
c. Name of the Court		Ld. ACMM, Rouse Avenue District Court, Delhi
d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)		No
e. Date of conviction, if any		N/A
f. Details of Punishment undergone, if any		N/A
g. Any other information required to be given		Quashing Petition has been filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in case titled as MANOJ TIWARI Vs. MANISH SISODIA & ORS. CRL MC 3313/2023 for quashing the Summoning order and the entire criminal proceedings as pending before the Ld. ACMM, Rouse Avenue District Court, Delhi.
2. The reasons for the selection of the candidate. Selection shall be with reference to the qualifications, achievements and merit of the candidate, and not mere "winnability" at the polls (not more than 100 words)		Sh. Manoj Tiwari is a popular icon of the nation and enjoys support among all sections of the society. He is a people's leader and has a positive track record as the two-term sitting MP of the area. He has been a Former President of the Party's State Unit and led the party to victory in the 2017 MCD Elections.
3. Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)		The case registered against the candidate is minor one and was registered out of the vendetta. A quashing petition is also pending, against the said Complaint, before the Hon'ble High Court. The candidate is full of energy and is always ready for social & developmental works of the area. Thus, he has been preferred over others.

(2) Name of the Constituency: **PC No. 05-North West (SC) Delhi**
 Name of the Candidate: **SH. YOGENDER CHANDOLIA**

1. Criminal antecedents		
a. Nature of the Offences		The offence is defacing of public property, rioting, <i>inter alia</i> . The FIR The offence is of assault or criminal force to deter public

		was registered after a peaceful protest was being carried out at Delhi Jal Board Office by the residents of the area. u/s 188, 269, 147, 148, 149, 427 of IPC & Section 3 of PDPP Act 1984 FIR No. 298/2020; PS D.B.G. Road	servant from discharge of his duty obstructing the public servant from discharge of public functions, wrongful restraint, etc. u/s 186, 353, 356, 341, 34 IPC FIR No 265/2020 PS Prasad Nagar
b.	Case no.	Cr. Case 13129/2022	Cr. Case 12914/2023
c.	Name of the Court	CMM"(Central)/Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi	MM -01 (Central)/Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi
d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	No	No
e.	Date of conviction, if any	N/A	N/A
f.	Details of Punishment undergone, if any	N/A	N/A
g.	Any other information required to be given	N/A	N/A
2.	The reasons for the selection of the candidate. Selection shall be with reference to the qualifications, achievements and merit of the candidate, and not mere "winnability" at the polls (not more than 100 words)	Sh. Chandolia is a senior leader and having a distinguished political career. Sh. Chandolia has been a Former Mayor. He was the incumbent General Secretary of the Party State Unit and enjoys huge popularity in the NCT of Delhi having a positive connect with the electorate. He has excellent leadership qualities. He has also been the Chairman of the MCD Standing Committee in the past. These qualifications reflect stellar qualities of a leader who has risen his way through the ranks and enjoys support of the party cadre.	
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	The case pending is trivial in nature and nearly all the sections imposed are bailable in nature. He has been raising his voice against the misgovernance of the ruling party and has been successful in highlighting the scams and loot of the public exchequer by the Party in Power in the State.	

(3) Name of the Constituency: 07-South Delhi, NCT of Delhi

Name of the Candidate: **SH. RAMVIR SINGH BIDHURI**

1.	Criminal antecedents	
a.	Nature of the Offences	Allegation of making defamatory statements against Delhi Jal Board in connection of alleged scam of Rs 26,000 Crore. Complaint U/s 500 R/w 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860; PS Tilak Marg
b.	Case no.	Ct. Case 05/2021 (DELHI JAL BOARD & ANR. VS. ADESH GUPTA & ORS.)
c.	Name of the Court	Ld. ACMM, Rouse Avenue District Court, Delhi
d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	No
e.	Date of conviction, if any	N/A
f.	Details of Punishment undergone, if any	N/A
g.	Any other information required to be given	Quashing Petition u/s 482 CrPC filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in case titled as RAMVIR SINGH BIDHURI VS. DELHI JAL BOARD & ORS. CRL. M.C. 3185/2021 for quashing the Summoning order and the

entire criminal proceedings as pending before the Ld. ACMM, Rouse Avenue District Court Delhi

2. The reasons for the selection of the candidate. Selection shall be with reference to the qualifications, achievements and merit of the candidate, and not mere "winnability" at the polls (not more than 100 words)

Sh. Bidhuri is the present Leader of Opposition in the Delhi Assembly. He has been a four-time MLA and thus is one of the popular leaders of the constituency. He has a distinguished political career spanning nearly 50 years. He is a graduate of the Delhi University. He is engaged in social work. He is a respectable member of the society. Sh. Bidhuri commands great support & respect from the people of his constituency and has always stood for the cause of his area as well as for the people of Delhi.

3. Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)

The case registered against Sh. Bidhuri is a minor one and was registered out of the vendetta. A quashing petition is also pending at present before the Hon'ble High Court relating the said case. The support, he commands amongst the people of the area and due to his readiness to fight for the right cause, he has been preferred over any other candidates. As Leader of Opposition in the Delhi Assembly, he has been frequently voicing the concern of the people of Delhi and bringing to light the issues of misgovernance of the ruling party in power in the State.

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