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Name of Political Party : **BHARATIYA JANATA PARTY - TAMILNADU**
 *Name of the Election : **LOK SABHA ELECTION 2024**
 Name of State/ UT : **TAMILNADU**

(1) Name of the Constituency – **11-TIRUVANNAMALAI PARLIAMENT CONSTITUENCY**(2) Name of the candidate – **Shri.A.ASUVATHAMAN**

Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	1. Sections 294(b), 323, 506 (ii) of IPC and 4 of TNPHW Act 2. Protest against the Tamil Nadu HR AND CE Atrocities Sections 143, 283, 341 of IPC
	b. Case no.	1. Crime No. 12/2008 culminated to charge sheet in C.C.No.27/2022 2. Crime.No. 534/2023
	c. Name of the Court	1. Judicial Magistrate No.1 Ulundurpet, Kallakurichi District. 2. Cuddalore New Town Police station, Cuddalore
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	1. Yes 2. No
	e. Date of conviction, if any	Not Applicable
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	Not Applicable
	g. Any other information required to be given	Accused-A1 was charged under section 294(b), 323, 506 (ii) of IPC and 4 of TNPHW Act and the Accused A2 (Candidate-A. Asuvathaman) was charged under section 307 of IPC in C.C.No.27/2022. However, the charges of 307 IPC was quashed by the Honorable High court of Madras IN CrI.O.P.No.9370 of 2015 by order dated 25.01.2022.
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)	The selected candidate is holding post of Tamil Nadu State Secretary Bharatiya Janata Party – Tamilnadu and is having qualities of honesty, trustworthiness, dedication towards society's well-being, competent and hardworking for the people and capable of making right decisions for the welfare of the people.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	The said cases are politically motivated wagged by the political enemies wantonly out of political animosity, without any evidence whatsoever and is long pending and the party believes that there will be no adverse outcome against the alleged accused.

(1) Name of the Constituency – Tiruvannamalai

Name of the candidate – A Asuvathaman

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Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a.	Nature of the offences
		Un lawful assembly, Wrongful restraint, Damage of public property.
	b.	Case no.
		1)319/2023,U/S 143,341 IPC,Chetipalayam Police Station. 2)114/2023,U/S 143,341 IPC,Pollachi Town East Police Station. 3)470/2022, U/S 143,341 IPC, Pollachi Town East Police Station. 4) 169/2022, U/S 143,341 IPC, Race Course Police Station Coimbatore. 5)30/2024, U/S 143,341 IPC & SEC 5 of TN Public Property act 1992 Pollachi Town East Police Station.
	c.	Name of the Court
		Judicial magistrate court -1 pollachi (Pollachi town east police) District munsif -cum- judicial magistrate madukarai(chettipalayam police Station) Judicial magistrate court no-3 coimbatore(race course police station)
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)
		No
	e.	Date of conviction, if any
		No
	f.	Details of punishment undergone, if any
		Nil
	g.	Any other information required to be given
		All the above cases are pending investigations.
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)	
	Been in the Party for long period.	

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Name of State/UT: **TAMILNADU**

(1) Name of the Constituency – **1-THIRUVALLUR (SC) PARLIAMENT CONSTITUENCY**

(2) Name of the candidate – **SHRI.PON V.BALAGANAPATHY**

Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	1) IPC 353,188,186 & 143 2) IPC 279 & 337 3) IPC 143,341 & 390
	b. Case no.	1)Crime No : 49/2016 2)Crime No : 384/2023 3)Crime No : 141/2019
	c. Name of the Court	1)Paramakudi Judicial Magistrate 2)Paramakudi Judicial Magistrate 3)Ramanathapuram Judicial Magistrate
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	No
	e. Date of conviction, if any	Not Aplicable
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	Not Aplicable
	g. Any other information required to be given	Not Aplicable
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)	The selected candidate is a very senior and sincere and dedicated party worker who has already conducted many elections as the party candidate.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	As a senior party worker he had an edge over other individuals considering the fact that whatever charges are alleged in the charge sheet have no substance and are purely with a vindictive approach and personal vendetta being waged by his political enemies. The case is long pending and party believes that there will be no adverse outcome against the alleged accused.

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 *Name of the Election: **LOK SABHA ELECTION 2024**
 Name of State/ UT: **TAMILNADU**

(1) Name of the Constituency – **31- SIVAGANGA PARLIAMENT CONSTITUENCY**
 (2) Name of the candidate – **Shri.T. DHEVANATHAN YADAV**

Sl. No.			
1.	Criminal antecedents		
	a.	Nature of the offences	<p>A). There was a quarrel between the defacto complainant and a complaint has been lodged under SECTION 294(B), 323 AND 427 of IPC</p> <p>B). The complainant had alleged that there is a violation of his copy right of the film supraphatham under Section 63 OF THE COPY RIGHT ACT</p> <p>C) The Complaint has been lodged on the ground that criminal breach of trust and forgery has been committed under SECTION 120-B READ WITH 109,420,465 READ WITH 34 IPC READ WITH 13(2) READ WITH 13(1)(D) OF THE PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION ACT, 1988.</p> <p>D) A complaint was filed regarding the violation of the rules and regulations of the tender conditions that the pumps were purchased by the fire department in collusion with the persons involved in the case under SECTION 120-B READ WITH SECTION 13(2) READ WITH 13(1)(D) OF THE PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION ACT</p>
	b.	Case no.	<p>a). C.C.NO.3791/20212,</p> <p>b). C.C.7563/2003</p> <p>c)SPECIAL CASE NO.6/97</p> <p>d)C.C.62/2003</p>
	c.	Name of the Court	<p>a). XIV METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE, EGMORE</p> <p>b). XI METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE COURT SAIDAPET</p> <p>c) XIII ADDL/SPECIAL JUDGE III, CHENNAI</p> <p>d) I ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL COURT CHENNAI</p>
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	<p>a) YES</p> <p>b) SUMMARY TRIAL CASE</p> <p>c) Yes</p> <p>d) Yes</p>

	e.	Date of conviction, if any	<p>a). Not applicable (Case Pending).</p> <p>b). Not applicable (Case Pending).</p> <p>c) 15.03.2001 (The conviction order was set aside by the Hon'ble Madras High Court in Criminal Appeal No.325/2001 vide order dated 06.03.2008)</p> <p>d) Acquitted of the Charges vide Order dated 22.02.2008</p>
	f.	Details of punishment undergone, if any	<p>a). Not applicable</p> <p>b). Not applicable</p> <p>c) Not applicable</p> <p>d) Not applicable</p>
	g.	Any other information required to be given	<p>a). Not applicable</p> <p>b). Not applicable</p> <p>c) Not applicable</p> <p>d) Not applicable</p>
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)		The selected candidate is a sincere and a committed party worker. He is an educated and an intellectual personality holding Doctorate in Philosophy and has been involved in philanthropic activities and has been working tirelessly for the welfare of the people.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)		As a senior party worker, he had an edge over other individuals considering the fact that whatever charges are alleged in the charge sheet have no substance and are purely with a vindictive approach and personal vendetta being waged by his political enemies. The case is long pending and party believes that there will be no adverse outcome against the alleged accused.

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Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a.	Nature of the offences
		UNDER SECTION 153 A, 505(1) OF IPC
	b.	Case no.
		CC NO.2028/ 2021
	c.	Name of the Court
		JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE NO.IV, COIMBATORE.
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)
		YES
	e.	Date of conviction, if any
		NIL
	f.	Details of punishment undergone, if any
		NIL
	g.	Any other information required to be given
		NIL
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)	The candidate studied post graduation (M.A). He is also running a educational institution namely Devendrar college of physiotherapy and Almighty College of Nursing. He had been working for the downtrodden and oppressed people for the past several decades. As the candidate has been fighting for the rights of the Estate Workers, Agriculture labours and Marginalized people etc. he faced cases but except one pending case, all other cases were ended in acquittal. Infact many cases were referred by police themselves. Though he is a senior citizen, has been working tirelessly for the cause of the people across the state. If the candidate given an opportunity to raise his voice for the voiceless people, the people at large will be benefitted. Therefore the Bhatathiya Janatha Party giving opportunity to contest in tenkasi constituency forth coming Lok Sabha election 2024.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	NOT APPLICABLE IN VIEW OF THE ABOVE

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Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	1.Crime No.48/1997 Offences U/s 147,149,307,332,333, 341 — IPC 3(1) TNPPDL Act @ 147,307 — IPC 3(1) TNPPDL ACT, 333, 149 IPC 2.Crime No.474/2008 U/s 147,148,326, 506(ii), 307, 120(b) IPC 3.Crime No.16/2009 U/s 151 CRPC 4. Crime No. 490/2010 U/s 147, 153A, 188 IPC 5.Crime No.189/2012 U/s 151 CRPC 6.Crime No.282/2012 U/s 143, 188 IPC 7.Crime No.274/2014 U/s 107 CRPC 8.Crime No.362/2014 U/s 147, 153A, 504 IPC —3(1) TNPPDL ACT @ 147, 504 IPC 3(1) PPDL ACT 9.Crime No.363 / 2014 U/s 147, 153A, 504 IPC - 3(1) TNPPDL ACT 10.Crime 365/2014 U/s 147, 148, 153A, 504 IPC 3(1) TNPPDL ACT @ 147, 504 IPC 3(1) TNPPDL ACT 11.Crime No.368/2014 U/s 143, 188, 504 IPC, 12.Crime No.369/2014 U/s 143, 188, 504 IPC, 13.Crime No.374/2014 U/s 107 IPC, 14.Crime No.274/2014 U/s 107CRPC 15.Crime No.203/2015 U/s 143, 188, 341 IPC, 16.Crime No.120/2017 U/s 143, 341 IPC 17.Crime No.65/2018 U/s 143, 341 IPC 18.Crime No.191/2018 U/s 153A (1) (a) , 294 (b), 504 — IPC @ 294(b), 504 — IPC 19.Crime No.224/2018 U/s 151 CRPC 20.Crime No.271/2018 U/s 7 (1)(a) — CLA ACT 143, 188, 341 IPC 21.Crime No.272/2018 U/s 143, 188, 341 IPC 22.Crime No.48/2018 U/s 143,188 IPC NTF 23.Crime No.552/2019 U/s 143, 341 IPC Action Dropped

		<p>24.Crime No.62/2020 U/s 143, 341 IPC @ 341 IPC 25.Crime No.872/2021 U/s 143, 270, 283, 336, 341, 353 IPC — ED ACT 1897 51 (b) — DM ACT 2005 @ 143, 341,270, 283, 336 — IPC 3-ED ACT 1897 51(b) — DM ACT 2005 353 — IPC 26.Crime No.877/2021 U/s 153(b), 505 (1)(b) — IPC 67- IT ACT 27.Crime No.1445/2021 U/s 143, 269, 270 IPC, AD 28.Crime No.1580/2021 U/s 143, 341, 188, 269, 270 IPC, AD 29.Crime No.364/2023 U/s 143, 341 IPC, NTFS 30.Crime No.770/2022 U/s 143, 341 IPC, AD 31.Crime No.480/2023 U/s 153A, 153B, 295, 499, 505(1)(b), 505(2) — IPC @ 153A, 505(2) — IPC 32.Crime No.1048/2023 U/s 143, 341 IPC, AD 33.Crime No.1081/2023 U/s 151 CRPC, 143 IPC Referred</p>
	b. Case no.	33 Cases
	c. Name of the Court	THIRUVARUR DISTRICT COURT AND JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE COURT THIRUTHURAI POONDI & THANJAVUR DISTRICT.
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	YES
	e. Date of conviction, if any	NIL
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	NIL
	g. Any other information required to be given	NIL
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)	The selected candidate is very senior and sincere party worker who has already been on various positions as selected in the party. The candidates as a long and distinguished political and electoral track record.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	As a senior party worker had on edge over other individuals considering the fact that what ever charges are alleged have no substance and are purely with a vindictive approach and personnel vendetta being waged by his political enemies. The above cases are long pending believes that there will be no adverse outcome against the Leader. The above cases are politically motivated cases.

(1) Name of the Constituency – 30-THANJAVUR PARLIAMENT CONSTITUENCY

Name of the candidate – M. MURUGANANDAM

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 Name of State/ UT : **TAMILNADU**
 Name of the Constituency – **18 - Tiruppur Lok Sabha Constituency**
 Name of the candidate – **Shri.A.P.Muruganandam**

Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	Section 3 of TNPPDL Act Private complaint under Section 406 & 420 of IPC Section 147, 447, 506 (i) of IPC Section 147, 148, 341, 294 (b), 506 (ii) of IPC Section 147, 148, 294 (b), 324, 506 (ii) of IPC
	b. Case no.	FIR No.661/2016, S.C.No.18/2024 C.C.No.1588/2023 FIR No.561/2017 FIR No.81/2019 FIR No.145/2019
	c. Name of the Court	IV-Additional Subordinate Judge, Coimbatore Judicial Magistrate, Additional Mahila Court, Coimbatore Still in FIR Stage Closed as Mistake of Fact Closed as Mistake of Fact
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	YES (under Trial) NO NO NO NO
	e. Date of conviction, if any	NOT APPLICABLE
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	NOT APPLICABLE
	g. Any other information required to be given	NOT APPLICABLE
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)	THE SELECTED CANDIDATE IS HIGHLY QUALIFIED AND ACADEMICALLY WELL ACCOMPLISHED. HE IS A VERY SENIOR, SINCERE AND DEDICATED PARTY WORKER, WHO HAS ALREADY HELD VARIOUS SIGNIFICANT POSITIONS AND HE HAS BEEN STRIVING A LOT TOWARDS THE UPLIFTMENT OF THE DOWNTRODDEN SOCIETY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY OF THE PARTY.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	AS A SENIOR PARTY WORKER HE HAS AN EDGE OVER OTHER INDIVIDUALS. THE ALLEGED OFFENCES HAVE NO MERITS AND ARE POLITICALLY MOTIVATED AND DRIVEN BY PERSONAL VENDETTA. THE PARTY BONAFIDELY BELIEVES THAT THERE WILL BE NO ADVERSE OUTCOME AGAINST THE SELECTED CANDIDATE.

(1) Name of the Constituency – **18-Tiruppur Lok Sabha Constituency**
 Name of the candidate – **A.P.Muruganandam**

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