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**Name of Political Party:** Bharatiya Janata Party

**\*Name of Election:** Loksabha General Election - 2024

**Name of State/UT:** Uttar Pradesh

(1) Name of the Constituency - 61- Basti

Name of the Candidate - Harish Dwivedi

Sl No.			
1	<b>Criminal antecedents</b>		
(i)	a.	Nature of the offences	147, 323, 504, 506 IPC (Criminal Offence)
	b.	Case No.	Crime No.- 53/2019
	c.	Name of the Court	CJM, Basti
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/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	FIR has been converted into complain case which is been listed on 27.03.2024 for admission.
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)	He is a two time sitting Member of Parliament, further his name is forwarded by District unit of the party. His name is forwarded on the basis of merit, his social work and popularity in the constituency.	
3	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	He has been implicated in the case due to political rivalry. He is the sitting Member of Parliament and has been strongly associated and is extremely popular in this constituency hence he has been preferred over the other candidates.	

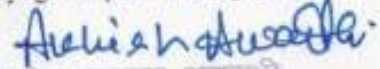
(2) Name of the Constituency - 61- Basti

Name of the Candidate - Harish Dwivedi

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**Name of State/UT:** Uttar Pradesh

(1) Name of the Constituency - 62-Santkabir Nagar

Name of the Candidate - Praveen Nishad

Sl No.		
<b>1</b>	<b>Criminal antecedents</b>	
<b>(i)</b>	<b>a.</b> Nature of the offences	188, 504, 505, 506 IPC (Criminal Offence)
	<b>b.</b> Case No.	79/2019
	<b>c.</b> Name of the Court	Not Applicable
	<b>d.</b> Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Not Applicable
	<b>e.</b> Date of conviction, if any	Not Applicable
	<b>f.</b> Details of punishment undergone, if any	Not Applicable
	<b>g.</b> Any other information required to be given	Under Investigation
<b>(ii)</b>	<b>a.</b> Nature of the offences	143, 147, 148, 149, 332, 353, 504, 506, 427, 336, 342, 188 IPC & 7 CLA Act (Criminal Offence)
	<b>b.</b> Case No.	94/2019
	<b>c.</b> Name of the Court	Not Applicable
	<b>d.</b> Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Not Applicable
	<b>e.</b> Date of conviction, if any	Not Applicable
	<b>f.</b> Details of punishment undergone, if any	Not Applicable
	<b>g.</b> Any other information required to be given	Under Investigation
<b>2</b>	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)	He is a two time sitting Member of Parliament, further his name is forwarded by District unit of the party. His name is forwarded on the basis of merit, his social work and popularity in the constituency.
<b>3</b>	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	He has been implicated in the case due to political rivalry. He is the sitting Member of Parliament and has been strongly associated and is extremely popular in this constituency hence he has been preferred over the other candidates.

(2) Name of the Constituency - 62-Santkabir Nagar

Name of the Candidate - Praveen Nishad

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**Name of State/UT:** Uttar Pradesh

(1) Name of the Constituency - 73-Jaunpur

Name of the Candidate - Kripashankar Singh

SI No.			
1	<b>Criminal antecedents</b>		
(i)	a.	Nature of the offences	3, 25 & 30 of Arms Act 1959
	b.	Case No.	77/PW/2015
	c.	Name of the Court	ACMM-37, Mumbai
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Yes
	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)	He is a sitting Member of Parliament, was an Ex. Home Minister of State of Maharashtra, further his name is forwarded by District unit of the party. His name is forwarded on the basis of merit, his social work and popularity in the constituency.
3	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	He has been implicated in the case due to political rivalry. He is the sitting Member of Parliament and has been strongly associated and is extremely popular in this constituency hence he has been preferred over the other candidates.	

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Name of the Candidate - Kripashankar Singh

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**Name of State/UT:** Uttar Pradesh

(1) Name of the Constituency - 68-Lalganj (SC)

Name of the Candidate - Neelam Sonkar

Sl No.		
<b>1</b>	<b>Criminal antecedents</b>	
<b>(i)</b>	a. Nature of the offences	188 IPC & 126 RP Act (Criminal Offence)
	b. Case No.	278/2009
	c. Name of the Court	Court No.- 10, Azamgarh
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Yes
	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
<b>(ii)</b>	a. Nature of the offences	188 IPC & 126 RP Act (Criminal Offence)
	b. Case No.	53/2014
	c. Name of the Court	Court No.- 10, Azamgarh
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Yes
	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
<b>2</b>	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)	She is the State Vice President of the Party and Ex. Member of Parliament, further her name is forwarded by District unit of the party. Her name is forwarded on the basis of merit, her social work and popularity in the constituency.
<b>3</b>	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	She has been implicated in the case due to political rivalry. She is the Ex. Member of Parliament and has been strongly associated and is extremely popular in this constituency hence she has been preferred over the other candidates.

(2) Name of the Constituency - 68-Lalganj (SC)

Name of the Candidate - Neelam Sonkar

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(1) Name of the Constituency - 69-Azamgarh

Name of the Candidate - Dinesh Lal Yadav "Nirahua"

Sl No.		
1	<b>Criminal antecedents</b>	
(i)	a. Nature of the offences	506(2) IPC (Criminal Offence)
	b. Case No.	Case Crime No.- 764/2018
	c. Name of the Court	Not Applicable
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Not Applicable
	e. Date of conviction, if any	Not Applicable
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	Not Applicable
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