

Format C-7

(for political parties to publish in the newspapers, social media platforms & website of the party)

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: BHARTIYA JANATA PARTY

*Name of the Election: General Election of the Loksabha, 2024

Name of State/UT: Jharkhand

(1) Name of the Constituency- Godda Loksabha
Name of the Candidate- Shri Nishikant Dubey

Sl.No.	Criminal antecedents		
1.	a.	1	Nature of the offences
		2	
		3	
		4	
		5	
		6	
		7	
			Sec. 171 (G) IPC and 123 (3) IPC and 125 RP Act
			Under Sec. 171(G) and 181 IPC
			Sec. 323, 504, and 506 ipc
			Under Sec. 166, 290, 336, 341, 342, 427, 504, 506 IPC
			Sec. 147, 149, 447, 188, 34 IPC
			Sec. 323,504 IPC
			Sec. 147, 148, 188, 353, 332, 109, 427, 323 IPC

Shri

b.	Case no.	Godda PS Case no. 96/19 GR Case no. 112/22 Baba Bairdyanath Mandir PS Case no. 02/20 Mohanpur PS Case no. 281/23 Budhai PS Case no. 30/2021 Godda PS Case no. 4/2021 Dhurwa Case no. 107/23
c.	Name of the Court	SDJM Godda
d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	Charge Not Framed Charge Framed Charge not Framed Charge not Framed Charge Framed
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	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)	The selected candidate is a very sincere and dedicated party worker who has already been in various important positions.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	As a dedicated party worker, he had an edge over other individuals, considering the fact that whatever charges were alleged in the FIR and Charge sheet have no substance and were purely with a vindictive approach and personal vendetta being waged by his political enemies. That one case is pending and protested, and the FIR is registered with reason of waging public protest, and the party believes that there will be no adverse outcome against the alleged

Handwritten signature/initials

2) Name of the Constituency- Godda Loksabha
Name of the Candidate- Shri Nishikant Dubey
..... and so on

* In the case of election to Council of States or States or election to Legislative Council by MLAs, mention the election concerned in place of name is Constituency.

Handwritten signature: Anand Pr. Singh
Signature of office bearer of the Political Party

Name and Designation State General Secretary BJP Jharkhand