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Information regarding individuals with pending criminal cases, who have been selected as candidates, along with for such selection, as also as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as cans. (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 the Political Party : Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)

Name of the Election : Lok Sabha Election 2024


Name of the State : West Bengal

(1) Name of the Constituency : 21 Diamond Harbour

Name of the Candidate : Abhijit Das (Bobby)

| Sl. No. | | |
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| 1. | Criminal antecedents | |
| a. | Nature of the Offences | (1) U/S 153/295A/500 IPC & 67 IT Act (2) U/S 447/427/506/34 IPC (3) U/S 188/34 IPC (4) U/S 147/148/341/323/325/153A/295A/506/427 IPC (5) U/S 147/148/341/323/379/506/34 IPC (6) U/S 195A/427/506/34 IPC (7) U/S 153A/295A/505(2) IPC & 67 IT Act (8) U/S 295/295A IPC & 67 IT Act. (9) U/S 171C/171F/171H/419/120B IPC (10) U/S 143/283/353/307/506 IPC 8 (b) (ii) NH Act (11) U/S 147/148/427/323/120B/34 IPC (12) U/S 506 IPC (13) U/S 506 IPC |
| b. | Case No. | (1) Diamond Harbour PS, Case No.: 461/17 dated 29.09.2017 (2) Budge Budge PS, Case No.: 77/19 dated 11.04.2019 (3) Mahestala PS, Case No.: 207/19 dated 11.04.2019 (4) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 175/12 dated 08.03.2012; BGR No.: 1012/12 (5) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 142/12 dated 22.02.2012 (6) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 418/14 dated 20.04.2014 (7) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 720/17 dated 28.07.2017 (8) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 880/17 dated 29.09.2017 (9) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 221/19 dated 28.03.2019 (10) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 889/2017 (11) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 113/12 dated 12.02.2012; BGR No.: 594/12 (12) Budge Budge PS, Case No.: 121/19 dated 24.04.2019 (13) Bishnupur PS, Case No.: 97/18 dated 02.04.2018 |
| c. | Name of the Court | (1) Ld. ACJM at Diamond Harbour (2) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (3) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (4) Ld. 2nd J.M. at Alipore (5) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (6) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (7) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (8) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (9) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (10) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (11) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (12) Ld. ACJM at Alipore (13) Ld. ACJM at Alipore |
| d. | Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) | No |
| e. | Date of conviction, if any | Does Not Arise |
| f. | Details of punishment undergone, if any | Not Applicable |
| g. | Any other information required to be given | - |
| 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 'winability' at the polls (not more than 100 words) | - Highly educated (M.Sc. & L.L.B) - Two times BJP LS candidate (Diamond Harbour LS Constituency) - Former Railway Board PAC member - Dedicated party worker (served as party's Dist. President) |
| 3. | Reason as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates(not more than 100 words) | Decision regarding selection of the candidate has been taken by the BJP's Parliamentary Board. Perhaps other individuals without criminal antecedents didn't fit into the criteria of being party's LS candidate for the constituency concerned. |

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Name of the Political Party : **BHARATIYA JANATA PARTY (BJP)***Name of the Election : **GENERAL ELECTION 2024**Name of State : **WEST BENGAL**(1) Name of the Constituency : **23 – KOLKATA DAKSHIN P.C.**Name of the Candidate : **DEBASREE CHAUDHURI**

| Sl. No. | |
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| 1. | Criminal antecedents |
| a. | Nature of the Offences Political Cases – Unlawful Assembly & others |
| b. | Case No. (1) Bidhannagar Electronic Complex, P.S. Case No. – 120/17 u/s 143/186/323/506 IPC. (2) Mogra P.S. Case no. – 84/18, u/s 147/148/149/353/183/120B/506 IPC, 25 Arms Act, 79/81/87 Juvenile Justice Act. (3) Raiganj P.S. Case No. – 736/23, u/s 186/341/353/444/34 IPC |
| c. | Name of the Court (1) Ld. A.C.J.M. - Bidhannagar, Kolkata (2) Ld. C.J.M. - Chinsurah/Hooghly (3) Ld. C.J.M. - Raiganj |
| 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 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) She is a winning Loksabha Candidate from 05-Raiganj P.C. & she hold the office as MoS, MoWCD, GoI and she has done many commendable works in her term as Minister for the Development of Women & Child in all Sector Of Society Throughout the Country. |
| 3. | Reason as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words) She has no criminal antecedents except Political Cases & also She is a winning Loksabha Candidate from 05-Raiganj P.C. & she hold the office as MoS, MoWCD, GoI and she has done many commendable works in her term as Minister for the Development of Women & Child in all Sector of Society Throughout the Country. |

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Name of the Political Party : **BHARATIYA JANATA PARTY (BJP)**

*Name of the Election : **General Elections to Lok Sabha 2024**

Name of State : **WEST BENGAL**

(1) Name of the Constituency : **PC No. 22 Jadavpur**

Name of the Candidate : **ANIRBAN GANGULY**

| Sl. No. | | |
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| 1. | Criminal antecedents | |
| a. | Nature of the Offences | Allegations pertain to a time when workers belonging to the Ruling Party in Power in the State of West Bengal were manipulating Postal Ballots during the Assembly Elections of 2021, in Bolpur Assembly Constituency and the candidate who had also contested the Assembly Elections had tried to stop the wrongful means. The allegations pertain to wrongful restraint, voluntary causing hurt and intimidation under Sections 341 / 323 / 325 / 506 / 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 |
| b. | Case No. | GR Case No. 430 / 2021 FIR No. 132 / 21 dt. 21.4.2021 PS. Bolpur, Birbhum |
| c. | Name of the Court | ACJM, Bolpur Birbhum |
| 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 | 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 candidate is an academic of high repute, scholar and best - selling author. He is a PhD holder from Jadavpur University itself. He is the Chairman and Trustee of Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee Research Foundation which holds the distinction of being one of the Top 40 Global Think Tanks in the world. He has effectively worked for the upliftment of society and oppressed groups. He has been a leading voice highlighting the violence unleashed by the ruling party in power against opposition voters and workers in the State. He is also the great grandson of Late Sh. Upendra Nath Bandyopadhyay, a freedom fighter and close associate of Sri Aurobindo |
| 3. | Reason as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates(not more than 100 words) | The case is registered out of vendetta at the behest of the ruling party in power. The candidate is a Member of the Core Committee of the West Bengal State Unit as well as Member of the National Executive of the Party. The candidate's popularity in the State has shot up exponentially ever since his candidature resulting in an overwhelming increase in vote share of the Party during the previous Assembly elections. He enjoys a healthy camaraderie among the party workers who have supported his candidature wholeheartedly. |

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Name of the Political Party : **BHARATIYA JANATA PARTY (BJP)**
*Name of the Election : **LOK SABHA GENERAL ELECTION - 2024**
Name of State : **WEST BENGAL**
(1) Name of the Constituency : **20, MATHURAPUR**
Name of Candidate : **Ashok Purkait**

| Sl. No. | |
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| 1. | Criminal antecedents |
| a. | Nature of the Offences U/s 341/325/379/506/34/IPC |
| b. | Case No. Mandir Bazar P.S. Case No. 286/2021 (G.R No. - 2161/2021) |
| c. | Name of the Court 3rd J.M, Diamond Harbour Court |
| 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 No |
| 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 has an impeccable record as Teacher of Ramnagar High School (H.S) Baruipur form 24.03.2006 to 18.11.2008 and then Ramakanta Nagar Vidya Mandir (H.S) from 19.11.2008 to till now. He has also been involved in various social activities benefits the society and would contribute towards legislation making in the country by being a member of Lok Sabha. |
| 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. The case against candidate is at initial stage. |

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Name of the Political Party : **BHARATIYA JANATA PARTY (BJP)***Name of the Election : **LOKSABHA**Name of State : **WEST BENGAL**(1) Name of the Constituency : **18-BASIRHAT**Name of the Candidate : **REKHA PATRA**

| Sl. No. | | |
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| 1. | Criminal antecedents | |
| a. | Nature of the Offences | (1) Obstructing public servant from discharging duty (2) Obstructing public servant from discharging duty (3) Obstructing public servant from discharging duty (4) FIR lodged on a complaint of physical assault and molestation |
| b. | Case No. | (1) GR No. 458 of 2024 arising out of Sandeshkhali PS Case No. 21 of 2024 dated 09.02.2024 u/s 147/148/353/332/323/186/189/34 IPC (2) GR No.491 of 2024 arising out of Sandeshkhali PS Case No. 19 of 2024 dated 08.02.2024 u/s 147/148/353/332/186/184/34 IPC (3) GR No. 478 of 2024 arising out of Sandeshkhali PS Case No. 18 of 2024 dated 08.02.2024 u/s 147/148/358/332/323/186/189/34 IPC (4) GR No. 1846 of 2024 arising out of Matia PS Case No. 144 of 2024 dated 30.04.2024 u/s 341/325/354/308/506/509/34 IPC |
| c. | Name of the Court | (1) Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Basirhat (2) Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Basirhat (3) Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Basirhat (4) Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Basirhat |
| 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 | 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 candidate has been a survivor of the Sandeshkhali incidents and has been at the forefront of getting justice for the other victims |
| 3. | Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words) | As per public demand the candidate has been nominated over any other person. |

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Name of the Election : **LOKSABHA**
Name of the State : **West Bengal**
(1) Name of the Constituency : **BARASAT, 17**
Name of the Candidate : **SWAPAN MAJUMDER**

| Sl. No. | Criminal antecedents |
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| 1.A | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 188/186 IPC & 51(b) Disaster Management Act, 2005 & 8B National Highways Act.</p> <p>b. Case No. Gaighata PS Case No. 806/2021</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) FRT 189/24 dated 29.02.2024</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.B | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 188/186 IPC & 51(b) Disaster Management Act, 2005 & 8B National Highways Act.</p> <p>b. Case No. Gaighata PS Case No. 66/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) CS No. 990 dated 31.10.2022</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.C | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 500/504/505(2) IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Gaighata PS Case No. 342/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.D | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 465/466/471/472/474 IPC & 125A Representation of People's Act</p> <p>b. Case No. Gopainagar PS Case No. 252/2021</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.E | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 505(1)(b)/506 IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Bongaon PS Case No. 873/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.F | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 283/186/187/188/34 IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Bongaon PS Case No. 874/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.G | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 500/504(2)/509 IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Bagdah PS Case No. 510/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.H | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 500/504/505 IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Petrapole PS Case No. 126/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> |

| Sl. No. | Criminal antecedents |
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| 1.H | <p>a. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.I | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 115/116/186/189/504/505(i)(b)/505(2)/506 IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Ashoknagar PS Case No. 342/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Barasat</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.J | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 21(c) NDPS Act</p> <p>b. Case No. NDPS Case No. 105/2017</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Guwahati</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) Yes</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any 03.04.2018</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any Rigorous imprisonment for 10(ten) years and to pay fine of Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rupees One lakh only), in default to suffer rigorous imprisonment for another 6 (six) months</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given In Appeal before GAUHATI HIGH COURT accused appellant is acquitted of the charge U/S 21(c) of NDPS Act.</p> |
| 1.K | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 188/186 IPC & 51(b) Disaster Management Act</p> <p>b. Case No. Gopainagar PS Case No. 277/2020</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.L | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 143/188/186 IPC & 51(b) Disaster Management Act</p> <p>b. Case No. Gopainagar PS Case No. 306/2020</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.M | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 341/325/354B/506/34 IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Gopainagar PS Case No. 316/2021</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) CS 587/21</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 1.N | <p>a. Nature of the Offences U/S 500/504/505(2) IPC</p> <p>b. Case No. Gopainagar PS Case No. 190/2022</p> <p>c. Name of the Court Bongaon</p> <p>d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) No</p> <p>e. Date of conviction, if any</p> <p>f. Details of punishment undergone, if any</p> <p>g. Any other information required to be given</p> |
| 2. | <p>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 'winability' at the polls(not more than 100 words)</p> <p>Swapan Majumder is an altruistic individual and an MLA from the Bongaon Constituency. He is a man of organization and has been leading the ideology from the front. He is someone to bank upon to give a strong fight against the rogue ruling dispensation in the state and particularly in the District of Barasat.</p> |
| 3. | <p>Reason as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates(not more than 100 words)</p> <p>Mr. Majumder has been serving not only the people of Bongaon but also maintaining close contact with the ground-level workers of the party in the District of Barasat in his organizational capacity. The party workers and organizational leaders unanimously agree that he is the most suitable candidate. The cases registered against him are all false and are due to animosity by the rogue ruling dispensation, according to the accounts of party workers and leaders in Barasat.</p> |

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*Name of the Election : **LOKSABHA**

Name of State : **WEST BENGAL**

(1) Name of the Constituency : **16, DUMDUM (PC)**

Name of the Candidate : **SILBHADRA DATTA**

| Sl. No. | | |
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| 1. | Criminal antecedents | |
| a. | Nature of the Offences | Criminal |
| b. | Case No. | Khardaha P.S. Case No.149 Dt. 22.03.2010 U/S.143/427/332/506/353/186/341 IPC Hare Street P.S. Kolkata Case No. 172 GR- 872/2021 U/S. 143/147/158/223 YEAR 2021 |
| c. | Name of the Court | Barrackpore and Bankshall Court - Kolkata |
| d. | Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No) | Yes S.C. – 318/15, S.T.- 6 (I) /23 |
| e. | Date of conviction, if any | No |
| f. | Details of punishment undergone, if any | No |
| g. | Any other information required to be given | Next Case Date: 18.07.2024 of Khardaha P.S. Case No.149 |
| 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 is a prominent social worker since long time, he has deep empathy and understanding of community needs of its constituency. He has strong foundation in listening to and understanding the diverse challenges of local people face, enabling them to advocate for policies that truly address the needs of his constituency. He is skilled in navigating complex social systems and can bring a holistic, people centred perspective to political decision making, aiming to create inclusive and equitable solutions for social issues. |
| 3. | Reason as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words) | The Candidate is a prominent social worker in his constituency and he has proved himself by achieving various goals of many social activities and work of mankind in comparison of other candidate. He is very skilled and understanding of local community needs. All cases filed against this candidate are false and fabricated due to political vendetta being waged by his political rival. The party has full faith and confidence that the candidate shall be acquitted against all the cases pending before the Ld. Court. |

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