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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: **ALL INDIA TRINAMOL CONGRESS**

*Name of the Election: **GENERAL ELECTION TO THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL, 2021**

Name of State/UT: **WEST BENGAL**

(1) Name of the Constituency – **234 – Salboni A.C**

Name of the candidate – **Mr. SRIKANTA MAHATA**

Sl.no			
1.	Criminal antecedents		
(i)	a.	Nature of the offences	U/S 143/144/186/188/447/504/506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860
	b.	Case no.	Salboni P.S case no. 42/2009 dt. 11/06/2009
	c.	Name of the Court	C. J. M., Paschim Medinipur
	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	NIL
(ii)	a.	Nature of the offences	U/S 144/448/506/379/186/120B/121/121A/123/ 124A of Indian Penal Code, 1860
	b.	Case no.	Salboni P. S. Case no. 55/2009 dt. 02/07/2009

	c.	Name of the Court	C. J. M., Paschim Medinipur
	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	NIL
(iii)	a.	Nature of the offences	U/S 302/34 Indian Penal Code, 1860, 25 /27 Arms Act, 1959 adding Section 120B /121/121A/122/123/124 Indian Penal Code, 1860
	b.	Case no.	Salboni P. S. Case no. 69/2010 dt. 09/07/2010
	c.	Name of the Court	C. J. M., Paschim Medinipur
	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	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)		Srikanta Mahata has been a party veteran who rose up the ranks from being a member of the Bhimpur Gram Panchayat. He is a well known face throughout the blocks of Salboni AC and has been reachable, especially at times of crisis.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)		Srikanta Mahata is a dependable person in the Salboni AC and is a party veteran.


(2) Name of the Constituency - **234 - Salboni A.C.**

Name of the candidate: **Mr. SRIKANTA MAHATA**

* 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 of Constituency.

Signature of office bearer of the Political Party

Name and designation

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Derek O'Brien', is written over a horizontal dotted line. A long, sweeping horizontal stroke extends from the end of the signature to the right.

DEREK O'BRIEN

MEMBER , AITC

WORKING COMMITTEE