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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 TRINAMOOL 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 – **244- Kashipur**

Name of the candidate – **Mr. Swapan Kumar Beltharia**

Sl.no.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	U/S 341/323/427/506/34 of Indian Penal Code, 1860
	b. Case no.	Kashipur P.S 02/21 Dated-02/01/2021
	c. Name of the Court	ACJM Raghunathpur
	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	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)	Swapan Kumar Beltharia is the most popular and respected figure of the AC. He is highly accessible by the people. He has always stood as a support for the public.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	No other leader has got a stature like him.

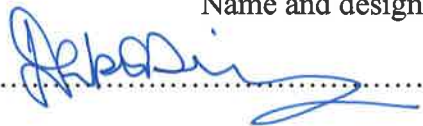
(2) Name of the Constituency - **244-Kashipur**

Name of the candidate: **Mr. Swapan Kumar Beltharia**

* 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



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