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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 with out 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 TRINAMOOOL 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 – 123 Sandeshkhali (S.T) Assembly Constituency

Name of the candidate – **Mr. Sukumar Mahata**

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1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	Indian Penal Code, 1860 U/Sections 147,148,447,379,427,506, 34
	b. Case no.	Sandeshkhali P.S Case No.681,dated 25.11.2014
	c. Name of the Court	ACJM AT 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 working in the area for a long time and is well-known for being of support to all communities in the area.



3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	Same as above. The party in the area is also strongly supportive of his candidature.
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(2) Name of the Constituency – **123 Sandeshkhali (S.T) Assembly Constituency**
Name of the candidate: **Mr.Sukumar 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



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