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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 the Political Party: **ALL INDIA TRINAMOOOL CONGRESS**

*Name of the Election: **BIENNIAL ELECTION TO THE COUNCIL OF STATES TO FILL UP SIX SEATS FROM WEST BENGAL**

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

- (1) Name of the Constituency - **West Bengal**
(2) Name of the Candidate - **Shri Sukhendu Sekhar Ray**

| Sl. No. | | |
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| 1. | Criminal Antecedents | |
| (i) | a. | Nature of the offences Offences alleged Under Sections: 500, 501, 34 IPC |
| | b. | Case no. Complaint Case no. 1573 of 2011 |
| | c. | Name of the Court Court of the Ld. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Alipore |
| | 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) | Shri Sukhendu Sekhar Ray is a senior advocate and a two-time member of the Upper House. He has been Chief Whip of All India Trinamool Congress's Parliamentary Party in Rajya Sabha since February 2015. Further, he has served on various Parliamentary Committees and has been involved in crucial bills. |
| 3. | Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected | Same as above. |





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* 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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