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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)1.

(1) Name of Political Party : **Bharatiya Janata Party**

*Name of the Election : **General election to Lok Sabha - 2024**

Name of State/UT : **Karnataka**

(1) Name of the Constituency : **09 –BELLARI (ST)**


(2) Name of candidate : **B. SREERAMULU**

SL No.		
1	Criminal Antecedent	
	a	Nature of Offences 1. Property obtained by illegal means 2. Evading of Tax 3. Land Grabbing 4. Disobedience by Public Servent 5.Obstructing public servant
	b	Case No. 1.Spl cc No. 876/2022 2. CC No. 30779/2021 3. LGC(S) No. 1366/2019 4. CC No. 481/2023 5) .CC No.615/2020
	c	Name of the Court 1. CCH-82, AT BANGALORE 2. 42 nd ACMM at BANGALORE 3. Spl Court of Prohibition of Land Grabbing at Bangalore 4.2 nd Addl Civil Judge & JMFC, Chitradurga 5.1AddlSr.CJ,Challakere
	d	Whether Charges have been framed or not(Yes/No) 1. YES 2. YES 3. YES - HEARING 4. NO –HBC 5.YES-pending
	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 NIL
2	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 experienced political personality with dedicated mind set to serve the people and has a proven track record of being a successful minister and a person committed to the betterment of the lives of the people.	
3	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	
	There are no any other as popular and dedicated party worker and committed to people's welfare as that of this candidate. The cases that are pending are vindictive and the party didn't find any reason to deny the ticket to him for this Constituency.	

(2) Name of the Constituency : 14-Shimoga
Name of candidate : B.Y.Raghavendra

Sl. No.			
1.	Criminal Antecedents		
	a.	Nature of the offences	Section 3 of the Prevention of Money Laundering act, 2002 - Money Laundering related
	b.	Case no.	F.No.ECIR/BGZO/06/2013
	c.	Name of the Court	Directorate of Enforcement Bangalore Zonal Office
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	No
	e.	Date of conviction, if any	Not Applicable
	f.	Date 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)		He is fulltime BJP Karyakarta, dedicated his life to serve the nation, he has promptly executed and ensured all government programmes reached the needy, he raises issues of agriculturists, common people and works for the deprived and needy. Party firmly believes he will promptly serve the people. The case against him is politically motivated. He served as Member, Shikaripura Town Municipality, Member of Legislative Assembly, Shikaripura, Member of Parliament Shivamogga.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)		Case against him is politically motivated, there is no other candidate as accomplished as him for this particular constituency. The party didn't find any reason to deny the ticket.




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