(for political parties to publish in the newspaper, social media platforms & website of the party)

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 © no. 2192 of 2018 in W.P.(C) No. 536/2011)

Name of the Political Party: BIJU JANATA DAL

Name of the Election: GENERAL ELECTIONS TO THE STATE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ODISHA -2024

Name of the State: ODISHA

(1) Name of the Constituency - 102-TIRTOL(SC) AC

Name of the Candidate - SHRI RAMAKANTA BHOI

SI. No.					
1.	Criminal Antecedents				
	a.	Nature of the Offence	i. Bailable ii. Bailable iii. Bailable		
	b.	Case No.	i. GR No. 923/2020 ii. GR No. 775/2018 iii. GR No. 322/2020		
	C.	Name of the Court	i. SDJM, Jagatsinghpur ii. SDJM, Jagatsinghpur iii. JMFC, Tirtol		
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	i. No ii.No iii.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	All the cases are pending for appearance before the Hon'ble court.		
2.	The reasons for the selection of the candidate. Selection shall be with reference to the qualifications, achievements		The candidate is deeply involved in social service, since long, having mass public contact and interest in sports, culture and education being associated with different social organisations. He		

	and merit of the candidates and not mere "winnability" at the polls (Not more than 100 words)	has earlier contested twice for the election to the Odisha State Assembly.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	In consideration of his above merits, his selection as a candidate to the 102-TIRTOL(SC) Assembly Constituency is more justified than other individuals without criminal antecedents.

(2)	Name of the	Constituency -	102-TIRTOL	SC) AC
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Name of the Candidate – SHRI RAIVIARANTA B	<u>101</u>
	and so on

Signature of office bearer of the Political

Party Name and designation: Dr. SASMIT PATRA

GENERAL SECRETARY.

General Secretary Biju Janata Dal, Odisha Bhubaneswar District-Khurdha

^{*} 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.