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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 : **INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS**
Name of the Election : **HARYANA ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS 2024**
Name of State/UT : **HARYANA**

(1) Name of the Constituency : 51-BARWALA
Name of the candidate : RAM NIWAS GHORELA

Sl. no.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	u/s 7/13(1)(d) of the Prevention of Corruption Act.
	b. Case no.	FIR no. 07 dated 29/01/2016 PS SVB (Now ACB) Hisar
	c. Name of the Court	Proceedings have been stayed by the Hon'ble High Court of Punjab & Haryana by order dated 05/04/2016 LPA No. 98 and 88/2016 against order in CWP no. 27189/2015
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	No
	e. Date of conviction, if any	No
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	No
	g. Any other information required to be given	The only case registered due to political hatred which has been stayed for "No Report u/s 173 CrPC shall be presented against the respondent writ portioner (s)" as per order passed in LPA.
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 Sh. Ram Niwas Ghorela is a popular leader of Barwala assembly constituency. He is a social worker and well conversant with the problems of the constituency.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	The candidate Sh. Ram Niwas Ghorela has got mass following and most liked leader in his constituency in comparison to other persons seeking Congress Party ticket from Barwala Assembly Constituency.



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