

(for political parties to publish in the newspapers,  
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(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 Constituency** : **65- BADLI**  
**Name of the Candidate** : **KULDEEP VATS**

Sl. No.		
1.	Criminal antecedents	
	a. Nature of the offences	1. U/S 147,148,323 r/w 149,325 r/w 149, 452 r/w 149,506 r/w 149 I.P.C.
	b. Case no.	1. CHI/518/2017 based on FIR No. 187 of 2010
	c. Name of the Court	1. Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Pataudi (Gurugram)
	d. Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/ No)	1. No
	e. Date of conviction, if any	1. No.
	f. Details of punishment undergone, if any	1. No.
	g. Any other information required to be given	1. Case is pending on initial stage. The next date in the case is fixed 18.9.2024 for consideration on charge.
2.	The reasons for the selection of the candidate. Selection shall be with reference to the qualifications, achievements & merit of the candidate, & not mere "winnability" at the polls (not more than 100 words)	The candidate Sh. Kuldeep Vats is Sitting MLA from Badli Constituency. He is serving the people of his Constituency and knows the problems of general public very well.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)	Candidate Sh. Kuldeep Vats was found better candidate than other aspirants seeking candidature from the Indian National Congress.

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(Udai Bhan)  
President,

Haryana Pradesh Congress Committee