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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 **LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**
Name of State/ UT **NCT DELHI**
Name of the Constituency **17-WAZIRPUR**
Name of the candidate **RAGINI NAYAK**

Sl.no.			
1.	Criminal antecedents		
	a.	Nature of the offences	1. FIR No. 219/2002, Dated 01.11.2002, PS-Maurice Nagar, District-North, State-Delhi, U/s-147/148/427/186/332 IPC 2. FIR No. 155/2015, Dated 07.05.2015, PS-Tilak Marg, District-New Delhi, State-Delhi, U/s-186/188/353/332/34 IPC
	b.	Case no.	1. Cr. Case No.289901/2016 2. Cr. Case No. 16471/2018
	c.	Name of the Court	1. Ld. CMM, Central, Tis Hazari Courts, New Delhi 2. Ld. CMM, Patiala House Court, New Delhi
	d.	Whether Charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	1. Yes 2. Yes
	e.	Date of conviction, if any	No in all cases
	f.	Details of punishment undergone, if any	No in all cases

	g.	Any other information required to be given	Defamation Suit no. CS(OS) 495/2024 pending before High Court of Delhi wherein candidate is a party to the case
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 is a young dedicated social political worker for last several years in the constituency. She has been associated with the party since her student days. She is highly qualified (MA Ph.D.), she is holding the post of national spokesperson and convenor of foreign affairs department of the party.
3.		Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words).	She enjoys support of all section of the society as well as party workers. She has good experience of working at various levels in the organization. She has been raising issues of common people on behalf of the party in media for more than a decade and was found to be a better choice amongst other contenders in this constituency.

Signature of office bearer of the Political Party



RAJESH GARG
 AUTHORISED SIGNATORY
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 DELHI PRADESH CONGRESS COMMITTEE