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(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: Janata Dal (United)

***Name of the Election: Bihar Legislative Assembly 2025**

Name of State/UT: Bihar

(1) Name of the Constituency- **112 Maharajganj**

Name of the candidate- **Mr. Hemnarayan Sah**

Sl.no.			
1.	Criminal antecedents		
	a.	Nature of the offences	147,148, 323, 342 395, 448,504 IPC
	b.	Case no.	418/2002
	c.	Name of the Court	ACJM - I Siwan
	d.	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	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	NA
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)		Mr. Hemnarayan Sah has been a social worker all his life and is very popular among his constituents. He was elected to the Bihar Assembly in 2015 from this constituency. According to majority of the party workers from this constituency and the district, Mr. Hemnarayan Sah was better than all other aspirants who had applied from the party ticket.
3.	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates (not more than 100 words)		Party workers believe that the case against Mr. Hemnarayan Sah is a malicious act by political opponents to harass and silence him and is a political vendetta.

(2) Name of the Constituency- **112, Maharajganj A.C.**, Name of the candidate-

Mr. Hemnarayan Sah and so on

* 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.

(Chandan Kumar Singh), General Secretary, Bihar Pradesh Janata Dal (United)