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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 : JANATA DAL (SECULAR)

***Name of the Election : KARNATAKA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS 2023**

Name of State/UT : KARNATAKA

(1) Name of the Constituency: TUMKUR RURAL

Name of the candidate : D C GOWRISHANKAR

SI No.			
1	Criminal antecedents		
	a	Nature of the offences	U/S 120(b), 420, 406, 409, 465, 468, 471 Of IPC
	b	Case Number	CR No 128/2020 CR No 282/2022
	c	Name of the Court	Kyathsandra PS
	d	Whether charges have been framed or not (Yes/No)	NO
	e	Date of conviction, if any	-NA-
	f	Details of punishment undergone, if any	-NA-
	g	Any other information required to be given	-NA-
2	The reasons for the selection of the candidate: D.C.Gowrishankar is a very popular social activist and very needy to the people , The party workers of Tumkur Rural assembly constituency wish that he should be there voice in Vidhana Sabha .		

3	Reasons as to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates	He has been falsely implicated in these cases by the ruling party because of his popularity..

2. NAME OF THE CONSTITUENCY : TUMKUR RURAL

NAME OF THE CANDIDATE : D C GOWRISHANKAR

*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.

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