



## **Delhi Assembly Elections 2025**

The Association for Democratic Reforms (ADR) and Delhi Election Watch have analysed the self-sworn affidavits of **all 699** candidates, who are contesting in the Delhi 2025 Assembly Elections.

- In 2020 Delhi Assembly Elections, 133 (20%) out of 672 candidates analysed declared criminal cases against themselves.
- Similarly, in 2025, 132 (19%) Out of 699 candidates analysed declared criminal cases.
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  (20%)

  104
  (15%)

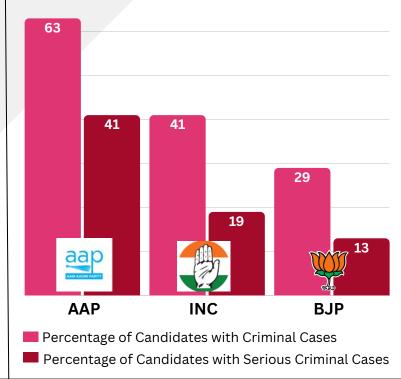
  81
  (12%)

  2020

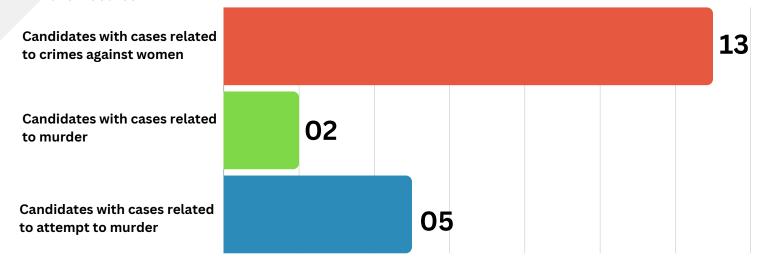
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  Candidates with Criminal Cases

  Candidates with Serious Criminal Cases
- Among the major parties, AAP has the highest number of candidates with criminal cases (44 out of 70, 63%), followed by INC (29 out of 70, 41%) and BJP (20 out of 68, 29%).
- In case of serious criminal cases, 41% (29 out of 70) AAP's candidates declared such cases followed by 19% (13 out of 70) in case of INC and 13% (9 out of 68) in case of BJP.



- 13 candidates have declared cases related to crime against women.
- 2 candidates have declared cases related to murder (IPC Section-302) against themselves.
- 3 5 candidates have declared cases related to Attempt to murder (IPC Section-307) against themselves.

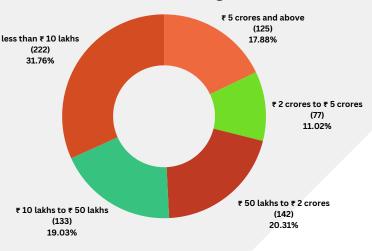


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### Financial Details of the candidates

Party-wise percentage of candidates with assets (₹50 crores and above) 12 12 10 10 9 8 6 4 2 1 0 **BJP** INDEPENDENT INC **AAP** 

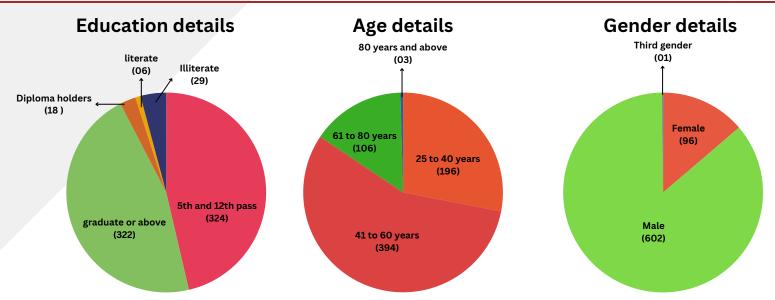
#### Share of wealth among candidates



#### Top three billionaire candidates & lowest assets candidates



- Candidates with assets ₹ 50 crores and above: Out of the 699 candidates analysed, 23(3%) candidates have assets worth Rs. 50 crores and above. In 2020 Delhi Assembly Elections, out of 672 candidates, 13(2%) had assets valued Rs. 50 crores and above.
- Average assets: The average of assets per candidate contesting in the Delhi Assembly Elections 2025 is Rs 5.65 Crores. In 2020 Delhi Assembly Elections, average assets per candidate for 672 Candidates was Rs. 4.34 Crores.
- Total assets of candidates: The total assets of 699 Candidates are Rs. 3,952 Crores.



Source: Election Commission of India
Data compiled and analysed by ADR

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