



1 to 3 years and a minimum fine of Rs. 200,000 for first time offenders. The learned DPG confirmed that the applicants do not have a previous crime record and thus the provision of section 8(2), which carries a more stringent punishment is not attracted in the present case. The offence with which the applicants are charged falls within the non-prohibitory clause of section 497 Cr.P.C. and there are no exceptional or extraordinary circumstances to deny the applicants bail.

6. Above are the reasons for the short order dated 26-11-2020 in terms of which the applicants were enlarged on bail.

JUDGE