

OFFICE OF UTTARAKHAND STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY,
HIGH COURT CAMPUS, NAINITAL

No. 320(A)/Memo/SLSA/2020,

Date: 09.04.2020

ORDER

The e-mail dated 07.04.2020 received from Secretary, DLSA, Dehradun with regard to seeking guidance for release of prisoners related to NDPS Act, 1985, N.I. Act, 1881 and some other cases was placed before the Hon'ble High Powered Committee, constituted by Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court of Uttarakhand/Patron-in-Chief, Uttarakhand State Legal Services Authority in compliance of the order dated 23.03.2020 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Suo Moto Writ Petition (C) No. 1/2020, In Re: Contagion of COVID-19 Virus in Prisons.**

Another e-mail received from Secretary, DLSA, Dehradun regarding seeking direction for prisoners who are falling under the categories mentioned in order dated 26.03.2020 of Hon'ble High Powered Committee was also placed before the Hon'ble Committee.

The Hon'ble High Powered Committee has been pleased to issue the following recommendations/directions:

- A. The convict prisoners of District Dehradun mentioned in the list **Annexure-1** be considered for release/not release/keep in abeyance as per the proposals given in the said list.
- B. The Undertrial prisoners of District Dehradun mentioned in the list **Annexure-2 (Except Prisoner at Sl. No. 3)** be considered for release on interim bail as per the proposals given in the said list
- C. The information regarding the recommendations of the Hon'ble High Powered Committee be sent to the DLSA, Dehradun for compliance.

The above order shall come into force forthwith.

By Order of the Committee,


(Dr. G.K. Sharma)

Member Secretary

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- Encl.: 1. List as Annexure-1.
2. List as Annexure-2.