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## **Opium Act, 1878**

### **Section 20 - Power of State Government to authorize officers to investigate offences and grant bail 1 Secs. 20 to 20J subs. for**

1) The 2 Words "Provincial Government" first subs. for the words "Local Government" by the Government of India (Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937 and thereafter, the word "State" subs. for the word "Provincial" by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950. [State Government] may, by notification in the 3 Words subs. for the words "Local Gazette" by the Government of India (Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937. [Official Gazette], authorize any class of officers of the Excise, Police or Customs Department to investigate offences, and to grant bail to persons arrested, under this Act. (2) The 4 Words "Provincial Government" first subs. for the words "Local Government" by the Government of India (Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937 and thereafter, the word "State" subs. for the word "Provincial" by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950. [State Government] may, from time to time, determine the form of the bail bond to be used.