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Madras High Court Stands by INR1 Lakh Relief for Man Tortured in Custody

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In a firm nod to human dignity over uniformed excess, the Madras High Court has upheld a INR1 lakh compensation order for a man brutalised in police custody—sending a clear message that the badge is not a shield against accountability. A Division Bench of Justices J Nisha Banu and M Jothiraman dismissed a plea filed by two police officers challenging the State Human Rights Commission's (SHRC) decision that held them...

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