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Supreme Court Clarifies Jurisdiction

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The Supreme Court recently ruled that the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) does not require a state's consent to register an FIR under central legislation against a central government employee, even if the employee is posted within that state. This landmark decision addressed a contentious jurisdictional issue, reaffirming the agency's authority in cases of corruption and other offenses under central laws. The ruling came in response to a case involving...

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