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Delhi High Court Blocks Wholesale Copying of News Videos

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The Delhi High Court granted summary judgment in a copyright suit over the unauthorised use of news videos on four online channels. In its 29 September decision, the Court found that ten of twelve challenged videos reproduced the claimant's works entirely or almost entirely, while another copied a continuous segment exceeding five minutes. Wholesale reproduction that substitutes for the original cannot qualify as fair dealing for reporting current events, it...

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