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Arrested Persons Must Get Immediate Access to Legal Counsel Before Remand

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The Delhi High Court has ruled that individuals taken into custody must be informed of the grounds for their arrest immediately and granted sufficient time to consult a lawyer before any remand proceedings. The court emphasized that without this safeguard, an arrestee lacks a meaningful opportunity to contest their detention. A bench led by Justice Anup Jairam Bhambani underscored the importance of Section 50 of the Code of Criminal Procedure...

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