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Delhi High Court Grants NDPS Bail, Says Marginal Excess Over Commercial Drug Limit Calls for Closer Scrutiny

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The Delhi High Court has held that the stringent bail restrictions under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act may warrant a more nuanced approach when the quantity of drugs allegedly recovered is only marginally above the prescribed commercial threshold. Justice Amit Bansal made the observation while granting bail to Sunny, who was arrested in July 2025 following the alleged recovery of 259.3 grams of morphine — just 9.3...

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