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The Allahabad High Court has issued a stark reminder of a troubling reality: some trial court judges, fearing backlash or seeking to protect their careers, convict innocent people. The court emphasized the need for legislative action to address wrongful prosecutions and compensate victims, echoing a longstanding recommendation from the Law Commission. In a recent judgment, Justices Siddharth and Syed Qamar Hasan Rizvi acquitted a man accused of killing his wife...

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