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The Jammu and Kashmir High Court has sharply criticized the ongoing delays in prosecuting high-profile figures implicated in a massive arms license scam. The case, which centers on the illegal issuance of over 2.7 lakh arms licenses between 2012 and 2016, has exposed a troubling pattern of alleged favoritism and procedural inertia. A public interest litigation (PIL) brought attention to corruption involving district magistrates, including senior IAS officers, who allegedly...

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