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Supreme Court Backs Rape Conviction Based on Victim's Clear Testimony

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The Supreme Court has once again made it unambiguous—when it comes to sexual assault cases, a survivor's voice, if unwavering and credible, stands tall even when the body bears no visible wounds. In a judgment that reinforces long-standing legal principle, the Court upheld the conviction of a man accused of raping a 15-year-old girl, making it clear that lack of external injuries or emphatic medical evidence cannot be used as...

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