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High Court Cracks Down on Noise Pollution Oversight

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In a decisive move against unchecked noise pollution, the Punjab and Haryana High Court issued stern directives, holding District Magistrates and Superintendents of Police in Haryana, Punjab, and Chandigarh personally accountable for enforcing anti-noise pollution regulations. The Court's stance revisited its 2019 mandate, which included a ban on loudspeakers around annual school examinations. Emphasizing vigilance, it instructed authorities to act swiftly on complaints...

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