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Supreme Court Clarifies Partial Rejection of Plaint Not Permissible Under Order VII Rule 11 CPC

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In a significant ruling, the Supreme Court emphasized that a civil plaint containing multiple reliefs cannot be dismissed entirely just because one of the reliefs is barred by law. The Court held that as long as at least one relief remains valid and within the jurisdiction of the civil court, the plaint must be allowed to proceed. The bench, comprising Justices JB Pardiwala and R Mahadevan, addressed a case involving...

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