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In a ruling that peels back the layers of judicial self-discipline, the Supreme Court has made it clear: the Judges (Protection) Act, 1985 does not stand in the way of its own in-house inquiry process against sitting High Court judges. A Bench of Justices Dipankar Datta and Augustine George Masih took up the case of Justice Yashwant Varma, whose troubles began when unaccounted cash was found in his official residence...

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