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Supreme Court Greenlights LG's Solo Alderman Appointments in Delhi

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In a landmark decision, the Supreme Court has ruled that Delhi's Lieutenant Governor (LG) possesses the authority to appoint aldermen to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) independently, without the need for the Delhi Government's consultation. A three-judge bench, featuring Chief Justice DY Chandrachud, Justice JB Pardiwala, and Justice PS Narasimha, asserted that the LG's appointments stand valid under the Delhi Municipal Corporation Act, 1957. This ruling...

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