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Supreme Court Orders INR3 Lakh Compensation for Bride Over Dowry Dispute

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In a stern reminder of the ongoing battle against dowry-related harassment, the Supreme Court has upheld the conviction of a man who ended his three-day marriage over unmet demands for gold, directing him to pay INR3 lakh as compensation to the bride. The case, originating from a 2006 marriage that lasted just days, saw M. Venkateswaran accused of dowry harassment under Section 498A of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) and...

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