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Supreme Court Pulls Up Gujarat Police Over Missing Case Files, Orders Accountability After 19-Year Investigation Drift

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The Supreme Court has expressed sharp concern over the disappearance of investigation records in a nearly two-decade-old criminal case from Gujarat, describing the loss of files during an ongoing probe as a serious blow to the integrity of the criminal justice system. A Bench comprising Justice Sanjay Karol and Justice Augustine George Masih directed the Gujarat government to place on record the action taken against the police officer responsible for...

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