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Supreme Court Rejects Death Penalty, Citing Reform Potential in Multiple-Murder Case

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In a landmark ruling, the Supreme Court upheld the conviction of a man for murdering his wife and four minor daughters but commuted his death sentence to life imprisonment without remission. The decision was based on the absence of prior criminal activity, prison reports indicating a chance for rehabilitation, and judicial precedents that caution against capital punishment, even in multiple-murder cases. The Court reiterated that the death penalty remains an...

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