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Supreme Court Restores Railway Doctor's Promotion Claim, Orders Pension Revision Over Lost Records and Unshared ACRs

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A retired Indian Railway Medical Service (IRMS) officer has secured a significant victory in the Supreme Court, which ruled that administrative lapses during her promotion process unfairly damaged her career prospects and retirement benefits. The Court granted Dr. Indira Saranath notional promotion to the post of Chief Medical Director in the Higher Administrative Grade (HAG) and directed the authorities to recalculate her pension and other retirement dues accordingly. The ruling...

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