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Supreme Court Slams Tribunal for Reopening Citizenship Case, Declares It Powerless to Reverse Own Ruling

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The Supreme Court has ruled that a Foreigners Tribunal cannot override its own final judgment by re-examining a concluded citizenship issue. The decision comes after the tribunal attempted to reopen a case where it had previously affirmed an individual's Indian citizenship. In the case at hand, the Foreigners Tribunal had issued a verdict on February 15, 2018, confirming that the appellant was not a foreign national who had entered from...

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