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Uttarakhand High Court Deems Father's Actions as Sexual Harassment Under POCSO

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A father exposing himself and showing explicit films to his child is considered a violation under the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act (POCSO), the Uttarakhand High Court has declared. Justice Ravindra Maithani upheld a trial court's decision to summon the father, charging him under Sections 11 (enticement of a child for pornographic purposes) and 12 (sexual harassment) of the POCSO Act for alleged sexual harassment of his son....

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