**Supreme Court Overturns Facebook-Threats Conviction**

The Supreme Court has thrown out the conviction of a man accused of making threatening statements on Facebook, setting a higher standard for cases involving online threats. Prosecuting such cases requires showing that the person posting the message actually intended to make a threat, the court ruled.

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