

Role of Indian Judiciary in the Protection of Human Rights in India

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Abstract: *Human rights protection in India is deeply rooted in the constitutional framework and judicial interpretation. The judiciary—particularly the Supreme Court and High Courts—has played a transformative role in expanding and safeguarding fundamental rights such as equality, liberty, dignity, and environmental protection. Between 2022 and 2025, several landmark decisions strengthened the protection of human rights by interpreting the Constitution dynamically. This paper examines the evolving role of the Indian judiciary in protecting human rights through significant recent judgments and legal developments.*

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