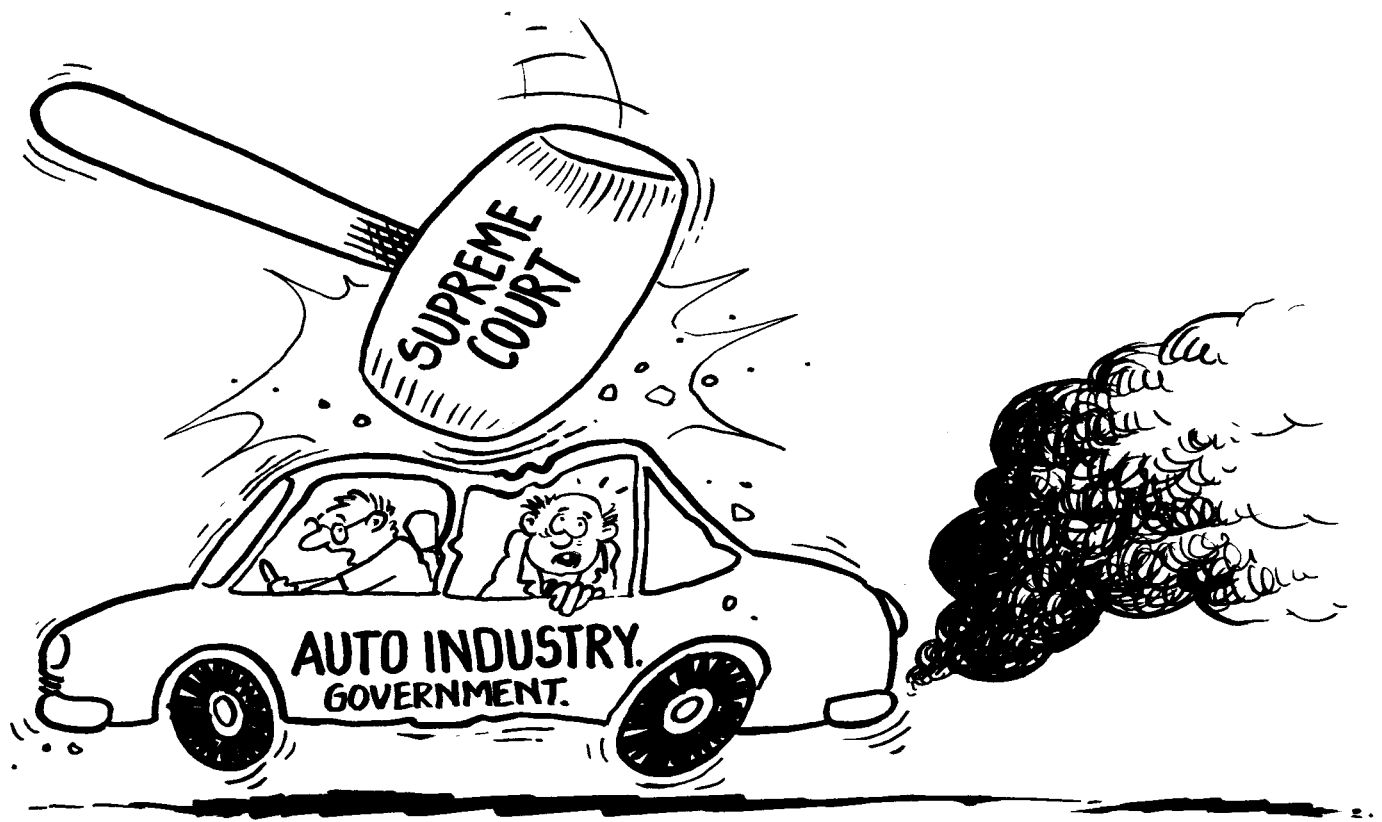


# Telling one liners

Supreme Court hearing on air pollution in Delhi, May 13 1999



● Counsel: Our submission is to allow us some more time to implement these (EURO I and II) emission norms.

**Bench: People can't breathe and you are asking for more breathing time?**

● Counsel: It is unfair to consumers to limit the number of cars to be bought as the public transport in the city is not in place.

**Bench: There is one vehicle for three persons in the city. There should be a complete ban. At least we are giving some leverage.**

● Counsel: We had no inkling that the deadline (for Euro I norms) would be advanced in this manner. Production has come to a halt.

**Bench: It is only under pressure that Indian manufacturers will work.**

● Counsel: Because of these orders, people are getting cars not conforming to norms registered outside NCR and bringing them to Delhi.

**Bench: There are no limits to ingenuity.**

● Counsel: please allow us to speak two sentences.

**Bench: Whether you speak one or two sentences, we will only pass a sentence.**

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