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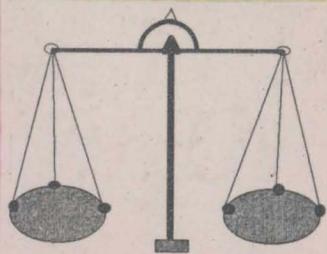
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"Behind the velvet glove, there is a firm fist. I will come down very very heavily on tax evaders and go to the extent of launching prosecution."

in Parliament on May 9, 1997 regarding the newly announced voluntary income disclosure (amnesty) scheme.