

## **2G scam: In the words of Justices Singhvi and Ganguly**

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A Supreme Court bench of G S Singhvi and A K Ganguly on Thursday delivered a hard-hitting and far-reaching judgement on the **2G scam**. Petitions were filed by the Centre for Public Interest Litigation (with which Prashant Bhushan is associated) and **Subramanian Swamy** against the Centre. Here are a few key observations and conclusions made in the verdict:

### **ON TRAI'S ROLE**

To say the least , the entire approach adopted by Trai was lopsided and contrary to the decision taken by the council of ministers and its recommendations became a handle for the then minister of C&IT and officers of DoT who virtually gifted away the important national asset at throwaway prices The recommendations made by Trai were flawed in many respects and implementation thereof by DoT resulted in gross violation of the objective of NPT 1999.