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CORRUPTION SEEN AS MAJOR FLAW OF LEGAL SYSTEM

According to a recent Gallup poll corruption is viewed as the major flaw of our legal system. Nation-wide survey conducted in both rural and urban areas of the country posed the question: what in your view is the single most important flaw in our legal system?" 66% of the sample was able to give one or another answer whereas 34% could not offer a reply. Of those who gave an answer, 64% mentioned corruption as the single most important problem of our courts. 12% regarded delays in court proceedings to be their major flaw. Other responses were: injustice (9%), sifarish/unfair references (6%) and miscellaneous responses (9%).

The survey was conducted with a statistical sample of the population spread over 200 rural and urban localities all over the country. The data were computer processed.

TABLE

Question: what in your view is the single most important flaw in our legal system (courts)?

Percent of respondents

	Among those who answered	Among all
Corruption	64	42
Delays	12	8
Injustice	9	6
Sifarish	6	4
Miscellaneous	9	6
No opinion	-	34