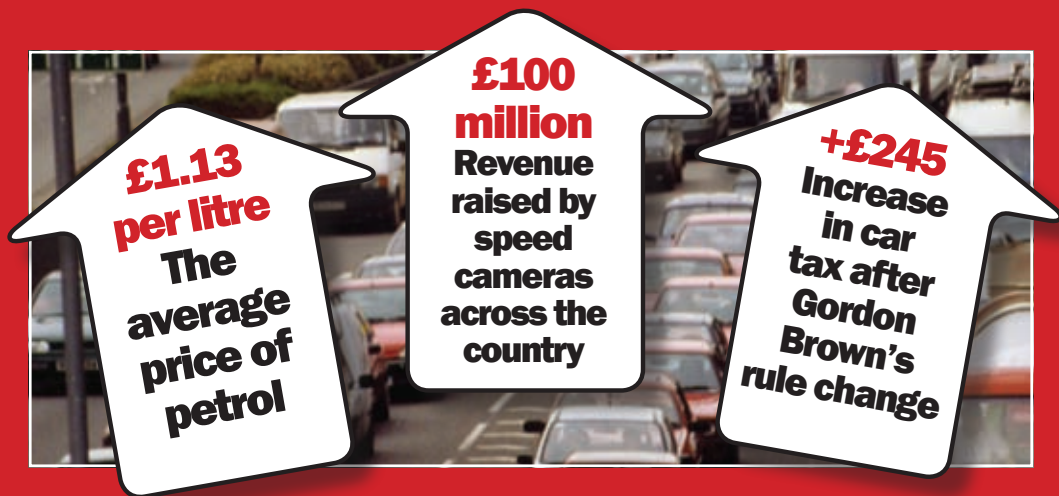


Labour's grand theft auto

HOW GORDON BROWN IS MAKING LIFE A MISERY FOR CAR DRIVERS

Not content with abolishing the 10p tax band for the lower paid, new taxes on pints of beer in local pubs and more than 100 other tax rises, Gordon Brown is now hitting car drivers where it hurts - in the pocket.

Gordon Brown's Government has taken people for granted for too long. He's so out of touch he has no idea what it's like to live on a family budget.



HE COULDN'T BE MORE OUT OF TOUCH

Now he is about to hit drivers by doubling road tax for most family cars – meaning a £245 tax rise for many drivers.

SOARING LIVING COSTS: GORDON BROWN STILL DOESN'T GET IT

When we go to the supermarket, fill the car up, or pay our electricity bills, we know that life is getting more expensive.

There are lots of things the Government could do to make life easier. Gordon Brown could cancel his increases in petrol and car tax, his new alcohol taxes, and his plans to increase taxes on the lowest paid.

**BUT HE WON'T LISTEN.
HE STILL DOESN'T GET IT.**

THEY COULDN'T BE MORE OUT OF TOUCH.

Local families are struggling to make ends meet as rising living costs hit household budgets.

Sharp increases in the price of everyday things like petrol, heating and even food are leaving local families feeling less well off. With wage rises limited and local jobs under pressure, this is a worrying time for many people.

**RATHER THAN TAKE ACTION TO HELP HARD-PRESSED
FAMILIES, GORDON BROWN'S GOVERNMENT IS
PILING ON THE PRESSURE.**

SINCE GORDON BROWN TOOK OVER AS PM:	
BUTTER.....	+23p
SPIRITS.....	+55p
CHEESE.....	+99p
EGGS.....	+22p
WINE.....	+14p
BREAD.....	+14p
MILK.....	+6p
BEER.....	+4p
TOTAL.....	DISASTER



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