

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRL. MISC. No.M-13770 OF 2016 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION : 22nd OCTOBER, 2016**

Rajbir Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. B. CHAUDHARI

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Present : Mr. Ashwani Aggarwal, Senior Advocate with
 Mr. Bikram Chaudhary, Advocate for the petitioner.

 Ms. Tanu Shree Gupta, DAG, Haryana.

 Mr. R. N. Lohan, Advocate for the complainant.

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A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.0051 dated 06.03.2016 registered under Sections 420, 466, 467, 468, 471, 472 & 120-B IPC at Police Station Barwala, District Hissar.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

The allegation against the petitioner is that he contested election on the basis of forged and fake certificate of 8th standard for the post of Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat.

It is not in dispute that complaint in the nature of election dispute has already been filed before the appropriate authority.

Learned counsel for the complainant has vehemently opposed the anticipatory bail petition.

In my opinion, no purpose will be served by refusing the relief of anticipatory bail since the case is based on documentary evidence whether forged or not.

In that view of the matter, this court is inclined to grant the anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Hence, interim order dated 25.04.2016 is made absolute.

Disposed of accordingly.

22nd OCTOBER, 2016
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(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes	No
Whether Reportable:	Yes	No.