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

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Date of Decision:24.05.2017

Hira Lal Chawla and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Lokesh Sharma, Advocate for
the petitioners.

Mr. B.S.Virk, DAG, Haryana,
for respondent Nos.1 and 2.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioners-Hira Lal Chawla, Dinesh Chawla, Jatinder Chawla, Hatinder Chawla and Mohinder Paul Chawla have filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail in Criminal Complaint No.179/03.05.2016, SC-61/08.12.2016, titled as, 'State (through Drugs Control Officer, Rohtak) vs. Raj Kumar Sapra and others', under Sections 18 and 27 of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940.

Notice of motion was issued in this case. Learned State counsel put in appearance on behalf of the respondent-State and contested this petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioners as well as

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learned State counsel and have gone through the record.

From the record, I find that the petitioners have been summoned in a complaint case.

In pursuance of the interim order dated 27.04.2017 passed by this Court, the petitioners have already appeared before the trial Court and vide order dated 03.05.2017 passed by the trial Court, they have been released on interim bail. Now, the petitioners are not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes, as it is a complaint case and they are only to face the trial. Therefore, no useful purpose will be served by sending the petitioners to custody.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts of the case in minute details and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, I find merit in this petition and the same is allowed. The order dated 27.04.2017 passed by this Court, granting interim bail to the petitioners, is made absolute.

24.05.2017

parveen kumar

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Note:	Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
	Whether reportable	:	No