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

CRM-M-26207 of 2017

Date of decision: September 25, 2017

Surjeet Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

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

Present: Mr. A.S. Sivia, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramandeep Sandhu, Sr. DAG Punjab.

A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

In FIR No.72 dated 09.05.2017, under Section 3 of Seeds Control Order, 1983 (for short 'Seeds Act') and Section 420 of Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Sri Muktsar Sahib, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail. This Court had made an order dated 08.08.2017 granting *ad interim* anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Pursuant to the last order dated 23.08.2017, the petitioner has complied with the said order by depositing the amount. Looking to the nature of offences of the Seeds Act, I think, the interim order can be confirmed.

In that view of the matter, interim order dated 08.08.2017 granting *ad interim* anticipatory bail to the petitioner, is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of, accordingly.

**(A.B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE**

September 25, 2017

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No