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

**CRM-M-26651 of 2017**

**Date of decision: July 26, 2017**

Ram Pal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

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

**Present:** Mr. Bipan Ghai, Senior Advocate with  
Mr. Paras Talwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

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**A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)**

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Chetan Sharma, AAG  
Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the State.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

This is a petition for grant of anticipatory bail to the  
petitioner in FIR No.39 dated 14.07.2017, under Sections 354-A, 354-  
D, 506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Section 67-A of Information  
and Technology Act, 2000, registered at Police Station Women Police  
Station, Yamuna Nagar.

Looking to the allegations in the complaint filed by a  
female co-councilor, the petitioner himself volunteered before this  
Court to resign from the post of Deputy Mayor, Municipal  
Corporation, Yamuna Nagar and accordingly, learned Senior counsel  
for the petitioner, on instructions from the petitioner, tendered an

affidavit on record, which is taken on record and marked as 'X' for identification. Para 3 of the affidavit shows that the petitioner would resign from the post of Deputy Mayor, Municipal Corporation, Yamuna Nagar tomorrow and the same shall be accepted tomorrow itself by the concerned Authority.

In my opinion, the statement made by the petitioner in the affidavit should be accepted as an undertaking to this Court and acting on that statement, the petitioner should be granted anticipatory bail in the FIR in question.

In that view of the matter, the petitioner shall be released on anticipatory bail on his furnishing bail bonds amounting to ₹10,000/- with one surety of like amount, subject to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned. The petitioner shall resign from the post of Deputy Mayor, Municipal Corporation, Yamuna Nagar tomorrow and the same shall be accepted tomorrow itself by the concerned Authority. Failure to compliance shall result into initiation of contempt proceedings against the petitioner.

Petition stands disposed of, accordingly.

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

**July 26, 2017**

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No