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

CRM-M-33573 of 2016

Date of decision: March 16, 2017

Ashok Kumar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

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

Present: Mr. L.S. Sidhu, Advocate the petitioner.

Ms. Rajni Gupta, Addl. AG Punjab.

A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

In FIR No.73 dated 24.08.2016, under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City 2, Mansa, District Mansa, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail. This Court had made an order dated 22.09.2016 granting *ad interim* anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Since there is a compliance to the last order dated 27.02.2017 and as stated by learned State counsel, on instructions from Assistant Sub Inspector Gurmail Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and custody is not required.

In that view of the matter, interim order dated 22.09.2016 granting *ad interim* anticipatory bail to the petitioner, is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of, accordingly.

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

March 16, 2017

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No