

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT SRINAGAR**

HCP No. 26/2026

Hafsa Tahir Th. Her Mother

...Petitioner(s)

Through: Mr. Bhat Khursheed, Advocate

Vs.

**Union Territory of J&K Th.
Commr/Secty to Home and Ors.**

...Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Faheem Nisar Shah, GA

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAHUL BHARTI, JUDGE

ORDER

10.03.2026

- 1.** The respondent No.5-Abdul Khaliq Rather is father of Fatima Khaliq.
- 2.** Fatima Khaliq, in turn, is mother of minor daughter-Hafsa Tahir-the petitioner.
- 3.** Fatima Khaliq comes up with present petition seeking issuance of a writ of habeas corpus alleging that the petitioner Hafsa Tahir is being kept in illegal custody by the respondents No.5 to 8 who have taken exception to the fact that Fatima Khaliq has remarried against

her parental wishes whereas the minor daughter-Hafsa Tahir is born out of her first marriage of Fatima Khaliq.

4. Before this Court proceeds further, this Court deems it appropriate to summon the respondent No.5-Abdul Khaliq Rather.

5. The SHO, Police Station Lalpora, Lolab District Kupwara is directed to notify the respondent No.5- Abdul Khaliq Rather for his appearance in the case in person.

6. List again on **23.03.2026**.

7. Copy of this order be provided to Mr. Faheem Nisar Shah, learned Government Advocate for the sake of notice and compliance at the end of the SHO Police Station Lalpora, Lolab District Kupwara.

(RAHUL BHARTI)
JUDGE

SRINAGAR:
10.03.2026
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