

**HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH  
AT JAMMU**

**WP(C) No. 2509/2024  
Cav. No. 1889/2024**

**Mohd Akbar & Anr.** ..... Petitioner/Appellant(s)  
Through:- Mr. Vikram Arora, Advocate  
V/s

**UT of J&K & Ors.** .....Respondent(s)  
Through:- Ms. Chetna Manhas, Assisting Counsel to  
Mrs. Monika Kohli, Sr. AAG for R-1 & 2  
Mr. Ashish Sharma, Advocate for R-3

**CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MOKSHA KHAJURIA KAZMI, JUDGE**

**ORDER**

**15.12.2025**

1. Reply stands filed by contesting respondent No. 3.
2. Pleadings are complete.
3. Mr. Sarfraz Hamid Rather, learned advocate, states that since respondent No. 3 has been represented by Mr. Ashish Sharma, learned advocate, as such, he withdraws his power of attorney as a legal aid counsel.
4. Adjourned at the request of learned counsel for petitioners.
5. List for consideration on **02.02.2026**.
6. Meanwhile, interim direction, if any subsisting as on date, shall continue till next date of hearing.

**(MOKSHA KHAJURIA KAZMI)  
JUDGE**

**JAMMU  
15.12.2025  
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