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Syedna row: HC permits Taher to join his late father's petition

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The High Court, on Thursday, permitted Taher Khuzaimabhai to join his late father's petition regarding the trusteeship of 75 public trusts and 261 Wakfs of the Dawoodi Bohra community. The court stayed its order till December 5 so that the Mufaddal Burahnuddin Saifuddin can approach the SC.

The dispute came to light after the the 52th Syedna Burhanuddin in 2014 died; his son Mufaddal Saifuddin was declared successor. The charity commissioner permitted the 53th Syedana's name as trustee of the properties belonging to the community . However, late Syedana's half-brother Khozaima Qutubuddin had challenged the charity commissioner's order before the HC in 2014.

After demise of the Khuzaima, his son Taher Fakhruddin has filed a plea to join him as the party .