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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present	:	Shree Laxmi Narayan jee Mandir
Past	:	
Other Name (if any):	:	

2. Location

LONGITUDE 74^0 $12^'$ E   **LATITUDE** 29^0 03' N

Address   Juna Garh Road, Bikaner

: **Village (village code)**   Sagar
    Post : Bikaner   **District:** Bikaner
    State : Rajasthan   **PIN:** 334001

Approach   : The Mandir is situated at Bikaner City. It is 17 km away from Bikaner Bus Stand. It is well connected by regular bus services.

3. Property Type

Buildings	*Religious structures*	*Other Structures*
☐ Palace	✔ Temple	☐ Wall
☐ Fort	☐ Mosque	☐ Gateway
☐ Citadel	☐ Minar	☐ Pillar
☐ Govt. building	☐ Church	☐ Others (specify)
☐ Railway station	☐ Monastery	
☐ Defence building	☐ Stupa	
☐ Industrial building	☐ Tomb, Mausoleum	
☐ Other public buildings		
☐ Residential building		

Engineering structure	*Open space and related structures*	
☐ Bridge	☐ Public square	**Note:** This temple is dedicated to Vishnu. At entrance it has foliated arch opening and spandrel is decorated with medallion. Inside it has fluted column and a large verandha. Sanctum sanctorum enshrines Radha Krishna.
☐ Tunnel	☐ Park or garden	
☐ Other engineering structure	☐ Graveyard	
	☐ Baolis, Well	
	☐ Tank	
	☐ Cave	

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4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE : In use

Present	:	Religious
Past	:	Religious

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD	:	17th Century AD
YEARS	:	
Precise date of Construction	:	
Completion	:	
Subsequent changes	:	
Destruction / Demolition	:	

6. Ownership / Level of Protection

SINGLE /MULTIPLE :

Public : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify)	:	
Private	:	
Any other (Please specify)	:	
Name	:	
Address	:	
Phone	:	

7. Association

- **WITH EVENTS**

In History	:	
In Rituals	:	
In Building Construction	:	
Any other (specify)	:	

- **WITH PERSONS**

Patron	:	Temple
Architect / Engineer	:	
Any other (specify)	:	

8. Statement of Significance

☐	Architectural	Foliated arch
☐	Archaeological	
☐	Historical	
☐	Religious	
☐	Any other (specify)	

SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

- **Context**
  Urban / Rural Setting
  Surroundings

  * **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)
  Rural

  Stand in Isolation
  Integral part of a Landscape / Street / Complex

- **Quantification**
  Area Dimension (L x B x H)   :

  (m / cm/ feet / inch)

  Number of Blocks   :   01
  Number of Storys   :   01

- **Spatial Organization**
  Orientation   :   The temple is oriented North/South and faces the South
  Plan   :
  Allocation of Spaces   :

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
  Exteriors   :   Foliated arch
  Interiors   :
  Movable Collections   :
Any Other (specify)   :

10. Construction Technology

Structural System   :   Indo Persian
Building Techniques   :   Trabeate system
Material of Construction   :   Stone and plaster

11. Condition Assessment

In General   **Good / Fair**
                          Good

	Sign of Deterioration
	Serious Deterioration
	Danger of Disappearance

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

Blackening of surface.

12. Threats to the Property

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☐ Natural
☐ Negligence
☐ Vandalism
☐ Urban Pressures

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SECTION III: REFERENCES

13. Reference Sources (published and unpublished textual details)

14. Photographs

(attach list as in page 6, in case of multiple photographs)

Photo Reference

CAPTION

15. Audio / Video

(related to rituals / performance / festivals etc.)

Reference

DESCRIPTION

16. Maps/Plans/Drawings

17. Listers

NAME   **NAME**

18. Reviewers

NAME   **NAME**

COMMENTS   **COMMENTS**