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Serial No.: RJ/BKN-233 **SECTION I: IDENTIFICATION** 1. Name **Present** Dev Dhar Mahadev Mandir Past Other Name (if any): 2. Location 29⁰ 03' N LONGITUDE 74⁰ 12['] E LATITUDE **Address** Gainer Palace, Bikaner Village (village code) Post: Bikaner District: Bikaner State: Rajasthan **PIN:** 334301 Approach The Temple is situated at Gajnor in Bikaner City. It is 35 k.m. away from Bikaner Bus Stand. connected by regular bus services. 3. Property Type **Buildings** Religious structures Other Structures Temple Wall Palace 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 Note: This is a living temple structures dedicated to Shiva. It has domical Public square superstructure. Inside, it has Bridge circular and foliated arch opening. Tunnel Park or garden Sanctum sanctorum of the temple Other engineering structure Graveyard enshrines Linga and various Gods Baolis, Well & Goddesses

Tank Cave

4. Property Use		
		ABANDONED / IN USE: In use
Present Past	:	Religious Religious
5. Age (Source)		
PERIOD YEARS Precise date of Construction Completion Subsequent changes Destruction / Demolition	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	18 th Century A.D.
6. Ownership / Level of Protecti	on	SINGLE /MULTIPLE :
Public: Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify) Private Any other (Please specify) Name Address Phone	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	SINGLE /WIGHTI EE .
WITH EVENTS In History In Rituals In Building Construction Any other (specify) WITH PERSONS Patron Architect / Engineer Any other (specify) 8. Statement of Significance	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	Temple
Architectural Archaeological Historical Religious Any other (specify)	Do	omical superstructure

SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

9.	Physical Description and I	Decora	tive Features
Context Urban / Rural Setting Surroundings			* Drawings (Attach extra sheet if necessary) Rural Setting
			Stand in Isolation Integral part of a Landscape / Street / Complex
•	Quantification Area Dimension (L x B x F	H) :	(m / cm/ feet / inch)
	Number of Blocks Number of Storys	:	01 01
•	Spatial Organization Orientation Plan Allocation of Spaces	: : :	The Temple is oriented East-West and faces the West
•	Ornamentation Exteriors Interiors Movable Collections y Other (specify)	: : : :	Canopied chhatri, Foliated and Circular arch
10.	Construction Technology	у	
	Structural System Building Techniques Material of Construction	: :	Indo-Persian Arcuate system Stone and plaster
11.	Condition Assessment		
	In General	Good Good	/ Fair
	Sign of Deterioration Serious Deterioration Danger of Disappearance	e	
In l	Brief (Attach extra sheet it	f neces	ssary):
Bla	ckening of surface		

12. Threats to the Property	
	Natural Negligence Vandalism Urban Pressures

SECTION III: REFERENCES

13. Reference Sources (published and unpublished textual details)

(attach list as in page 6, in case of multiple photographs)
(related to rituals / performance / festivals etc.)
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COMMENTS