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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Purohiton Ki Chhatri
 Past :
 Other Name (if any):

2. Location

LONGITUDE 72° 52'E LATITUDE 26° 31'N

Address

Chhatri Morcha Balotra

: **Village (village code)** Balotra
Post : Balotra **District:** Barmer
State : Rajasthan **PIN:** 344022

Approach

: The Chhatri is situated at Balotra in Barmer. It is 96 Km away from Barmer district. It is well connected by regular bus service

3. Property Type

Buildings

- Palace
- Fort
- Citadel
- Govt. building
- Railway station
- Railway station
- Defence building
- Industrial building
- Other public buildings
- Residential building

Religious structures

- Temple
- Mosque
- Minar
- Church
- Monastery
- Monastery
- Stupa
- Tomb, Mausoleum
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Other Structures

- Wall
- Gateway
- Pillar
- Others (specify)
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Engineering structure

- Bridge
- Tunnel
- Other engineering structure

Open space and related structures

- Public square
- Park or garden
- Graveyard
- Baolis, Well
- Tank
- Cave

Note: It is a canopied Chhatri built on a raised platform. It is the combination of two Chhatri. The entrance has a small domical Chhatri Comprised with a huge domical Chhatri. The superstructure rest on a multi-angular carved stone pillars supported by carved stone.

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE : Abandoned

Present : Memorial
Past : Memorial

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** :
 - Architect / Engineer** :
 - Any other (specify)** :

8. Statement of Significance

- | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Architectural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Archaeological |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Historical |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Religious |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Any other (specify) |

SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

- **Context** : * **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)
Urban / Rural Setting : Rural
Surroundings : **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 Chhatri is oriented East/ West and faces the East
Plan :
Allocation of Spaces :

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
Exteriors : Canopied Chhatri
Interiors :
Movable Collections :
Any Other (specify) :

10. Construction Technology

- Structural System** : Indo Persian
- Building Techniques** : Arcurate
- Material of Construction** : Stone.

11. Condition Assessment

In General : **Good / Fair**
Good

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

Blackening, Accumulation of dust and dirt etc.

12. Threats to the Property

- | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Natural |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Negligence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Vandalism |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Urban Pressures |

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

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