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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Shri Dhaneshwar Mahadev Mandir
Past :
Other Name (if any): :

2. Location

LONGITUDE 74° 20' E

LATITUDE 26° 75' N

Address

Desuri

: **Village (village code)**

Post : Desuri

District: Pali

State : Rajasthan

PIN: 306703

Approach

: The Temple is situated at Desuri in Pali District. It is 100 KM away from Pali. It is well connected by regular bus services.

3. Property Type

Buildings

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

Religious structures

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

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 gigantic temple dedicated to Lord Shiva. It is constructed on a raised platform. It can be approached by flight of steps. It is built in Nagara style with some Indo Persian features. The Mukh Mandapam has domical superstructure. The pillars are multi angular and carved.

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE : In use

Present : Religious
Past : Religious

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD :
YEARS : 18th Century A.D.
Precise date of Construction : 1739 (Vikram Samwat – 1795)
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** : Maharana Dhiraj Shri Jagat Singh ji Kuwar Pratap Singh ji
 - Architect / Engineer** :
 - Any other (specify)** :

8. Statement of Significance

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|--------------------------|---------------------|
| <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 Surroundings** 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 Story's : 01

- **Spatial Organization**
 - Orientation : The temple is oriented East – West and faces the East.
 - Plan :

 - Allocation of Spaces :

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
 - Exteriors : Domical mandapam and Maha Mandapam
 - Interiors : Panch mukhi Shiv Lingam, carved pillars
 - Movable Collections :

- Any Other** (specify) :

10. Construction Technology

- Structural System** : Indo Persian

- Building Techniques** : Trabeate as well as Arcuate

- Material of Construction** : Stone and Plaster

11. Condition Assessment

In General

Good / Fair
Fair

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

Blackening of the surface.

12. Threats to the Property

- Natural
- Negligence
- Vandalism
- 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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