



# INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL CENTRE FOR THE ARTS

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### SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

#### 1. Name

Present : Suraj Pol  
Past :  
Other Name (if any): :

#### 2. Location

##### LONGITUDE

##### LATITUDE

##### Address

Niwai Fort, Niwai Shaher, Tonk

: **Village (village code)**

**Post** : Niwai

**District**: Tonk

**State** : Rajasthan

**PIN**: 304021

##### Approach

: The Suraj Pol is situated at Niwai Shaher in Tonk district. It is 32 km from Tonk bus stand. It is well connected by regular bus services.

#### 3. Property Type

##### *Buildings*

- |                          |                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Palace                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Fort                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Citadel                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Govt. building         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Railway station        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Defence building       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Industrial building    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other public buildings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Residential building   |

##### *Religious structures*

- |                          |                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Temple          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Mosque          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Minar           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Church          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Monastery       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Stupa           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tomb, Mausoleum |

##### *Other Structures*

- |                                     |                  |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Wall             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Gateway          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Pillar           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Others (specify) |

##### *Engineering structure*

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Bridge                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tunnel                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other engineering structure |

##### *Open space and related structures*

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|--------------------------|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Public square  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Park or garden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Graveyard      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Baolis, Well   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tank           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Cave           |

**Note:** This is a large massive gateway with pointed arch opening. It has parapet wall.

#### 4. Property Use

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**ABANDONED / IN USE :** Abandoned

**Present** :  
**Past** : Gateway

#### 5. Age (Source)

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**PERIOD** : 16<sup>th</sup> Century A.D.  
**YEARS** :  
**Precise date of Construction** :  
**Completion** :  
**Subsequent changes** :  
**Destruction / Demolition** :

#### 6. Ownership / Level of Protection

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**SINGLE /MULTIPLE :**

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

#### 7. Association

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- **WITH EVENTS**
  - In History** : Gateway
  - In Rituals** :
  - In Building Construction** :
  - Any other (specify)** :
- **WITH PERSONS**
  - Patron** :
  - Architect / Engineer** :
  - Any other (specify)** :

#### 8. Statement of Significance

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|--|---------------------|--------------|
| <input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> | Architectural       | Parapet wall |
| <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**

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- **Context**  
**Urban / Rural Setting**  
**Surroundings**  

\* **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)  
Urban

**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 Gateway is oriented at East/West and faces the East  
  
Plan :  
Allocation of Spaces :

### **ARCHITECTURAL STYLE**

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

### **10. Construction Technology**

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- |                                 |   |                      |
|---------------------------------|---|----------------------|
| <b>Structural System</b>        | : | Indo- Persian        |
| <b>Building Techniques</b>      | : | Arcuate and Trabeate |
| <b>Material of Construction</b> | : | Bricks & Stone       |

### **11. Condition Assessment**

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<b>In General</b>	<b>Good / Fair</b>
	Good

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|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Sign of Deterioration   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Serious Deterioration   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Danger of Disappearance |

**In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):**

Blackening of surface.

## 12. Threats to the Property

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

### **SECTION III: REFERENCES**

#### **13. Reference Sources** (published and unpublished textual details)

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#### **14. Photographs**

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

**Photo Reference**

**CAPTION**

#### **15. Audio / Video**

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(related to rituals / performance / festivals etc.)

**Reference**

**DESCRIPTION**

#### **16. Maps/Plans/Drawings**

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#### **17. Listers**

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**NAME**

**NAME**

#### **18. Reviewers**

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**NAME**

**NAME**

**COMMENTS**

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