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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Quadam Rasool Mosque, Cuttack Town,
Dist. – Cuttack

Past : ---

Other Name (if any): : ---

2. Location

LONGITUDE 85°52'14"E **LATITUDE** 20° 28'01" N **ELEVATION** 71 ft

Address : **Village (village code)** Daragha Bazar
Post : Cuttack Town **Via**: Cuttack Town
Tehsil: Cuttack **District** : Cuttack
State : Orissa **PIN**: 753001

Approach : The mosque is situated within the Daragha Bazar area in Cuttack town.

3. Property Type

<i>Buildings</i>	<i>Religious structures</i>	<i>Other Structures</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Palace	<input type="checkbox"/> Temple	<input type="checkbox"/> Wall
<input type="checkbox"/> Fort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mosque	<input type="checkbox"/> Gateway
<input type="checkbox"/> Citadel	<input type="checkbox"/> Minar	<input type="checkbox"/> Pillar
<input type="checkbox"/> Govt. building	<input type="checkbox"/> Church	<input type="checkbox"/> Others (specify)
<input type="checkbox"/> Railway station	<input type="checkbox"/> Monastery	
<input type="checkbox"/> Defence building	<input type="checkbox"/> Stupa	
<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial building	<input type="checkbox"/> Tomb, Mausoleum	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other public buildings		
<input type="checkbox"/> Residential building		

<i>Engineering structure</i>	<i>Open space and related structures</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge	<input type="checkbox"/> Public square
<input type="checkbox"/> Tunnel	<input type="checkbox"/> Park or garden
<input type="checkbox"/> Other engineering structure	<input type="checkbox"/> Graveyard
	<input type="checkbox"/> Baolis, Well
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tank
	<input type="checkbox"/> Cave
	<input type="checkbox"/>

Note:

The Mosque is one of the mosques in the Cuttack city. It is enclosed on all sides by high stone walls, which also serves as the main burial ground of the Muslims of Cuttack. The mosque includes a Naubat Khana (musical chamber) and a Sarai.

4. Property use

ABANDONED / IN USE : In use

Present : Living mosque, including a Naubat Khana (musical chamber), a Sarai and burial ground.

Past : Used

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD : It was built by Shujauddin Khan

YEARS : 18th century A.D.

Precise date of Construction : ---

Completion : ---

Subsequent changes : ---

Destruction / Demolition : ---

6. Ownership / Level of Protection

SINGLE / MULTIPLE Multiple

:

Public : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify) : ---

Private : ---

Any other (Please specify) : Quadam Rasool managing Committee

Name : ---

Address : At- Daragha Bazar, Po.- Cuttack Town, Dist.- Cuttack, Orissa

Phone : ---

7. Association

WITH EVENTS

In History : ---

In Rituals : *Namaz, Ramzan, Id-ul-Juha, Id-ul Fitar, etc.*

In Building Construction : ---

Any other (specify) : Naubat Khana (musical chamber) and a Sarai

WITH PERSONS

Patron : Presently under the care of Quadam Rasool managing Committee.

Architect / Engineer : ---

Any other (specify) : ---

8. Statement of Significance

<input type="checkbox"/>	Architectural	✓	Architectural
<input type="checkbox"/>	Archaeological	✓	Archaeological
<input type="checkbox"/>	Historical	✓	Historical
<input type="checkbox"/>	Religious	✓	Religious
<input type="checkbox"/>	Any other (specify)	:	On the basis of architectural style the mosque can be dated



to the 18th century A.D.

SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

Context		* Drawings (Attach extra sheet if necessary) :
		No
Urban / Rural Setting	:	Urban
Surroundings	:	setting
		Stand in Isolation
		Integral part of a Landscape
		/ Street / Complex : Complex
Quantification		
Area Dimension (L x B x H)	:	12.00 mtrs x 12.00 mtrs x 12.00 mtrs (about) (Octagonal building), (m / cm/ feet / inch)
Number of Blocks	:	One
Number of Storys	:	
Spatial Organization		
Orientation	:	The octagonal building has doorways on all cardinal directions.
Plan	:	The <i>mosque is</i> octagonal on plan.
Allocation of Spaces	:	57 acres of land, but the octagonal building rest over an area of 20.30 mtrs (L) x 20.30 mtrs (W).

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

Ornamentation

Exteriors	:	The dome is adorned with a golden pinnacle
Interiors	:	The interior is decorated with paintings of floral motifs.
Movable Collections	:	---
* Any Other (specify)	:	Dome is designed after the Turkish style of architecture upon a hexagonal base.

10. Construction Technology

Structural System	:	It is a single dome structure
Building Techniques	:	Ashlars masonry and English bond technique with lime mortar.
Material of Construction	:	Stone and brick with lime plaster

11. Condition Assessment

In General Good / Fair : Fair

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

