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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Bhavakundalesvara Temple, Umadei Brahmapur,
Dist.- Khurda
Past : ---
Other Name (if any): : Nil

2. Location

LONGITUDE 85°52'50"E **LATITUDE** 20°14'29" N **ELEVATION** 50 ft

Address : **Village (village code):** Umadei Brahmapur
(Tankapani)
Post : Gada Srirampur **Via:** Balakati
Tehsil: Bhubaneswar **District:** Khurda
State : Orissa **PIN:** 752100

Approach : The temple on the left bank of the river Bhargavi is situated on the right side of the road, leading from Balakati to Hansapal. It is at a distance of 3 kms from Chausathi Yogini temple of Hirapur.

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:

Rekha vimana and pidha jagamohana of Kalingan order.

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE : In use

Present : Living temple, the presiding deity is a *patalaphuta* Sivalinga within a *yonipitha* and it is submerged under water through out the year due to high ground water level.

Past : Worshipped.

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD : Ganga Rule
YEARS : 14th century A.D.
Precise date of Construction Completion : ---
Subsequent changes : Now the original surface of the temple is concealed by lime plaster & colour wash which had been done latter on.
Destruction / Demolition : ---

6. Ownership / Level of Protection

SINGLE /MULTIPLE : Multiple

Public : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify) : Endowment Department, Government of Orissa.

Private : Village Temple Committee under the chief priest Prasanna Panda

Any other (Please specify) : ---
Name : ---
Address : At - Umadei Brahmapur, P.O - Gada Srirampur, Dist. - Khurda, PIN - 752100, Orissa.
Phone : ---

7. Association

• **WITH EVENTS**

In History : ---
In Rituals : *Sivaratri, Kartika Purnima, Sankranit*, etc are performed here.
In Building Construction : ---
Any other (specify) : Thread ceremony, engagements and marriage ceremony etc are held here.

• **WITH PERSONS**

Patron : Originally the Gangas, but now by the Endowment Department, Government of Orissa.
Architect / Engineer : ---
Any other (specify) : Village Temple Committee under the chief priest Prasanna Panda.

8. Statement of Significance

Architectural ✓ Architectural
 Archaeological :

