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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Gumbaj Chhatri
Past :
Other Name (if any): :

2. Location

LONGITUDE 75°28'E

LATITUDE 25°58'N

Address

Sri Ram Niwas Dham Trust, Shahpura, Bhilwara

: **Village (village code)**

Post : Shahpura

District: Bhilwara

State : Rajasthan

PIN: 311401

Approach district

: The Chhatri is situated neary by Ramdwara at Shahpura in Bhilwara district. It is 55km away from Bhilwara 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 type="checkbox"/> | Gateway |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Pillar |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Others (specify)
<i>Chhatri</i> |

Engineering structure

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

Open space and related structures

- | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|
| <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: The chhatrio of the gumbaj is square and has an octagonal base. It also has a small inverted finial. The parapet of the chhatri rests on small supportive brackets. It is situated in a complex of chhatris. IThe pillars are walled and it is an enclosure for a

temple devoted to Lord Ram. It

4. Property Use

ABANDONED[√] / IN USE

Present : Memorial
Past : Memorial

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD :
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)state Govt.
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Architectural	Is a religious place for worship
<input type="checkbox"/>	Archaeological	

- Historical
- Religious
- Any other (specify) :

SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

9. Physical Description and Decorative Features _____

- **Context** : *** Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)
- Urban ✓/ Rural Setting**
- 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 : Only a little carving on the finial. It is floriated in design. Some border design is also found on the drum of the dome.
- Interiors :
- Movable Collections :
- Any Other** (specify) :

10. Construction Technology _____

- Structural System** : Trabeate
- Building Techniques** :
- Material of Construction** : Stone, brick, cement

11. Condition Assessment

In General

Good[√] / Fair

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

The Chhatri is in use and has no signs of deterioration.

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

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18. Reviewers

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