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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Suraj Mandir Ka Gate
Past :
Other Name (if any): :

2. Location

LONGITUDE 74°47'E

LATITUDE 23°35'N

Address

Suraj Mandir, Talwara

: **Village (village code)** Talwara

Post: Talwara

District: Banswara

State: Rajasthan

PIN: 327025

Approach district

: The Gateway is situated at Talawara in Banswara district. It is 14km away from Banswara bus stand. 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: This is a beautiful decorated Gateway with lattice pattern on both side of Gateway. There are Large, Sculpture of elephant. It has three domical Chhatri with inverted lotus and Pinnacle.

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE ✓

Present : Gateway
Past : Gateway

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD : 20th Century AD
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** : Gateway
 - In Building Construction** :
 - Any other (specify)** :
- **WITH PERSONS**
 - Patron** :
 - Architect / Engineer** :
 - Any other (specify)** :

8. Statement of Significance

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Architectural	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Archaeological	Lattice Pattern.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Historical	
<input type="checkbox"/>	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 :
Number of Storys :

- **Spatial Organization**
Orientation : The Gateway is Oriented East/West and faces the East.
Plan :
Allocation of Spaces :

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
Exteriors : Lattice Pattern, domical Chhatri.
Interiors :
Movable Collections :
Any Other (specify) :

10. Construction Technology

- Structural System** : Indo Persian
- Building Techniques** : Arcuate system
- Material of Construction** : Stone and Plaster.

11. Condition Assessment

In General

Good√ / Fair

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

Dust and Dirt 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

NAME

NAME

18. Reviewers

NAME

NAME

COMMENTS

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