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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Char Bhuja Giridhar Mandir
Past :
Other Name (if any): :

2. Location

LONGITUDE 73°52'E

LATITUDE 27°37'N

Address

Mehran Garh Fort, Jodhpur

: **Village (village code)**

Post: Jodhpur

District: Jodhpur

State: Rajasthan

PIN: 342001

Approach district

: The temple is situated at Mehran Garh Fort in Jodhpur district. It is 3km away from Jodhpur 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: The temple has several foliated arch opening. Pillars are carved and ornamented. There are three domes on top of the temple. Domes are adorned with decorative design and surmounted by an inverted lotus type of pinnacle. Wells are adorned with beautiful Rajasthani frescos. Deities with traditional attire are placed on a raised platform.

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE ✓

Present : Religious
Past : Religious

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD : 19th 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** :
 - In Building Construction** :
 - Any other (specify)** :
- **WITH PERSONS**
 - Patron** :
 - Architect / Engineer** :
 - Any other (specify)** :

8. Statement of Significance

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Architectural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Archaeological |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Historical |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Religious |

Any other (specify) : Foliated arch opening.

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 temple is oriented North/South and faces the South.
Plan :
Allocation of Spaces :

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
Exteriors : Carved and ornamented pillars.
Interiors : Beautiful Rajasthani frescos.
Movable Collections : Ritualistic objects.
Any Other (specify) :

10. Construction Technology

- Structural System** : Indo-Islamic
- Building Techniques** : Arcuate system
- Material of Construction** : Stone etc.

11. Condition Assessment

In General

Good√ / Fair

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

Discoloration deposition of sooth etc.

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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