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SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

1. Name

Present : Bhandasji Temple
Past :
Other Name (if any): :

2. Location

LONGITUDE 75° 4' E

LATITUDE 28° 13' N

Address

Behind Gopinath Temple, Sunaro Mohalla, Ward 2

: **Village (village code)** Mukundgarh
Post : Mukundgarh **District:** Jhunjhunu
State : Rajasthan **PIN:** 333705

Approach

: The Temple is situated at Mukundgarh, 27 k.m. from Jhunjhunu and well connected by bus and train 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: It is an ancient structure having boundary walls. The main shrine of the temple is on the first floor and can be approached by means of lofty stair case adorned with paved stones. It has a foliated arch opening. There is an image of Ganesha on the lalatalimba of the temple

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE : In use

Present : Religious
Past : Religious

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD :
YEARS : 18th Century A.D.
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)
Private :
Any other (Please specify) :
Name : Bhandasji Temple
Address : Behind Gopinath Temple, Sonar Muhalla, Ward 2, Vill. & P.O. Mukundgarh, Distt. Jhunjhunu
Phone :

7. Association

- **WITH EVENTS**
 - In History** :
 - In Rituals** : Being used for religious purpose
 - In Building Construction** :
 - Any other (specify)** :
- **WITH PERSONS**
 - Patron** :
 - Architect / Engineer** :
 - Any other (specify)** :

8. Statement of Significance

- | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Architectural | Fresh dressed stone |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Archaeological | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Historical | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Religious | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Any other (specify) | |

SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

- **Context**
Urban / Rural Setting
Surroundings
 - * **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)
Urban
 - 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 : 02
Number of Storys : 02

- **Spatial Organization**
Orientation : The Temple is oriented East – West and faces the East.
Plan :
Allocation of Spaces :

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
Exteriors : It can be approached by means of a lofty stair case with paved stones.
Interiors : The cusped arches at the interior are coated with lime plaster. Marble blocks are used for flooring.
Movable Collections :
Any Other (specify) :

10. Construction Technology

- Structural System** : Indo-Persian
- Building Techniques** : Arcuate
- Material of Construction** : Brick & Stone

11. Condition Assessment

In General	Good / Fair
	Good

- | | |
|--|-------------------------|
| | Sign of Deterioration |
| | Serious Deterioration |
| | Danger of Disappearance |

In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):

Peeling of plaster and discoloration

12. Threats to the Property

- | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Natural |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Negligence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Vandalism |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 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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