



# INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL CENTRE FOR THE ARTS

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## Documentation format for Archaeological / Heritage Sites / Monuments

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### SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

#### 1. Name

Present : Didwani ki Haveli  
 Past :  
 Other Name (if any): :

#### 2. Location

LONGITUDE 75° 15' E

LATITUDE 27° 36' N

#### Address

Pakki Piwari, Station Road, Ward No. 15

: **Village (village code)**

**Post** : Laxmangarh

**District**: Sikar

**State** : Rajasthan

**PIN**: 332311

#### Approach

: The Haveli is situated 1 k.m. from Railway Station & 22 k.m. from Sikar Bus Stand.

#### 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 a massive cubical structure with profusely painted façade and exterior wall all around. It has a foliated gate with hanging/projection, rooms over it. The adjoining wall has painting of dancers. The entire façade has floral, geometrical patterns along with procession scenes. Also there are some portraits on Irish wall in the porch.

#### 4. Property Use

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**ABANDONED / IN USE :** Abandoned

**Present** : Locked  
**Past** : Residence

#### 5. Age (Source)

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**PERIOD** :  
**YEARS** : 19<sup>th</sup> Century A.D.  
**Precise date of Construction** :  
**Completion** :  
**Subsequent changes** :  
**Destruction / Demolition** :

#### 6. Ownership / Level of Protection

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**SINGLE /MULTIPLE :**

**Public** : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify)  
**Private** :  
**Any other (Please specify)** :  
**Name** :  
**Address** :  
**Phone** :

#### 7. Association

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- **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 type="checkbox"/> | Architectural       |
| <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

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- **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 : 02  
Number of Storys : 01
  
- **Spatial Organization**  
Orientation : The Haveli is oriented East – West & faces the West.  
Plan :  
Allocation of Spaces :

### ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**  
Exteriors : Intricate paintings are done in shades of blue, green, red and white.  
  
Interiors :  
Movable Collections :  
**Any Other** (specify) :

### 10. Construction Technology

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- Structural System** : Indo – Persian
- Building Techniques** : Arcuate
- Material of Construction** : Stone, rubble masonry, bricks, lime plaster etc.

### 11. Condition Assessment

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**In General**                      **Good / Fair**

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

#### **In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):**

It is unkept. Accumulation of dirt & dust, fading paintings.

## 12. Threats to the Property

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|---|-----------------|
| ✓ | Natural         |
| ✓ | Negligence      |
| ✓ | Vandalism       |
| ✓ | Urban Pressures |

### **SECTION III: REFERENCES**

#### **13. Reference Sources** (published and unpublished textual details)

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#### **14. Photographs**

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(attach list as in page 6, in case of multiple photographs)

**Photo Reference**

**CAPTION**

#### **15. Audio / Video**

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(related to rituals / performance / festivals etc.)

**Reference**

**DESCRIPTION**

#### **16. Maps/Plans/Drawings**

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#### **17. Listers**

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**NAME**

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#### **18. Reviewers**

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**NAME**

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**COMMENTS**

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