

4. Property Use

ABANDONED / IN USE : Abandoned

Present : It is a living temple and the presiding deity is a Siva linga within a circular *Yonipitha*.

Past : Worshipped

5. Age (Source)

PERIOD : Ganga rule.

YEARS : 14th-15th centuries A.D.

Precise date of Construction :

Completion : ---

Subsequent changes : The temple was repaired by Orissa State Archaeology under X and Xi Finance Commission Award.

Destruction / Demolition : ---

6. Ownership / Level of Protection

SINGLE / MULTIPLE : Multiple

Public : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify)

Private :

Any other (Please specify) : Gosagaresvar Temple Committee under the leadership of Nalinikanta Panda and Tutu Panda

Name :

Address :

Phone :

7. Association

• **WITH EVENTS**

In History : ---

In Rituals : Various Hindu sacraments like *Sivaratri*, *Astaprahari* and Sankranti etc. are observed.

In Building Construction : ---

Any other (specify) : Marriage, thread ceremony and public meetings are held here.

• **WITH PERSONS**

Patron : Gosagaresvar Temple Committee

Architect / Engineer : ---

Any other (specify) : ---

8. Statement of Significance

<input type="checkbox"/>	Architectural	✓ Architectural
<input type="checkbox"/>	Archaeological	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Historical	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Religious	✓ Religious
<input type="checkbox"/>	Any other (specify)	: On the basis of architectural features and building material, the temple can be dated to the 14 th -15 th centuries A.D.

