



**श्री दिगम्बर जैन सम्मेदाचल विकास कमिटी**  
**Shri Digambar Jain Sammedachal Vikas Committee**

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पार्श्वनाथ पहाड़ स्थित  
चोपड़ा कुण्ड में निर्मित  
मन्दिर में विराजमान प्रतिमाएँ

**जैनियों के विश्वविख्यात पवित्र सिद्ध क्षेत्र सम्मेद शिखरजी के चहुँमुखी विकास हेतु गठित कमिटी**  
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पत्रांक :

दिनांक :

**Justification for locating the Project i.e Proposed  
 Digambar Jain Temple within Parasnath Wildlife Sanctuary.**

The Parasnath hill situated under Madhuban Thana of Giridih District in Jharkhand State is a place known for its natural beauty and as an object of great reverence, specially by the Jains, Hindus. Parasnath hill is the highest hill of Jharkhand State. The Parasnath hill is the best pilgrim in the world for Jain Community and known as Sammed Shikharji.

**"Sare Tirath Bar Bar Sammed Shikharji Ek Bar"**

This hill popularly known as Sammed Shikharji. On the top of the hill there are so many temples of Bhagwan known as (1) Bhagwan Parasvanath (2) Bhagwan Gautam Swami (3) Bhagwan Naminath (4) Bhagwan Chandaprabhu (5) Bhagwan Ajitnath (6) Bhagwan Sambhavnath (7) Bhagwan Abhinandannath (8) Bhagwan Sumatinath (9) Bhagwan Padamprabhu (10) Bhagwan Suparasvanath (11) Bhagwan Pushpdant (12) Bhagwan Sheetalnath (13) Bhagwan Shreyansnath (14) Bhagwan Vimalnath (15) Bhagwan Anantnath (16) Bhagwan Dharmnath (17) Bhagwan Shantinath (18) Bhagwan Kunthnath (19) Bhagwan Arahnath (20) Bhagwan Mallinath (21) Bhagwan Munisubratnath.

There are 24 Tirthankars of Jain Shrishti. Out of 24 Tirthankars, 20 Tirthankars got Moksha from the Parasnath hill.

There is a big kund on the Parasnath hill known as chopra kund it's situated at a distance of 8.5 km. on the height of Parasnath hill.



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पत्रांक :

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दिनांक :

There is a Temple of Bhagwan Parasvanath in black stone which attractive idol of 23<sup>rd</sup> Tirthankar Parmatma Shri Parasvanath ji. Which is famous temple and known as Chopra Kund Mandir.

The "PRAN PRATISTHA" OF statue of Bhagwan Parasvanath in black stone at Chopra Kund was done by Aacharya shri Vimal Sagarji Maharaj Sa. Who is the one of the biggest Muni Maharaj of Digamber jain community. The Chopra Kund Temple was constructed during the year 1992 at Chopra Kund on Parasnath hill under Madhuban Thana of Giridih District in Jharkhand State.

Now the temple is managed by Shri Digamber Jain Sammedachal Vikas Committee, Madhuban Thana of Giridih District in Jharkhand State. Every year, about 4 to 5 lacs devotees visit the temple from all part of World from Jain community and foreigners from different religion also come to visit Parasnath Hill Maduban Giridih to see the holy temples and greenery. The committee provided all the devotees who visit this temple "Kadha" (Ukali) free of cost.

After Yatra of 8.5 km on the hill the devotees wishes to take Kadha and some rest before starting another yatra. Therefore, Shri Digamber Jain Sammedachal Vikas Committee proposes to construct 4 rooms for ½ an hour rest & refreshments after climbing and walking of 8.5 KM distance on steep high altitude hill road. As about 15 lacs devotees reaches to Chopra Kund Mandir every year, therefore, it is very necessary to provide proper sanitation facilities to all for the purpose to keep environment clean, so that wild animals will not get disturb.

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पत्रांक :

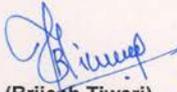
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दिनांक :

The temple at Shikharji was constructed during eighteenth century when the Wildlife Protection Act 1972 was not in force. However, the idol itself is very old. Sanskrit inscriptions at the foot of the image date to 1678. At the base of Shikharji is a temple to Bhomiyaji (Taleti). On the walls of the Jain temple at the village of Madhuban, there is a mural painting depicting all the temples on Parasnath Hill.

The existing site of Digamber Jain Temple is located within the Paranath Wildlife Sanctuary; hence Wildlife Clearance under Wildlife Protection Act 1972 followed by Forest clearance under FC act 1980 is to be obtained for use of Non-forest purpose.

For Shri Digamber Jain Sammedachal Vikas Committee

  
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