

3. A. Shankaralinga Temple Place - Naragundha

District : Gadag
Taluk : Naragundha
Locality : Naragundha

Geo – Coordinates:
Lat : 15.7222 °N
Long : 75.3837 °E



History

The Temple faces east. It comprises a garbhagraha, an antarala and sabhamandapa and a modern mukhamandapa. The garbhagraha contains a sivalinga. In the antarala is a seated Nandi. There are four freestanding pillars in the sabhamandapa. In the lalatabimba of the sabhamandapa is a tiny Gajalakshmi motif. The renovated modern mukhamandapa is a wooden structure. It has two entrances. Over the garbhagraha is a modern sikhara. There are two inscriptions connected with this temple, one belongs to Somesvara-III. It records the money grant made by Rudradeva for reading purana in the Shankaralinga temple. The other inscription records the land grant made by a merchant named Kuppati vachisetti.

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