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SUBJECT / TARGET DESIGNATION

VARANASI

Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh, India

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OPERATIONAL PROFILE

DESIGNATION Varanasi	REGION north-india	TERRITORY Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh, India	THREAT LVL LOW
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§ 01 — EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The spiritual capital of India — ghats, Ganga Aarti, and ancient temples

§ 02 — FIELD INTELLIGENCE REPORT

Varanasi, also called Kashi or Banaras, is one of the world's oldest continuously inhabited cities. Pilgrims come to bathe in the sacred Ganges, witness the famous Ganga Aarti ceremony, and seek blessings at hundreds of ancient temples.

§ 03 — CONFIRMED OBJECTIVES & POINTS OF INTEREST

[01]	Ganga Aarti at Dashashwamedh Ghat	CONFIRMED
[02]	Sunrise Boat Ride on Ganges	CONFIRMED
[03]	Kashi Vishwanath Temple	CONFIRMED
[04]	Sarnath Buddhist Site	CONFIRMED
[05]	Old City Walking Tour	CONFIRMED
[06]	Banaras Hindu University	CONFIRMED

§ 04 — PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE ARCHIVE



