



Section Six

Mosques

Article (2/40): General Conditions

The agreement and approval of the Department of Islamic Affairs over the new mosques drawing should be obtained and in respect of any additional and amendment works, provided that the design and supervision on mosques shall be performed by Muslim people, and that the project execution manager, consultant and contractor must all be Muslim.

Article (2/41): Distribution of Mosques and their Areas

1. Mosques locations shall be determined according to the areas needs and the detailed planning maps issued by the Planning & Survey Directorate in the Emirate of Sharjah, and according to the priorities of the Department of Islamic Affairs.
2. One big mosque should be available in every area in order to accommodate the greatest number of prayers while holding the Friday prayer.
3. The area of mosques and big mosques is determined by the Department of Islamic Affairs in cooperation with the competent authorities so as to be in harmony with what has been stated above.
4. The donator, who undertook to build the mosque at its own account, shall be bound to abide by the conditions set by the Department of Islamic Affairs.

Article (2/42): Mosque Architecture Style

1. The consultant designer shall be bound to adhere to the Islamic urban style while setting the mosques designs.
2. The urban style must be homogenous with the general style prevailing in the Emirate of Sharjah.
3. The urban style must be in harmony with the religious and considerations.

Article (2/43): General Coordination of Site

1. The general coordination of site shall take into account to allocate a vacant space behind the mosque.