

**Administrative Resolution No. (33) of 2022**  
**Amending Administrative Resolution No. (83) of 2020**  
**Prescribing the Rules and Requirements for Construction, Alteration, and**  
**Maintenance of Mosques in the Emirate of Dubai<sup>1</sup>**

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**The Director General of the Islamic Affairs and Charitable Activities Department,**

After perusal of:

Law No. (2) of 2011 Concerning the Islamic Affairs and Charitable Activities Department;

Law No. (5) of 2021 Concerning the Dubai International Financial Centre;

Decree No. (22) of 2009 Concerning Special Development Zones in the Emirate of Dubai;

Executive Council Resolution No. (25) of 2013 Concerning Mosques and Religious Activities in the Emirate of Dubai;

Administrative Resolution No. (83) of 2020 Prescribing the Rules and Requirements for Construction, Alteration, and Maintenance of Mosques in the Emirate of Dubai; and

The legislation establishing and regulating free zones in the Emirate of Dubai,

**Does hereby issue this Resolution.**

**Superseded Article**

**Article (1)**

Article (7) of the above-mentioned Resolution No. (83) of 2020 is hereby superseded by the following:

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*<sup>1</sup>Every effort has been made to produce an accurate and complete English version of this legislation. However, for the purpose of its interpretation and application, reference must be made to the original Arabic text. In case of conflict, the Arabic text will prevail.*

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## **Construction of Mosques in Free Zones and Special Development Zones**

### **Article (7)**

- a. An authority supervising a free zone or a Special Development Zone in the Emirate must:
  1. include the number, locations, area, and types of the Mosques to be constructed in the zone it supervises in the zone master plan; obtain the approvals to this master plan from the competent entities in the Emirate; and notify the IACAD of the same;
  2. upon approving the master plan by the competent entities in the Emirate, demarcate the land plots allocated for constructing Mosques and apply for issuing their title deeds in the name of the IACAD; and
  3. consider, in coordination with the IACAD and the competent entities in the Emirate, the need for constructing Mosques within real property projects.
- b. The allocation of land plots for constructing Mosques, and the procedures for construction, alteration, or maintenance of Mosques in free zones and Special Development Zones, will be in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution.

### **Commencement and Publication**

#### **Article (2)**

This Resolution comes into force on the day on which it is issued, and will be published in the Official Gazette.

**Hamad Al Sheikh Ahmed Hamad Al Shaibani**

**Director General**

**Islamic Affairs and Charitable Activities Department**

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