## Old City Mosque

## Client

Ministry of Housing, Utilities & Urban Communities

## **Scope of Work**

Conceptual Design Preliminary Design Schematic Design Design Development Detailed Design Construction Supervision **Location** New Al-Alamein, Egypt

## **Types of Activities** Architectural

Communications & Security Systems Electrical HVAC Landscaping Mechanical Interior Design Structural Urban Design

Located in the Financial District in the northeastern part of the project, the Old City Mosque is a single, continuous, two-floor building (ground and mezzanine) with a total built-up area of 3,826 m<sup>2</sup> and a footprint area of 3,188 m<sup>2</sup>. The mosque consists of a main entrance, horizontal and

vertical circulation elements, mechanical and service rooms, men's prayer hall, women's prayer hall, open court (Sahn), ablution space and toilets, and the imam's residence opposite to the main entrance, equipped with a living room, bathroom, kitchen, and a main bedroom. There are four majestic pencil-shaped minarets standing at the corners, with copper-clad spires and domes, and an impressive central dome ringed by four, small, semicircular domes, rising on four single-arched domed riwaqs (colonnaded naves), with the domes hierarchy culminating at the entrance/Qibla riwaqs, topped diagonally with four shorter hexagonal minarets with dome-shaped crowns and smaller domes.



