

RETROPLATE CANADA

Quick Notes for Architects Specifying The RetroPlate System

RetroPlate is not a floor covering or coating, we treat the existing concrete floor with the RetroPlate System to develop the final flooring product.

Good Concrete Work is Essential.

The concrete will not be covered. A good concrete finish is essential to a successful RetroPlate System project. Notification to the concrete finishers requiring high standards of levelness and finish is necessary. Protect the concrete floor from oil and other stains during construction.

Specifics of the RetroPlate System.

The grinding, polishing and application details are not required. Specify the RetroPlate System Level I, Level II or Level III for a matte, semi-gloss or high gloss finish respectively.

Approved Applicators

All RetroPlate work is done by experienced applicators. The RetroPlate product will be sold only to properly trained contractors.

Customer Expectations

The final RetroPlate product is a function of the concrete floor. We have completed many projects where the overall look of the floor is outstanding. During an inspection concrete inconsistencies will always be noticed when looking straight down at every square inch of the floor.

Stain Resistance

There is no surface film or resin-based product on the surface of the concrete. As the RetroPlate chemical reacts with the concrete the stain resistance improves and the product becomes near stain resistant. Clean up spills quickly.

RetroPlate vs. Polished Concrete

A "Polished Concrete" specification is dangerous. Any contractor can polish concrete in some fashion and will provide varied results. The RetroPlate System is truly a "system" that includes specifics regarding grinding, polishing down pressure, rotation speed, forward speed and progressive grit numbers to provide the desired results.