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## Random Exposure For New Slabs

### We grind off 1 – 3mm

The true test of a good slab! **RANDOM EXPOSURE**, (as displayed on the walkway at the Showroom entrance) is a patchy exposure of aggregate that many people find very attractive. It is a combination of very little exposure, almost salt and pepper areas, combined with scattered areas of slightly more and sometimes almost full exposure!

## How to Achieve Random Exposure

If your heart is set on achieving Random Exposure, we can not stress enough that it all begins with **The Slab!** The slab must be poured as evenly and as flat as possible and have a burnished finish, achieved by multiple passes with the helicopter (powered trowel) by the concreter. The concreter must also take care to eliminate footprints and screed bar marks.

We recommend the owner to be present on first cut to approve amount of exposure seen.

We then grind off enough to remove any humps and bumps, leaving a flat workable area, ready for sealing or commencing the polishing process. How much needs to ground off is totally dependent on the standard of the slab. If the slab has **not** been well poured and finished off correctly, we may have to grind back more, leaving you with **more** aggregate exposure and additional costs, than you had wanted. We must grind down to the lowest point in the slab to make it a useable and livable surface. This will determine the exposure, which could be 5 – 95%. We shall confer with you or your nominated representative e.g. builder should this occur.

The beauty of random exposure is that adding to its character, such oddities as screed bar marks might show and its patchy, motley appearance is of great appeal to many people. However, footprints, screed bar marks etc that do remain are pre-existing and the responsibility of the concreter, not CCC Polished Concrete.

**Phone Rick before you pour on 0418 553 982.**

The Customer has read and understood this document and has received a copy for their records.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_