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Painting & Decorating

Your repaint handover checklist.

Use this as your own record when reviewing the finished work with the team. Confirm the items that apply to your project and keep the answers with your proposal. This is general guidance, not a replacement for the instructions supplied for your coating or the warranty terms for your work.

Review the completed work

Have the agreed scope and any approved changes available for the walk-through. Point out anything you would like explained or reviewed before recording the next step.

- [ ] Compare the completed rooms and exterior areas with the agreed scope, including surfaces that were excluded.
- [ ] Record any outstanding item, its location, who will follow it up and the agreed next step or confirmed date.
- [ ] Note the walk-through date and the name of your project contact. Keep any completion documents supplied.

Record what was used, and where

Make a separate entry for each different finish. Ask the team to help identify any missing details rather than relying on a colour name alone.

- [ ] Record the room or exterior area and the exact surface: for example, bedroom walls, ceiling, door or skirting.
- [ ] Record the coating manufacturer, full product name and sheen, alongside the colour name, code and any tint reference supplied.
- [ ] Note the completion date for each area. Keep a photo or copy of the product and tint labels, including a batch reference if available.
- [ ] Ask where to find the current care instructions for each installed product, including any separately specified timber, floor or roof coating.

Confirm when the finish is ready for use

Water-based paint can look and feel dry before it has fully hardened. Confirm the restrictions for the actual coating and conditions at your home; a touch-dry or recoat time is not a cleaning instruction.

- [ ] Record when each finish may first be cleaned and any restrictions while it hardens, using the supplied coating instructions.
- [ ] Ask when furniture or other items may rest against painted surfaces, and when fittings or wall decorations can be reinstated.
- [ ] For kitchens, bathrooms and laundries, confirm any temporary limits on steam or moisture and the ventilation advice for the coating used.

Keep the cleaning instructions specific

Use the care directions for the exact product and finish. Haymes advises allowing its washable wall finishes to cure before cleaning and avoiding harsh abrasive scrubbing. Do not assume an interior-wall method also suits a deck, roof or another coating.

- [ ] Record the permitted cleaning product, any specified dilution, suitable cloth or equipment, and the recommended method.
- [ ] Check whether the instructions require a small inconspicuous test, rinsing or any other precautions.
- [ ] Ask what to avoid before using stain removers, abrasive pads, solvents or pressure-cleaning equipment.
- [ ] If the coating or instructions are unclear, ask the painting team or the product manufacturer before trying a cleaning treatment.

Ask before touching up a mark

A matching colour does not guarantee an invisible repair. Dulux notes that product, sheen, application texture and the condition of the existing finish affect how a touch-up looks. Ask for advice on your particular surface before attempting one.

- [ ] Record the original product, colour and application method for any area likely to need future attention.
- [ ] If leftover paint is available and supplied, confirm which surface it belongs to and record the storage instructions from its label.
- [ ] Ask whether the proposed repair can be localised or needs a broader repaint; do not assume a new tin with the same colour name will blend in.

Keep a record of changes

Keep observations separate from guesses about their cause. Ask for a care and inspection plan suited to the installed coating rather than applying one maintenance interval to the whole property. For the specified coating system, a washdown every 12 months is a manufacturer requirement. On specification jobs, we offer a 10-year maintenance programme. This programme does not extend the one-year workmanship warranty. Any manufacturer coating warranty is separate.

- [ ] Record any inspection or maintenance intervals recommended for your specific surfaces, and who to contact about work you cannot safely access.
- [ ] Photograph a concern and note its location, when it appeared and any cleaning or other work carried out there.
- [ ] Ask for an assessment of a recurring mark, peeling or bubbling before choosing a cleaning, sanding or repainting treatment.

Keep the right documents and contacts

Ask which warranty terms apply to the agreed work and keep workmanship and product documents separately. For roof restoration, confirm the roofing partner's care and warranty arrangements. Contact Pether's Painting on 07 5293 7872 or info@petherspainting.com.au if you need help identifying the right next step.

- [ ] Keep the accepted proposal, approved changes and any invoices, care notes or warranty documents supplied.
- [ ] Confirm the warranty provider, covered work, commencement date, term, exclusions and any maintenance or claim requirements in the applicable written terms.
- [ ] Record the contact route for workmanship questions and, where relevant, the manufacturer or roofing partner. Do not assume one warranty covers every part of the project.
- [ ] When asking about a concern, have the project reference, surface and product details, relevant dates and photographs available.

Keep in touch.

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This checklist supports your handover conversation. Follow the instructions supplied for your coating system and the terms of your written proposal.

Care references: Dulux Trade: drying and hardening of water-based paints | Haymes Paint: care for washable interior wall finishes | Dulux Trade: paint touch-ups.