

## **Powder Release C.C.I.-300**

### **Step 1**

After concrete is colored with Concreation Colour Hardener or Concreation Overlay Stamp Mix and it reaches the proper set for imprinting, hand broadcast the release powder evenly over the surface to be stamped. Care should be taken not to trowel the Concreation Powder Release into the wet concrete; this will cause a permanent discoloration. After Concreation Powder Release has been applied, follow your regular procedure for stamping concrete.

### **Step 2**

It is helpful to also coat the stamps with Concreation Powder Release before placing on wet concrete for the first time. If the stamps have been recently washed, they must be fully dry before starting to stamp. Any moisture still left on the mats will decrease the Concreation Powder Release efficiency resulting on concrete adhering to the stamp. Always cover walls, columns and plants with 1 mill plastic liner to avoid excessive clean up labor.

### **Step 3**

The concrete can now be stamped using conventional methods. For more detailed instructions on stamping concrete refer to Stamping Concrete.

### **Step 4**

Before pressure washing the concrete, broom off the Concreation Powder Release or pick up with a wet vac. The Concreation Powder Release may also be removed without pressure washing by using a liquid soap and brooms to remove excess.

### **Step 5**

If after pressure washing and cleaning there is still too much Concreation Powder Release on the surface a very mild Concreation 750 Cleaner may be used to complete the removal. Use this process with caution. If too much release is removed you may antique the concrete with a liquid antiquing mix made with Concreation Liquid Release and Concreation Powder Release sprayed and pooled onto the surface. Refer to Concreation Liquid Release for more detailed application instructions.

### **Step 6**

To protect the antiquing, apply Concreation GreenSil Sealer or Concreation Concrete & Masonry Sealer. Do a small area to determine the best method before sealing the entire surface. Refer to Concreation GreenSil or Concrete & Masonry Sealer for detailed application instructions.