

CASE STUDY FLOOR FITTINGS SUPPLIED TO HARRODS

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PROJECT DETAILS

LOCATION	Knightsbridge, London
SECTOR	High End Retailers
CONTRACTOR	Need Contractors
PRODUCTS	12.5mm Stainless Steel Coloured Movement Joints and Perimeter joints.
OBJECTIVES	Prevent hard flooring from cracking under huge footfall

Dural are proud to have been asked to provide flooring accessory solutions for many high end retailers and fashion brands. Here we highlight the very prestigious project that took place at Harrods, London.

THE CHALLENGE

Dural were asked to supply both Coloured Movement Joints and Perimeter Joints in 12.5mm stainless steel for this project. The beautiful tiled floor was calculated to be approximately 155m². Quality of course was key!

When considering such a large expanse of tile it is important to use both Movement Joints and Perimeter Joints. Hard flooring expands and contracts, a Movement Joint prevents the tiles and grout from cracking and deboning. Perimeter Joints are to be placed at the perimeter of the tiling, for example where the tiles border with elevated elements, such as pillars, walls and kerbs. Movement Joint profiles can cope with heavy stresses and distribute them evenly between the foundation and floor covering. They protect hard floor coverings from the stresses that cause cracking, tenting or popping and also prevent conduction of noise from footfall and other bodies.

THE SOLUTION

For a high class finish, coloured movement joints were specified in order to give the room a seamless, high end finish necessary for such a prestigious brand. Coloured Movement Joints are available in any RAL colour and here Dural matched them to the tile colour. They are used in retail space because of their durability and ability to handle a wide range of loadings and constant footfall. All CMJ - Coloured Movement Joints are designed and manufactured to exceed the requirements of BS 5385 and can be used with Slate, Natural Stone and Ceramic tiled floors.

OUR SERVICES

Dural also provides highly competent advice and support for any tiling project. No matter how complex the application they can provide the perfect solution, including both products and service. If you would like further information regarding Movement Joints or any other product range, please contact our head office.



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