



## Applicator Training Documentation

### Prep for Coating: Cleaning Floors

Our goal at XGen Coatings is simple: extraordinary product quality and great customer service. We accomplish this by observing a common set of values and by partnering with organizations that have the finest reputation for quality. Applicator training and documentation is a critical component in the use of any coating product.

As in all coatings products, preparation is the key to a successful application. Please follow these procedures closely when preparing to coat floors with XGen Coatings products.

#### **Tools Required for Cleaning**

- XGen degreaser
- Acid wash
- Sprayer
- CLR
- Square scrub
- Extractor Machine

#### **Process to Clean Floors**

Choose a cleaning solution and apply to the surface

- 1 part cleaning fluid to 4 parts water (for a new surface)
- Apply cleaning solution and then allow to set for 5-15 minutes

Scrub, clean the floor using an Extractor piece of equipment

- Scrub the corners, sides and heavily soiled areas with a brush

#### **Tips to Prevent Problems**

- ◆ When cleaning with an extractor if water is sudsy or foam is coming out of head, then go over it again to pull up contaminant that is causing the suds.
- ◆ While using Turbo, watch carefully as you pass over to see if the water separates in an unusual or inconsistent way. If it does, this could indicate a contaminant is present. Therefore, you should keep going over the area until the separation pattern is consistent.
- ◆ Pay strict attention to any dirt that might be hiding in the grout to stay consistent with cleaning standards.
- ◆ After completing, look for areas that might need to be cleaned again or are inconsistent.