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Karl Chehade Dry Cleaning Position Application Package





POSITION BRIEF

Thank you for your interest in working with Karl Chehade Dry Cleaning!

We have reached a very exciting period of growth and transformation, resulting in a need for an innovative, vibrant and motivated designer to work closely with our Retail Managers and transform our stores.

What we're looking for:

We're not looking for the designer with the most experience. We're looking for someone who is talented, motivated, innovative and looking to secure a permanent design position with an industry leader that thrives on the challenge of constant improvement. We're seeking to create the KCDC look to take us into the next ten years and the designs you create for Brisbane stores will flow through to Adelaide.

What we're offering:

- * A full time position with a commencement salary package of \$50k
- * Contribution toward your relocation expenses, should that be necessary
- * A promise of at least 25 individual projects for you to sink your teeth into
- * Travel to sunny Brisbane with all expenses covered
- * The full support of the company Director, the Retail Managers and the Operations Managers

What we're asking of you:

If this position interests you, we'd love to hear from you. We'd like to see your resume (don't worry if it doesn't include any design experience - we want to know about your professional history outside of design as well) but, more importantly, we'd like to see what you can do.

Overleaf you'll find a design brief. We'd like you to send us a draft design. Stick to be brief, but don't hold back. Dry cleaning doesn't have to be drab. Allow yourself to challenge the norm of service based retail spaces and show us how you can invigorate and innovate.

How to apply:

Collect your resume, your design and a brief cover letter, and e mail them to tclark@peerless.net.au by December 20th 2015.

We will review all applications and shortlisted applicants will be contacted for an interview.

If you have any questions, you're welcome to call Tara, QLD Retail Manager, on 0439 280 111 or e mail her at tclark@peerless.net.au





DESIGN BRIEF

COMPANY PROFILE

Karl Chehade Dry Cleaning (KCDC) is Australia's largest dry cleaning operation, with locations in Brisbane and Adelaide and the view to to be national. KCDC had its humble beginnings in North Adelaide in 1957. Firmly established in the clothing industry, we entered the dry cleaning industry to fill a gap in the quality end of the market. For over 50 years KCDC has continued this tradition and is established as Australia's largest premier dry cleaning operation.

KCDC performs each store's daily work at its modern centralised facilities. We use all the latest technology and environmentally friendly processes and systems, ensuring that all garments are cleaned to the highest standards available. Our dry cleaning is performed in GreenEarth technology - the only dry cleaning solvent considered so environmentally safe that it does not require regulation. The garments look brighter, feel softer and there's absolutely no dry cleaning odour.

OUR AIMS

Our retail locations will be:

- * Designed with a 'retail' aesthetic in mind
- * Bright and welcoming
- * Clean, efficiently structured and easy to maintain
- * Customer focussed with all work stations facing outward, and laid out so that staff can always see approaching customers

Our retail locations will include:

- * Space dedicated to repairs and alterations
- * Space for garment racking
- * A change room for alterations
- * Exterior placement for rotatable seasonal marketing (posters)

OUR TARGET AUDIENCE

Dry cleaning is a service utilised by people of all ages, races, professions and social demographics. Our principal demographic is females aged 35 to 54. While over 70% of our customers are female, up to 70% of our work is men's clothing. Our stores must be attractive to females.

BUDGET AND TIME SCALE

In Brisbane there are approximately 25 locations that will require remodelling by the end of the 2017 calendar year. Our stores range in size from 25m2 to 50m2. Some have mall frontages and others can be entered from the street.

For the purpose of this brief, the first location requiring remodelling is located within a shopping centre. It is 31m2 with a mall frontage. A picture of this location can be found overleaf, with floor plans following. We aim to have this refurbishment completed by March 2016.

As we have a number of locations budget is of consideration however, at this stage, we would like to work toward what's possible and scale back if and where necessary. For the purpose of answering this brief budget is not a consideration.





DESIGN BRIEF

STYLE GUIDE

Our company colours can be seen in our logo and website and should be featured throughout the design.

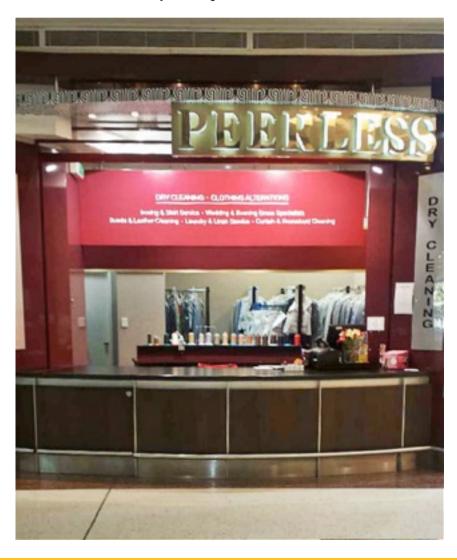
Designers are encouraged to consider modern retail design concepts when seeking inspiration.

Our colours are Reflex Blue, Green PMS 3405 and Yellow PMS 123.

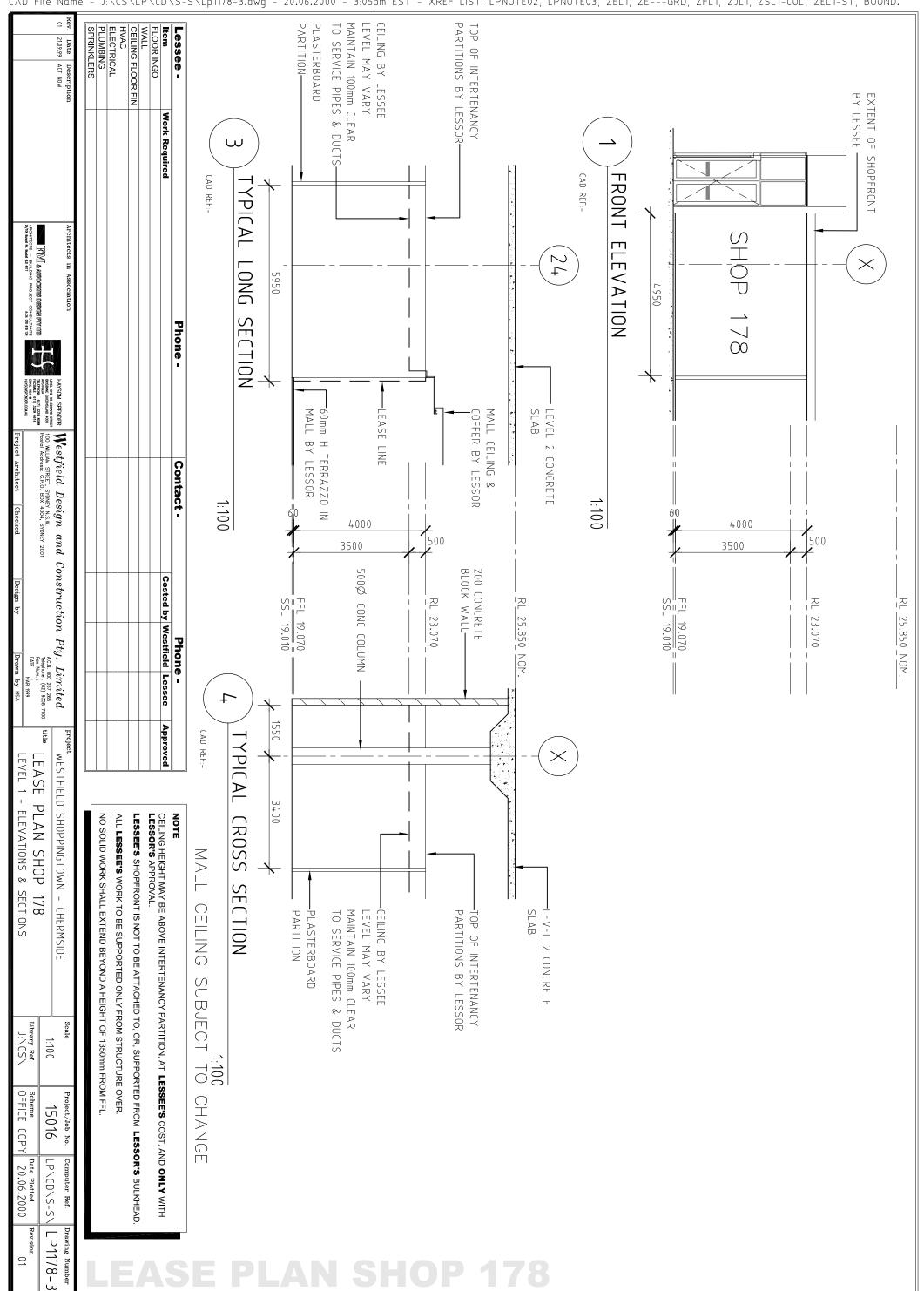
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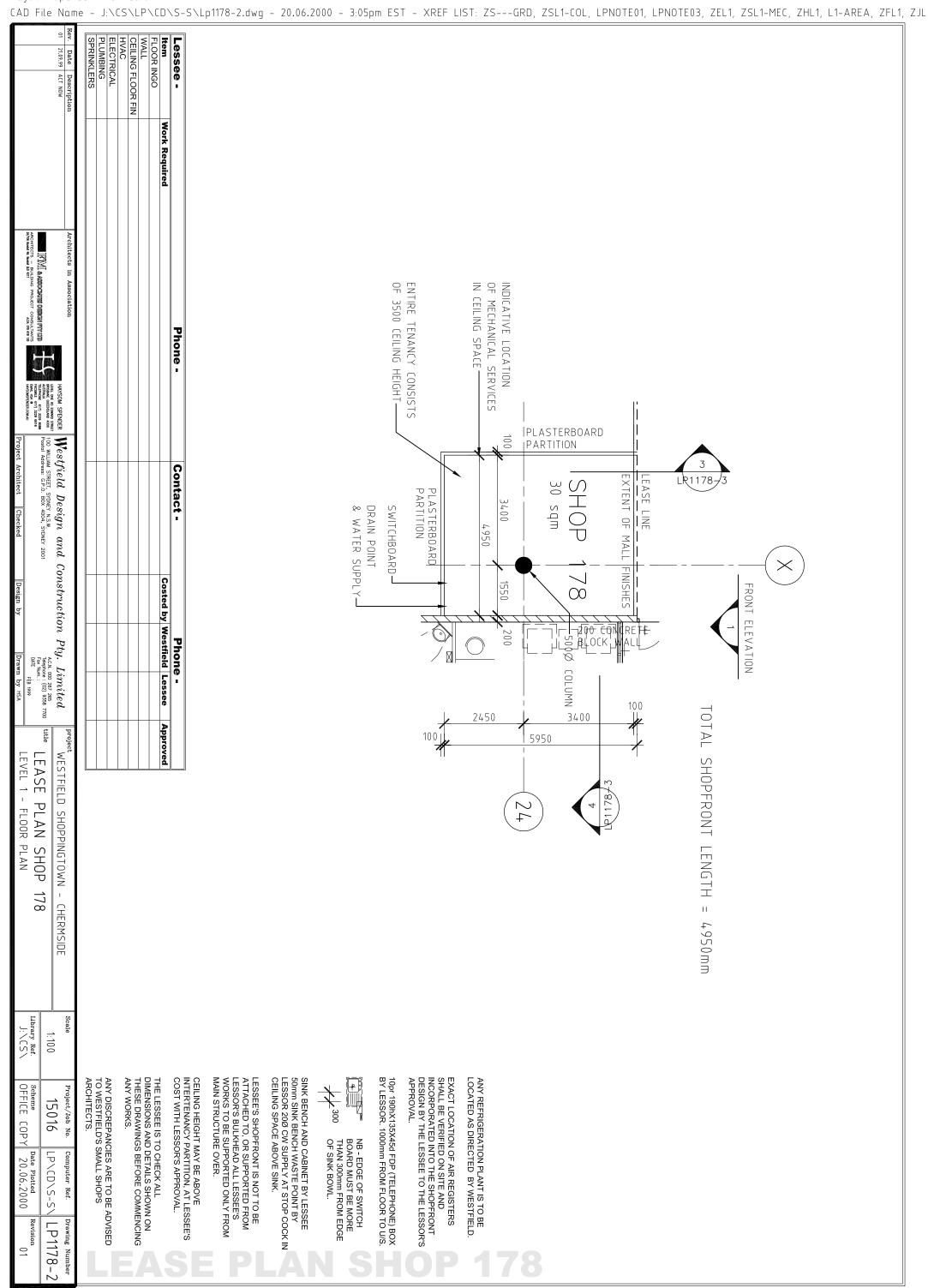
LOCATION

For the purpose of this brief, please put together your designs for the following store, which is currently branded as a Peerless Dry Cleaner. Your design will rebrand this location to a Karl Chehade Dry Cleaning store. Plans can be found overleaf:









BACKGROUND PMS 123

> CMYK: 0C 30.5M 94Y 0K

BLUE PANTONE REFLEX BLUE

> CMYK: 100C 72M 0Y 6K



GREEN PANTONE 3405

CMYK: 83C 0M 65Y 0K









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