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Kitchen hints online



Australia's love of property extends to a love of renovations, particularly kitchens.

However this love affair can often turn nasty when so-called specialists provide substandard work.irate consumers face blown-out budgets, shoddy workmanship and chronically late delivery on their purchases.

"I've met people who were without their kitchen for six months as the old one was removed too early, while key components of the new kitchen were delayed," says Michael Kitchener of Kitcheners Kitchens. Living without a kitchen for even a matter of days is a nightmare, which has compelled him to draw on his vast knowledge base and publish Australia's first Essential Kitchen Ideas e-book to protect you when buying a new kitchen.

The book covers all the essentials:

- ❑ Utilising any sized space, ensuring it's designed to full potential. Hence a

kitchen that is right for you, not just one that's in a magazine;

- ❑ Considering the widest range of components and finishes so you don't have any regrets when it's too late;

- ❑ Knowing when designers are cutting corners. Quality fixtures, fittings and workmanship should insure against it;

- ❑ Understanding timelines so design to delivery doesn't feel like an eternity;

- ❑ Safety tips to ensure the finished kitchen is not a disaster waiting to happen;

- ❑ Installation tips as shoddy installers can be disastrous; and

- ❑ Budget and payment issues so bills don't come in twice as high, nor are you left high and dry after making a deposit.

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