## It's Like That

## Pete Rock & C.L. Smooth

Prepare yourself to catch a verse from the big purse Rotate the megahertz, where you heard it first The perpendicular, said none similar Quadruple any figure, quick on the trigger Helter skelter, wig out by the goodfella Not Lou Pinella cuz I'm black and mo' betta Bust a phenomenum, we come to get busy Deep in roots, but my name ain't Kizzie Many many march cuz I'm heavy on the starch Never tell a farce when I scale on a arch Jammin' on the radio, brothers say, "way to go" Shape it like Play-Do, soprano at the Chateau My theory periodically flows a odyssey Bigger than modern technology So save all the chit-chat when I kick a format fat It's like that...

C.L. is the attribute you salute Cuz I gotta make loot, can't afford to be cute Enter the equilibrium in a medium Breaking your cranium with no ultimatum Drop a psalm like a bomb, never land in your palm And now I'm so cool and calm Pure unadulterated, premeditated Lyrical form, Pete Rock is the storm Sophistication I kick to a nation I rare compilation I call recreation The prognosis, so mackadocious Straight up ferocious for those who can focus Large like the Beatles, ask all my peoples Never make movies, so don't talk sequels So, hon, save the chit-chat when I kick a format fat (it's fat) It's like that...

I'm all sold out, no doubt, without a question
The blessing your guests in a suprucated session
Anyway your honor, heresay the melee
Is here for the payday, so A to the K
Or should I say Deda, original baby par
Smooth like a reservoir, the funky Shang-Ri-La
No shame in my game, I'm set to entertain
And if it wasn't for the fame, skinz would never know my name
So back off a tad bit, that's a bad habit
Cuz I write the raw... for sure

Now I'm a flip a style and get crazy versatile
Never fragile cuz I'm flowin' like the Nile
Swing a jewel or a gem, notice how I say them
With my approach, smoke a rhyme to a roach
A four-season lover, light-skinned and bigger
But what I deliver come before the cotton picker
So here's to another hit, perfectly legitimate
When I hit the skinz, guaranteed to keep the candle lit
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It's like that...

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