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Success Story

Client: Dutton Gregory Solicitors

Sector: Legal Our Service: 24/7 cloud platforms and IT support

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Balancing Mobility, Security and Compliance with Cloud Platforms

Background

Dutton Gregory, a leading commercial law firm in the South of England, needed to ensure their legal team could assess IT systems remotely without compromising security or compliance requirements. Solicitors working from court or from clients' offices struggled to access documents and files securely. This was having an impact on productivity, as Dutton Gregory's legacy infrastructure could not be easily integrated with remote access tools in a cost effective and compliant way. Our client relationship has spanned over twelve years and continues to grow and develop.

The Solution

UKN Group were asked to support Dutton Gregory's digital transformation from on premise IT infrastructure and applications to secure cloud solutions, first addressing pain points around security and compliance. A key regulatory requirement was that the IT infrastructure and data remained in the UK and that data processing complied with industry regulations, including PCI DSS, and new legislation such as GDPR. UKN Group recommended migrating Dutton Gregory's IT infrastructure to Microsoft Azure, providing the company with a cost effective all-in-one solution. This removes the need for additional services such as Disaster Recovery, Back Up, Archiving and Authentication, as they are all part of the laaS solution.

Office 356 was also recommended to provide software and applications for day-to-day operations.

Benefits

UKN Group implemented a staged migration from Dutton Gregory's legacy systems to the cloud, to minimise disruption and identify any integration issues without impacting on productivity. This was successfully completed, and the legal team are now able to work remotely, accessing the company's systems and data securely and compliantly. UKN Group are currently refining Dutton Gregory's cloud solutions to drive more efficiencies and cost savings, for example by switching off resource overnight and taking advantage of savings that can be made with on demand cloud platforms.

"UKN Group worked closely with us for the past x12 years, and most recently to identify the right cloud platforms for our business and ensure that we met every regulatory and security requirement. As a legal firm our clients' data is highly sensitive and it was imperative that we partnered with an IT provider who not only understood our business and objectives but could also manage risk and regulatory requirements." Carol Nelthorpe-Cowne, IT Director, Dutton Gregory.

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