
Case Study

Client Company Synopsis

The National Institutions of the Church of England (The Archbishops' Council, The Church Commissioners, the Church of England Pensions Board and Lambeth Palace) operate a central IT data centre based in Westminster. Details of the Church's investments, clergy, pensioners, over 9,000 parish maps and all the central administration records are held in this centre. A disaster recovery site is in place at their Bermondsey Record Centre.

Project Brief

For disaster recovery purposes the NCIs required a dedicated symmetric line at Bermondsey to provide external connectivity for business continuity purposes in the event of their Westminster site suffering disruption to the service.

Fluidata's Role

To improve on reliability and meet the demand for a substantial network structure Fluidata installed a 10 Mb/s fibre leased line. This provided the resiliency needed, whilst guaranteeing bandwidth and reliability.

Fluidata's independent status meant that it was able to provide a dedicated fibre leased line that was competitively priced and using an alternative fibre network to their other leased line. This ensured that in the event of an outage on their primary fibre network their disaster recovery connectivity would be undisturbed.

Client Feedback

"When we decided to upgrade our disaster recovery site connection we approached three suppliers. We were impressed with Fluidata and coupled with their competitive solution, decided to partner with them.

The installation was smooth and on time and since they installed the service in July 2007 we have had absolutely no problems or faults whatsoever. A good decision all round."

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