

Press release

Steria to drive UK Health and Safety Executive's IT transformation

In summary

Steria has won a 3-year contract with the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) and will transform their Information Systems and Technology (ISAT) services to a new Delivery Model based on a leading edge virtualised ICT infrastructure.

Paris, France, 27 March 2013 – <u>Steria</u>, a leading provider of IT-enabled business services, announces that it has signed a three year strategic partnership with <u>the Health and Safety Executive</u> (HSE).

The contract, valued at £20m (€23m), will see Steria transform and operate HSE's Information Systems and Technology services, based on a consolidated, virtualised ICT infrastructure and the introduction of a proven and successful delivery model.

Steria will improve the availability, efficiency and flexibility of IT services for HSE staff. The introduction of virtual servers at the HSE will also reduce power consumption and associated costs by over 70 percent.

The transfer of services from HSE's previous supplier, Logica, is due to be completed in mid-2013.

John Torrie, CEO of Steria UK, said: "At Steria we have a solid track record of delivering transformational IT projects across the private and public sector. With our extensive experience delivering services to UK Government, we are well positioned to add significant value at the HSE and comprehensively meet and exceed their delivery expectations. We recognise that cost reduction and improved service delivery quality are essential deliverables for success at HSE and we look forward to working with the team in a trusted partnership to transform service delivery."

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About HSE: <u>www.hse.gov.uk</u>

The Health and Safety Executive is Britain's national regulator for workplace health and safety. It aims to reduce workrelated death, injury and ill health. It does so through research, information and advice; promoting training; new or revised regulations and codes of practice; and working with local authority partners by inspection, investigation and enforcement.

About Steria: www.steria.com

Steria delivers IT enabled business services and is the Trusted Transformation Partner for private and public sector organisations across the globe. By combining in depth understanding of our clients' businesses with expertise in IT and business process outsourcing, we take on our clients' challenges and develop innovative solutions to address them efficiently and profitably. Through our highly collaborative consulting style, we work with our clients to transform their business, enabling them to focus on what they do best. Our 20,000 people, working across 16 countries, support the systems, services and processes that make today's world turn, touching the lives of millions around the globe each day. Founded in 1969, Steria has offices in Europe, India, North Africa and SE Asia and a 2012 revenue of €1.83 billion. Over 20%(*) of Steria's capital is owned by its employees. Headquartered in Paris, Steria is listed on the Euronext Paris market. (*): including "SET Trust" and "XEBT Trust" (4.15% of capital)

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