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Staff Attendance Recording System (StARS) – Pricing Document

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1 Introduction

This Pricing document presents the pricing for the Staff Attendance Recording System (StARS).

2 StARS – Cloud Hosted Pricing Schedule

2.1 StARS System

The base StARS system is priced on a per unit basis where a unit is one FRS with up to 100 users and which is inclusive of the license fee, hosting charges, service management and support. The minimum contract period is one year, the fees for each year being payable in advance.

The base price is £150 per user per month, with a minimum of 100 users. So for 100 users of the StARS system within an FRS it would equate to £15,000 per month. For each additional user the monthly charge will increase by £100 per month.

2.2 AWS Environment Setup

The one-off administrative cost to provide access to the AWS environment instance for an FRS is £15,000. This includes the setup and activation of a new tenant as well as the creation of administration accounts. Additional data take-on and migration options are available and will be charged in accordance with the rates specified in the SFIA Rate Card.

2.3 StARS Implementation

Each implementation of the StARS system for an FRS will require several man days of effort. The applicable rates are specified in the SFIA Rate Card that we have submitted.

For the core system it takes between 15-20 days to implement into a live environment. Any additional effort required depends to some extent on the level of customisation and integration required to other systems. This will be discussed with the client and a time and cost estimate produced for agreement. Where an integration is required that has already been completed, such as with the Vision CAD system, then the estimate would be for implementation only unless additional data items are required to be transferred between the systems.

2.4 Training

Training will be provided as specified in the StARS Service Definition document. The type and duration of training varies from FRS to FRS so the number of days required will be discussed and agreed during the implementation phase. The fees for training will be charged in accordance with the rates specified in the SFIA Rate Card.

Skills For the Information Age (SFIA) Definitions and rate card

Standard rate card

	Strategy and architecture	Change and transformation	Development and implementation	Delivery and operation	People and skills	Relationships and engagement
1. Follow	895	895	895	895	895	895
2. Assist	995	995	995	995	995	995
3. Apply	1121	1121	1121	1121	1121	1121
4. Enable	1121	1121	1121	1121	1121	1121
5. Ensure, advise	1239	1239	1239	1239	1239	1239
6. Initiate, influence	1475	1475	1475	1475	1475	1475
7. Set strategy, inspire, mobilise	1770	1770	1770	1770	1770	1770

Standards for consultancy day rate cards

- **Consultant's working day:** 8 hours exclusive of travel and lunch
- **Working week:** Monday to Friday excluding national holidays
- **Office hours:** 9:00am to 5:00pm Monday to Friday
- **Travel, mileage subsistence:** Included in day rate within M25. Payable at department's standard travel and subsistence rates outside M25
- **Mileage:** As for travel, mileage subsistence
- **Professional indemnity insurance:** included in day rate