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Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 23 January 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1) Do you know about the Government's Cloud First policy?
 - Yes
 - No
- 2) Is your organisation using a public cloud for any area of your IT infrastructure?
 - Yes
 - No If no, please answer questions 6-8
- 3) What percentage of your IT infrastructure has already been migrated to the public cloud?
 - Less than 25%
 - 25% 50%
 - 50% 75%
 - 75% 100%
 - N/A
- 4) Which area(s) of your organisation's IT infrastructure has/have been migrated (in part or in whole) to the public cloud? Select all that apply.
 - Database(s)
 - Application(s)
 - Security
 - Storage
 - We have not migrated anything to the cloud
 - N/A
- 5) If you are not 100% cloud first, what is your timeline to migrate the rest of your infrastructure to the public cloud?
 - I am 100% cloud
 - 6 months or less
 - 6-12 months
 - 1-2 years
 - 2+ years
 - No, we don't plan to move everything to the cloud
 - N/A
- 6) What barriers to public cloud adoption have you experienced? Select all that apply.
 - Lack of skills needed to implement/manage
 - Security/compliance concerns
 - Budget constraints
 - Inability to prove return on investment (ROI)



- Need to continue supporting old, legacy technology
- Vendor lock-in (with a cloud provider)
- Concerns over IT managing multi-vendor environments
- No barriers

7) How many monitoring and management tools are you currently using to gain visibility into your IT infrastructure?

- 1
- 2-3
- 4-5 Approximately
- 6-7
- 8-9
- 10 or more
- Not sure

8) Are you able to use the same monitoring and management tools for on-premises infrastructure and cloud environments?

- Yes
- No
- Not sure

9) What are the biggest challenges you face when monitoring and managing your public cloud environment? Select all that apply.

- Lack of control and visibility into performance
- Uncertainty where date resides
- Protecting and securing the cloud environments
- Performance downtime
- Determining the most suitable workloads to move to the cloud
- Not fully understanding the benefits of the cloud
- N/A

10) Are you seeing the expected ROI from public cloud adoption?

- Yes
- No
- Still can't determine
- N/A

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Yours sincerely,

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