

Case Study – Criminal Intelligence Dept. (Germany)

Archiving

As one of 16 independent Law Enforcement Departments, this customer's mission is to protect law and order. As a regional organisation they specialise in major offences such as Murder, Narcotics and Terrorism. They have over 1600 employees and a large number of scientists make up the staffing. They have extensive links with the Federal bodies within Germany, and across Europe through EUROPOL. Information Technology is an integral part of their intelligence activities and key to their success.



Solution

The customer had a requirement to move to a new version of Microsoft Exchange. This extensive migration project created a number of key requirements for the project team.

- ▶ A need to consolidate and reduce the volume of data held to a minimum.
- ▶ A requirement to regain access to previously deleted emails.

Together Fujitsu and Veritas worked with the customer, to build a solution to meet their needs.

Veritas Products that formed part of the solution:

- ▶ Enterprise Vault for Microsoft Exchange

The Veritas technology is enabled by Fujitsu PRIMERGY Servers combined with Fujitsu ETERNUS Storage.

Value

Solution Size: Typically for a solution this size, the value is approximately €2m for both Hardware, Software and Services.

As a result of reducing the volume of data held the migration project was simplified, making it easier to deliver, and doing so in shorter time frame.

Starting with a simple downsizing of mailboxes, the customer now has a scalable Enterprise Information Archive, which enables him to archive less-frequently accessed information not only from Microsoft Exchange but across multiple content sources as file servers, Share Point Systems and many more.

As part of this he is able to automatically locate and migrate existing PST files into the archive, helping the department regain control of the information contained within those files.

Central control of the PST files eases the compliance and discovery requirements while reducing storage costs, backup windows, and risk associated with lost files.