

# Cornwall County Council implements NETconsent policy acceptance solution

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Selected as key part of the organisation's corporate governance and compliance strategy

Camberley, 29th October 2004: Nexus Technology, leaders in secure IT solutions and services, today announced the implementation of the NETconsent Policy Management solution within Cornwall County Council.

Cornwall County Council has chosen the NETconsent software solution to manage and communicate corporate policies to its 3,500 IT users following a rigorous tendering process which was completed in September. Nexus Technology, which has a 12 year track record in security and risk management, has supplied the software and will be providing technical assistance with the initial roll-out and other support services.

Cornwall County Council has a variety of corporate policies including those relating to the use of the Internet and internal and external eMail, to which all employees are expected to adhere. As part of its on-going governance and compliance strategy, the organisation will in future require all employees to complete an electronic acceptance of these policies, indicating each user's consent to be bound by them.

"The Council maintains high standards of Corporate Governance" stated Frank Twynning, Cornwall's County Treasurer, "This software will help us to communicate our policies more effectively to all our employees, which in turn will help us maintain our high standards and the Council's excellent reputation."

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## About Nexus

Nexus Technology Ltd. is a leading provider of secure IT solutions and a developer of innovative business critical software applications. Established in 1992, Nexus has evolved from a software development and training business into a true systems integrator, selling an extensive portfolio of market leading security software products, which are complimented by first class technical services. The growth of Nexus reflects an extensive knowledge and understanding of the essential contribution that IT plays in successful businesses. For more information on Nexus, visit [www.nexus-technology.co.uk](http://www.nexus-technology.co.uk)

## About Cornwall County Council

Cornwall County Council, together with five District Councils and one Borough Council, is responsible for providing local authority services in Cornwall. The authority has an annual budget of some £300million. The County has been afforded European Objective 1 status. The Information Systems Group (ISG), a part of the County Treasurer's Department, deals with corporate ICT provision and support. For more information visit [www.cornwall.gov.uk](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk)

## About NETconsent

NETconsent Ltd. is the world leading vendor of effective policy management software solutions. The NETconsent suite of products provides organisations with the ability to cost-effectively manage the deployment of corporate policies, user acceptance and access control to services. By automatically ensuring that users have the opportunity to read and accept (or reject) the current acceptable usage policy (AUP), prior to accessing a service, organisations are able to mitigate the risk of litigation and demonstrate compliance with corporate governance regulations. NETconsent solutions ensure that organisations can professionally manage users' acceptance of AUPs within a formal auditable legal framework whilst minimising the cost overhead. For more information on NETconsent, visit [www.netconsent.com](http://www.netconsent.com)

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