INFO SHEET

Technology Assessment

Understanding business. Applying technology.

OVERVIEW

Aligning technology with business strategy has become increasingly complex with the rate at which technology is evolving. Organizations often find themselves stuck in a position in which their existing technology inhibits progress because it is antiquated or ineffectively utilized, or they are quick to implement a new tool that fails to align with business priorities.

At **VERITECH ICT SOLUTIONS ("Veritech")** we believe strategic use of technology requires a holistic understanding of the technology in play, as well as your business goals, needs, and resources. As a result, our business technology practice has developed a 360-degree assessment to provide you with a complete view of your business and technology needs.

OUR APPROACH

Veritech works with you to assess, align, and optimize your organization to achieve your short- and long-term business goals with the following approach.

Assessment of Current State
The evaluation of both business and IT operations ensures a full understanding of your organization's current state. The goal of this phase is to comprehensively realize the strategy, services, infrastructure, and applications being provided to the organization.

Gap Analysis
This stage includes the comparison of the current state to leading practices, industry standards, and benchmarks to identify areas for improvement. The results of the comparison allow us to determine the best path for bridging gaps and developing a sound strategic plan.

Recommendations
Upon attaining findings for each focus area of the assessment, recommendations are crafted to bring business strategy and the IT organization into alignment.

Implementation Plan
The team develops a plan that reflects how to seamlessly implement changes within the organization. The plan includes prioritization, parties involved, and estimated costs.

OUR PROCESS

Our team evaluates five high-level areas as part of the business and technology assessment. Each category is reviewed with business objectives in mind including: business and technology strategy, IT management, business applications, IT infrastructure, and cybersecurity.

IT Management

Organizational Structure Alignment

Process Assessment

Capability Assessment

Planning and Budgeting

Business Applications

Business Processes Supported

Packaged and Custom Applications

Database Platforms

Integration Licensing, Maintenance, and Support

End Users and Usability

Infrastructure

Network Infrastructure

Availability, Uptime, and Reporting

System Maintenance

Domains and Access

Communications

Stability, Efficiency, and Redundancy

Disaster Recovery

Patch Management

User Policies and Education

Business and Technology Strategy

Assessment of Existing Business Strategy

IT Alignment with Organizational Strategic Objectives

IT Strategy Formation and Maintenance Processes

Cybersecurity

Network Security

Application Security

Data Security

ASSESSMENT DELIVERABLES

Throughout the assessment, deliverables are developed to serve as a comprehensive overview of your current state, how it compares to industry best practices, and reveal actionable insights. The outcome includes the following deliverables:

- Business and Technology Strategy Assessment Report
- Three-Year Strategic Plan
- Detailed Network Documentation
- Master Findings Prioritization Report

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