



ANS Service Management Policy Statement

As a Global Microsoft Azure Expert and AWS Advanced Partner, our customers trust us because we're the go-to experts. It's that simple. When organisations need to build the solutions and resources to enhance services, empower customers and provide insights to improve business outcomes, they turn to ANS.

But we're a little different to your standard MSP. For us, cloud is just the beginning. We amplify human ingenuity with AI-infused technologies to derive operational insights from IoT connected devices. We provide the intelligence and insights to enhance services, empower customer end-users and improve customer business outcomes.

As the fastest moving and most innovative digital and cloud experts, we don't just stop at the cloud. Our award-winning connectivity services provide customers with the flexibility, insights and control to operate a stress-free, future-ready network. As a carrier, transport and platform unbiased virtual network operator, our experience and expertise really does make us unique.

Our team of 200 strong cloud and networking experts are poised and ready to unleash their technical prowess to help customers increase operational value, so customers can spend less time managing and maintaining and more time changing and improving.

Service Management is ITSM integrated into the ANS IMS directed by policy and structured through processes and supporting procedures – that are deployed to enable the design, support the planning, delivery, operation, control and improvement of information technology services offered to customers. Placing Service Management within the framework and disciplines of a management system creates a Service Management System (SMS) that ensures that the SMS is controlled, evaluated and continually improved.

To embed these principles into our business, ANS have implemented a Service Management System (SMS) aligned with the international standard for Service Management, ISO/IEC 20000. The ANS Executive has a high expectation for the implementation and support of this policy and supporting framework by all ANS employees.

ANS is committed to continual improvement; objectives are managed within both a directed and a 'ground-up' framework. Top level objectives are agreed with the executive and are based around multiple inputs and outputs e.g. new objectives derived from audit and assessment, new business need or risk assessment.

We recognise that our business, and that of our customers, is heavily reliant on its information and any technology used to store and process that information. This is why we make sure that the availability of this information is guaranteed according to agreed service levels and contractual agreements through our service management practices. Information is always managed in a way that meets all of our legal, regulatory and contractual obligations.

This policy is applied right across ANS and is reviewed at least annually and whenever the business undergoes significant change. The ANS Executive is ultimately responsible for all company policies and provides strategic direction to the Business Assurance Team. The Business Assurance Team ensures that the SMS policy framework is regularly reviewed and that it continues to evolve and improve and conform to the required standards.

“At ANS, quality is at the core of everything we do. Our top priority is taking the time to understand a customer's business and needs so that we can create a tailored solution and deliver quality service. Throughout the ANS journey, our customers receive exceptional service from the first point of contact, through to onboarding and the provision of ongoing support. We believe when we treat each customer as our most important, our success will grow.”

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Hodgson', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Chris Hodgson, Chief Operating Officer