

Information Services
Regulations for the Provision of Network Services
on the University of Kent Network

1. Scope

- 1.1. These Regulations apply to the provision of network services on University owned and non University owned computerised and mobile equipment and devices directly connected to the University network.
- 1.2. In particular, these Regulations apply to wireless networking within a University campus; virtual private networking (VPN) or dial-up technologies to access to University IT systems.

2. Definitions

- 2.1. The network is the entire University data network at all campuses and centres.
- 2.2. Roles are defined in *The University of Kent Information Technology Security Policy*.

3. Connection of Equipment

- 3.1. In accordance with *The University of Kent Information Technology Security Policy*:
 - 3.1.1. No equipment may be connected to the network without the prior permission of the Network Controller.
 - 3.1.2. Any equipment connected to the network must be electrically safe in accordance with University Health and Safety Policy and manufacturers' recommendations.
- 3.2. The Network Controller may require the disconnection of equipment if:
 - 3.2.1. It is a security threat.
 - 3.2.2. It is likely to adversely affect the performance of other authorised activity on the network.
 - 3.2.3. It is not being operated within the terms of *The University of Kent Information Technology Security Policy*.

4. System Administration

- 4.1. The system must be actively managed in line with the Security Procedures for Systems Administrators which covers:
 - 4.1.1. The collection and use of information;

