



## Background information

The Government of Gibraltar is the democratically elected government of the British Overseas Territory of Gibraltar. Gibraltar is located on the southern end of the Iberian Peninsula. It has a total area of about 6.8 km<sup>2</sup> and a population of about 30000. The Government of Gibraltar is elected for a term of four years. The head of Government is the Chief Minister, assisted by nine more elected ministers.

## Challenges

The I.T. Office of the Government of Gibraltar was looking for cloud services for a government organization, with the prime concern of keeping the data in house. This was an important factor because they could not risk confidential data getting out. They were also looking into auditing solutions to track what users were uploading to the cloud and to whom- essentially a complete logging feature to monitor all users and their activities. These requirements could not be fulfilled by a public cloud services provider, and therefore they turned to FileCloud.

## The Solution

The I.T. Office of the Government of Gibraltar researched in Dropbox, Box, Google Apps and Amazon Cloud services but none of them met the primary requirement they were looking for - which was to host the data ourselves and keeping the data in-house. Therefore, they selected FileCloud by Tonido. FileCloud offers cloud services with on-premise file storage, which keeps the data in-house. Other features that FileCloud provides are cloud access on mobile devices, and file sync solution across all devices like PCs, mobiles and tablets.

In addition to that, FileCloud also provides access to all files through the web browser. Another important feature is the admin functionality. The admin can monitor the use of the cloud services remotely- and see who is performing what action. The admin can also revoke access of users and issue a remote wipe of mobile devices.

## Key Advantages

- + **On Premise solution** - Keep confidential data in-house
- + **Secure Access for government employees** within the network for data integrity
- + **Admin access** to all activities of users
- + **Remote wipe** of mobile devices and revoke access to users
- + **Data backup** ensuring protection of confidential data
- + **Version control** so that all documents and stored data is accurate and current, but old versions can also be accessed
- + File Cloud customers **save over 70%** against competitor solutions



*Best File Sharing Service  
within a private backbone*

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