

Enhanced Security at Ervia with TDS Enterprise Suite



1,300
Employees



85
Locations



2015
Customer Since

Overview

Formerly known as Bord Gais Eireann, Ervia is a semi-state, multi-utility company responsible for the delivery of both water and gas infrastructure and services throughout Ireland. With 85 sites across Ireland, Ervia employs over 1,300 staff and operates one of Europe's safest and most modern gas networks.

Seeking a solution that would offer high-performance security and safety functions across multiple site location, Ervia selected the TDS Enterprise Integrated Security Solution, from leading Irish Software firm Time Data Security (TDS). With over 25 years' experience in the development of integrated, highly complex security systems across a wide range of industry sectors, TDS were able to offer full optimisation of resources and on-going cost savings across all 85 sites.

Location

 Multiple sites across Ireland

Systems Installed

-  TDS Access
-  TDS CCTV
-  TDS ID

TDS also developed a number of API integrations for pre-existing software solutions & an intruder detection alarm system.

Hardware Installed

-  KABA 9110
-  High Speed Barrier E10
-  Panasonic CCTV System
-  Badge Printer

Favourite Feature
ACCESS

Process

Through a series of internal workshops, the current and future security needs of Ervia were assessed resulting in the development of a project roadmap that would grow and develop with Ervia. At the core of this roadmap was a bespoke Enterprise Solution which constitutes an integrated portfolio of best in class solution technologies including TDS Access and TDS CCTV.

TDS Access enables Ervia to maintain control of physical access rights for their employees, visitors and contractors across all operational facilities and sites throughout Ireland. The centralisation of access control provides an added level of security for both Ervia and its employees with full accountability for all staff while they are on-site.

The development of a streamlined security surveillance system proved critical to Ervia's security requirements. The Panasonic integration component captures critical events from the TDS Access system registering them as alarms. This ensures Ervia's security team have seamless control of their cameras allowing them to investigate and respond more efficiently.

By partnering with TDS, Ervia benefits from over 25 years' security experience and knowledge. Ongoing support is offered via the TDS in-house software team and a mobile engineering response unit, ensuring both rapid installation and response to support queries.

Challenges

- ⊙ Integration with existing third party software.
- ⊙ Access Control for over 1,300 employees
- ⊙ High performance centralised security and safety functions across 85 sites

Benefits

- ✓ Centralised Access Management System
- ✓ Enhanced Site Security
- ✓ Customised reporting
- ✓ Full integration to current systems

“One of the main strengths of our Enterprise Solution is the open platform design, which enables the creation of bespoke integrations to meet individual client needs. It is this flexibility that allows us to work with industry leaders such as Ervia”

Valerie O'Rourke
Commercial Director 
TDS (Time Data Security) Ltd

