SERVICE DESK **STANDARD** ADVANCED CATEGORY DESCRIPTION Incident Incident detection, recording, 24 x 7 24 x 7 Mean time to respond: 1 hr classification and investigation Mean time to respond: 30 min Management Manage and co-ordinate incidents. **Business General Desk Dedicated Support Desk** Serves as a single point of contact entry and exit for customers. Keeping Feedback: Issue Resolved Feedback: Hourly Updates to a customer informed of progress and resolution advising on workarounds. Troubleshooting: Best effort Restore normal service operation as Escalation: **Escalation:** Specialized Specialized quickly as possible and minimise the service team service team adverse effect on business operations Specialized Service Team Troubleshooting: 1 Hour Troubleshooting: 1 Hour remote support remote support On Site Engineer Visits: On Site Engineer Visits: Included – Vox issue Included – Vox issue Billable – Client issue Billable – Client issue *Mean time to Site: *Mean time to Site: Best effort P1 – 3 hours P2-6 hours P3 – Next business day Included Included Reporting: **Request Fulfilment Reports** On Request Included Incident Report On Request On Request N/A N/A Monthly Service Report Self Service Included Product Specific Report -SMS Unisever Departmental summary report Rejected mail to sms report (if applicable) User/Usage reporting My messages Broadcast report N/A On request Custom reports *limitation on custom reports Itemised Billing to 1 p/month * 1 week minimum lead time for manual reporting



Service Level Agreement

Request Fulfilment	1 st line management of basic user change requests which are often minor (standard) changes Account queries	8 x 5 Business General Desk	24 x 7 Dedicated Support Desk
	Service availability Password changes Password reset Change user details	Mean Time to Respond: 1 hr	Mean Time to Respond: 30 min
	Application updates, additions and changes Onsite Deployment– add departments or additional	Feedback : Issue resolved	Feedback: Hourly updates to resolution
binds Hosted Deployment users/departments	Hosted Deployment- add	Best Effort	Specialised Service Team 1 hr remote support
SLA Stock	Hardware Replacement	NA	NA



		MONITORING AND F	REPORTING	
CATEGORY	DES	CRIPTION	STANDARD	ADVANCED
Event Management		toring against olds of Network, CPU, zation, Application etc.	24 x 7 Monitoring 8 x 5 Remediation	24 x 7 Monitoring 24 x 7 Remediation
	Service Fail		Notification alerts	Notification alerts
	Hosted: Vox SMS On / Off (server Gateway connection availability)			
	Onsite Vox SMS On / Off (server Gateway connection availability)			
Capacity Monitoring	Server only Performance moni	y of Network, CPU, zation, Application.	24 x 7 Monitoring 8 x 5 Remediation Notification alerts	24 x 7 Monitoring 24 x 7 Remediation Notification alerts
	Service Warning Fail			
	CPU Usage 80% 97%			
	Memory 80% 95%			
	Disk Usage 80%	6 90%		
Uptime	Guaranteed Servic Vox SMS gatew Vox hosted SMS A Software uptime	vay	99.9% 99.5%	99.9% 99.5%



SERVICE OPERATION					
CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	STANDARD	ADVANCED		
Problem Management	Resolve the root causes of incidents to minimize the adverse impact of incidents and incidents on business that are caused by errors within the IT infrastructure, and to prevent recurrence of incidents related to these errors.	Notification Alerts Updates to Resolution P1 - 1-2 hrs P2 - 2-3 hrs P3 - 3-4 hrs	Notification Alerts Updates to Resolution P1 - 1-2 hrs P2 - 2-3 hrs P3 - 3-4 hrs		
Change management	Change Management aims to ensure that Standardized methods and procedures are used for efficient handling of all changes. A change is an event that results in a new status of one or more Configuration items (Cl's)	8 x 5 Notification Alerts Standard Changes – 48 hrs Emergency Changes – 3 hrs	8 x 5 Notification Alerts Standard Changes – 48 hrs Emergency Changes – 3 hrs		



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CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION			DELIVERABLE		
Event Management	Pro Active Performance monitoring against pre-defined thresholds of Network, CPU, RAM, Storage utilisation, Application etc to anticipate and manage events			24 x 7 Email notification alerts 24 x 7 Remediation		
		Service	Warning	Failure alert		Dedicated resource
		Network	80%	ON / OFF		
		CPU	80%	ON / OFF		
		RAM	80%	ON / OFF		
		Storage utilization	80%	ON / OFF		
	•	Application	N/A	ON / OFF		
Capacity Management	Capacity Management is responsible for ensuring that IT resources are planned and scheduled to provide a consistent level of service that is matched to the current and future needs of the business. This is when a threshold has been reached, something has changed, or a failure has occurred. This includes items such as available capacity to deal with expected volumes based on historical data and analytics.			Monthly: • Capacity plan • Capacity report 24 x 7 Email notification alerts 24 x 7 Remediation		
		Service	Warning	Failure alert		
		Network	80%	ON / OFF		
		CPU	80%	ON / OFF	-	
		RAM	80%	ON / OFF	-	
		Storage utilization	80%	ON / OFF		
		Application	N/A	ON / OFF		
Advanced Reporting	Consists of a requirements		ons based on	the customers		Daily / weekly customized automated reports Service analysis
						Quarterly reports: Infrastructure monitoring Traffic usage Product design recommendations



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NOTE: Managed Services are an optional extra and are billable by product

Asset and Configuration Management	Management and traceability of every asset Management and traceability of every configuration	N/A
Release and Deployment Management	Ensures the availability of licensed, tested, and version certified software and hardware Evaluates impact of new software releases on the environment Service validation and testing ensure that deployed Releases and the resulting services meet customer expectations, and to verify that IT operations is able to support the new service Third-party update testing (where applicable)	Included (quarterly testing): application testing network testing benchmark testing Included: Upgrades of application software (where applicable) Billable
Audits and Assessments	 Align and realign IT services to changing business needs by identifying and implementing improvements to the IT services that support the business processes. Strategy: Planning and Coordination, Standardization and Improvements of the current process. Measuring: Monitoring and improving service transition performance Management and deliberate prioritization of resources required by various projects and change activities resulting in cost efficiencies as well as continual alignment with changing business objectives. Future budgets and resource requirements for service teams are anticipated and procured cost effectively avoiding expensive last-minute decisions (where applicable) 	Included: Quarterly reviews
On site resource	 Dedicated on site engineer for day to day management. This consists of Support – IT service support Maintenance and Automation – Daily tasks Integration – Specialized tools and services (Third-party) Support and release of new deployments ensuring appropriate levels 	Billable



1. DEFINITIONS

- 1.1. "8x5" Service availability is 8h00 to 17h00 during business days, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays.
- 1.2. "24x7" Service availability is 00h00 to 23h59 including weekends and public holidays.
- 1.3. "Incident" An event either defined as P1/2/3 and logged with Vox in accordance with ticket logging procedures
- 1.4. "Mean Time to Respond" The average time taken to contact the customer. This includes system generated responses.
- 1.5. "Mean Time to Site" (MTTS): The average time taken for an Engineer to get to the customer's premises. Based on a 50km radius from Vox Main offices (Johannesburg, Pretoria, Cape Town, Durban, Port Elizabeth, East London, Bloemfontein and Kimberley). *Subject to change based on Product and Client SLAs. This is calculated based on a calendar month.
- 1.6. "P1": Priority 1 Major SMS platform outage with all users affected. Customer cannot continue with normal operations
- 1.7. "P2": Priority 2 Major SMS platform failure with many users affected. Business can continue but is impaired.
- 1.8. "P3": Priority 3 Minor incident or operational incident, causing user issues but not affecting day to day operation this includes requested reporting.
- 1.9. "Request fulfillment" All requests are categorized as P3
- 1.10. "Dedicated resource" dedicated engineer allocated to client
- 1.11. "SMS platform" SMS application software and when not hosted by Vox, excludes any hardware whether physical or virtual.
- 1.12. "Vox SMS Gateway" SMPP, API or FTP connection to the bulk message sending platform

2. SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 2.1. The SMS SLA is only applicable to support of SMS Application Software.
- 2.2. Mean time to site (MTTS) hours is only applicable to customers with an on-site solution and within a 50km radius from Vox main offices (Johannesburg, Pretoria, Cape Town, Durban, Port Elizabeth, East London, Bloemfontein and Kimberley)
- 2.3. Non-billable engagements will become billable where the incident is determined to be on the Customer side.
- 2.4. It is the customers responsibility to notify Vox if technical/security or other contact details change.

3. EXCLUSIONS

- 3.1. Uptime guarantees are on Vox services are dependent on client having access to internet services to access the platforms
- 3.2. Unavailability of the hardware (physical/virtual) does not create an assumption that the platform is not available. If Vox can prove that the SMS Platform was available to any other customer, the SMS Platform is deemed available.
- 3.3. Uptime excludes any downtime in internet or network connectivity.
- 3.4. Downtime excludes planned maintenance and the unavailability of virtual or physical hardware for whatever reason.