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InfoGuard receives ISO 14001 environmental certification, underlining its climate neutrality

In May, InfoGuard AG successfully underwent a certification audit for the environmental protection standard ISO 14001. This recognition underscores the climate-neutral cyber security provider's ongoing commitment to environmental protection and sustainability.

As one of Switzerland's leading cyber-security providers, InfoGuard has spent many years focusing on consistent improvements to its internal environmental and sustainability management processes. The effectiveness of its environmental management system (EMS) has now been confirmed by a certification audit conducted by the Swiss Association for Quality and Management Systems (SQS) in May. InfoGuard, already certified in the area of information security management systems (ISO/IEC 27001) as well as in accordance with ISAE 3000 Type 2, has now also be awarded the environmental management certificate ISO 14001⁽¹⁾. Combined with progress on climate neutrality already achieved, this certification sends a clear signal that the company is leading player in the sustainable transformation of Switzerland's IT services industry.

Broad-based measures in all areas

InfoGuard demonstrates its commitment across numerous areas, including through the implementation of green IT initiatives. The use of efficient hardware, optimisation of energy consumption and consistent disposal management enable significant reductions both in terms of resource consumption and CO₂ emissions. The company additionally promotes the sustainable mobility of its employees, is mindful of the use of ecological materials in conversion projects and cooperates with suppliers and service providers who themselves exhibit impressive levels of sustainable action and social commitment.

Climate neutrality: local action, global impact

InfoGuard has also been voluntarily supporting environmental and sustainability projects for some time. For example, we work with the international climate protection organisation myclimate to regularly calculate climate-relevant CO_2 emissions and offset them through selected projects.

A key partner in this context is the Swiss organisation newTree, which specialises in ecological, social and economic development projects that focus on women and farming families in various African Sahel countries. Initiatives include natural reforestation, constructing energy-efficient cooking stoves, promoting sustainable agriculture and improving income sources.

"We have worked continuously on improving our environmental and sustainability management and will continue to do so in the future. ISO 14001 certification not only sends a strong signal to our customers and partners, but also makes it clear that every company can make a contribution," emphasised Thomas Meier, CEO of InfoGuard. "I am particularly proud that our commitment also includes the promotion of sustainable environmental projects and thus

¹ ISO 14001 is an internationally renowned standard for environmental management systems. It not only defines requirements that organisations can use to minimise their environmental impact and comply with legal environmental regulations, but also evaluates the implemented procedures.



has direct positive effects. In newTree, we have found a trustworthy partner organisation to ensure that our financial support flows entirely into these projects," Thomas Meier added.

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