1. **OVERVIEW AND PURPOSE**

- 1.1 The University of Sussex's Information Technology Services (ITS) underpin all of the University's activities and are essential to the University's primary purpose, i.e. to advance learning and knowledge through teaching and research for the benefit of the wider community.
- 1.2 It is crucial that University staff, students, and others working with the University have access to the information
 - ¹ and/or technology they require in order to carry out their work and study.
- 1.3 The University also acknowledges that the information it holds and processes, and systems



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4.2.5 All information security measures, and policies defining them, will be regularly reviewed and tested, including use of annual internal audits and penetration testing.

4.3 Training, Awareness, and Personnel

- 4.3.1 Information security awareness training will be made available to all users.
- 4.3.2 Information security awareness and education campaigns will be delivered throughout the year and measured for effectiveness in order to deliver continuous improvement.
- 4.3.3 Where appropriate, pre-employment screening is in place.
- 4.3.4 Users that hold specific responsibility for security (e.g. ISOs) will have role-specific information security training.

4.4 Risk and Asset Management

- 4.4.1 Information security risks will be managed in accordance with the University's Risk Management Framework.
- 4.4.2 Appropriate risk assessments will be carried out for information and IT assets in order to determine the level of control required to U5 (e)04rr95 (es)-3-16lmrnTna c cepta cbl rJJ0 Tw

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Sussex's network must also abide by the regulations outlined in the <u>Janet Acceptable Use</u> <u>Policy</u>. Non-compliance with Janet regulations by University users could result in access to this service being suspended or withdrawn completely for the entire institution.

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