

# Dobson Mitchell Allport ensures uninterrupted legal services delivery by establishing a high availability cluster with StarWind Virtual SAN (VSAN)

#### Dobson Mitchell Allport.

### About the Company

Established in 1834, Dobson Mitchell Allport is a leading Tasmanian legal practice with a team offering a full range of legal advisory and advocacy services to individuals, businesses, governments, and not-for-profit organizations.

#### Industry

Legal

#### Location

APAC (Australia)

#### Solution

StarWind Virtual SAN (VSAN)

"StarWind VSAN has made our infrastructure more performant, reduced complexity, and significantly increased reliability. StarWind VSAN has met all requirements and expectations."

**Chris Gay,** Manager, IT & Security

## Challenge

Before deploying StarWind Virtual SAN (VSAN), Dobson Mitchell Allport faced a critical challenge with its IT infrastructure. The company relied solely on a single physical SAN with 1GB interconnects to support its Hyper-V failover cluster. This setup posed a significant risk due to a single point of failure and performance limitations. Upgrading or enhancing performance while maintaining reliability was a daunting task.

The company required a shared storage solution to replace its single physical SAN and achieve high availability.

# Solution

Dobson Mitchell Allport chose StarWind VSAN for its simplicity, cost-effectiveness, and ability to provide active-active high availability. By implementing StarWind VSAN, the company replaced the vulnerable physical SAN with a robust, fault-tolerant solution.

The deployment of StarWind VSAN significantly improved the company's IT infrastructure. Performance increased, complexity decreased, and reliability soared, meeting all its requirements. With StarWind VSAN in place, Dobson Mitchell Allport no longer worries about single points of failure or performance bottlenecks.