EFS implements UAE's 'first private cloud'

eHosting DataFort (eHDF) has implemented what it claims to be the first private cloud in the UAE for Emcor Facilities Services (EFS).

EFS invested in high-end computing hardware and security, including servers and firewalls, while the data centre infrastructure, core switching, perimeter security, load balancers and storage area networks were leased from eHDF.

"We were looking to migrate to a model where investment was required only in core infrastructure, while the rest was shifted to a lease model," said Terence Sathyanarayan, Head of Group Technology, EFS.