

Nvolve Ltd & Staffline Group Plc Announce Joint Venture

Group Learner™ Ltd is a new company formed due to a Joint Venture agreement with Nvolve Ltd and Staffline Group Plc. Group Learner specialises in providing food companies with training solutions to meet the needs of compliancy and cut the cost of training significantly.



The Group Learner food training platform has been developed to meet the specific compliance needs of the Food Industry in the UK and Ireland and includes; Food Safety, Health and Safety, Literacy Assessments and Inductions. The main back bone of the Group Learner offering is a product called Volume Trainer™ which combines courseware such as Food Safety with keypad training technology, similar to what is used in “Ask the Audience” on the game show “Who Wants to be a Millionaire.”

Group Learner’s CEO Barry Harper explains, “What we do is quite simple yet very effective, we help Food Companies meet their regulatory training requirements at about half the price and in a much more efficient way. Ultimately we save our clients time and money. For example, recently one of our customers had to ensure all their staff had a Food Safety qualification because they were awarded a large order from Marks and Spencer. They had only a week or two to be 100% compliant. We helped them do this in a few days and at an affordable cost.

Commenting the Joint Venture and the scaling up in the UK Barry continues, “This Joint Venture with Staffline enables us to rapidly expand into the UK market with an excellent company which has a quality reputation in training and recruitment. The key benefit of our solution is that we have not only enabled our customers to prove their compliance with very little hassle, we have done so much more efficiently and effectively, saving all our clients well over 50% on their training budgets. ”

The Nvolve platform is a paperless system where all results are stored electronically so that when an auditor asks “is this person compliant?” Nvolve’s clients can not only show attendance at a training session but they can say ““Mary did Food Safety on the 1st February 2011, she had keypad number 5, she was asked 30 questions, and she got 90%”.

Speaking with Andy Hogarth, CEO of Staffline Group Plc, he states he is excited about the new venture, “We have been working with the Nvolve team now for over a year and have used the training platform to very good effect for our own workforce. We identified that many other organisations had the same issue as us - training large volumes of people in a very short space of time. We’re delighted to be part of this Joint Venture. With Nvolve’s technology expertise and our existing base of customers I believe that in a short space of time Group Learner Ltd will become one of the leading training companies in the UK Food Industry”

Group Learner will continue to expand within the UK market and will be looking at other locations to expand in the future.

About Group Learner™

Group Learner™ Ltd helps food businesses consistently meet their regulatory requirements when it comes to the delivery, certification and management of training. They have helped many businesses reduce costs, increase profit and consistently achieve 100% compliance rates.

About Staffline Group Plc

Staffline Group Plc are one of the largest temporary staffing companies in the UK with over 200 offices nationwide and over 20,000 staff working at client locations.



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