

RePC Ltd

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Tenant



London

North South East West Central

England

NorthW NorthE Yorkshire Midlands East London SouthE SouthW

UK

England Wales Scotland Ireland

Universal



UK wide distribution of computers. Localised training & support (West Midlands)

Urban areas



Rural Areas



Company Summary

Repc Ltd is a UK limited company with a social purpose, based in the West Midlands. They specialise in recycling IT and related equipment for reuse.

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Summary of Offer

Repc offer recycled computers at a fixed price direct to residential customers, and work with social housing partners to recycle and redistribute hardware.

Details of Offer

Offer to Tenant

Fixed price refurbished PCs and laptops:

- £79 for a PC
- £99 for a laptop
- 12 months warranty, computers pre-

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Repc Ltd offer various options for working with social housing providers based on the following approaches:

- **Buy Back Scheme:** social housing providers provide their surplus equipment to Repc Ltd for recycling (free

installed with Windows 7, Microsoft Security Essentials and Microsoft Office 2010.

- Additional charges apply for delivery to residential addresses rather than bulk delivery to HA.

of charge) and the social housing provider can then buy the refurbished equipment back at a low cost to distribute to their own customers. Repc Ltd can recycle mobile and tablet devices as well as PCs and laptops.

- **Partnering with social housing providers preferred credit unions/CDFIs:** Repc Ltd do not offer credit facilities directly but can work with socially responsible lenders through partnerships with social housing providers.
- **Providing digital skills training:** Repc Ltd do provide basic digital skills training to social housing customers in West Midlands areas near to their office base (West Bromwich).

Alternatively, Repc Ltd are happy to discuss bespoke partnerships and offers with individual organisations.

Added Value

Repc Ltd have many years experience working with social housing providers and public organisations. The company is committed to being a socially responsible organisation. They have a registered UK online centre in the West Midlands, where they deliver digital skills training and work in partnership with charities. They also provide training and employment opportunities for disadvantaged people and run a pre-apprenticeship mobile technologies scheme for young people aged under 16.

Existing partnerships with CHI members

Housing Association	Summary of partnership	Want to know how it's going?
Orbit Living	Orbit's IT department have worked with Repc for a number of years to process their redundant IT.	tim.dumbleton@orbit.org.uk

CHI Review/Opinion

RePc offer a cost effective way to provide basic, affordable computers which can fit well with wider digital engagement and skills initiatives. The free refurbishing service could help to reduce social housing providers' ICT costs which could enable other digital inclusion activities to be funded.

Their social purpose came through strongly in their presentation, and they demonstrated willingness to get involved with digital skills programmes. Currently, however, the 'added value' elements of their offer are only available on a local basis in the West midlands.