

EPnet Cashless in the Workplace



The EPnet system is the modern-day solution to charging for goods and services in the workplace. Either using the employee's card or fob (**without changing the current security infrastructure**) or a standard EPnet card, employees are able to make purchases inside the building, be it restaurant, vending machine or staff shop, without the need for cash. EPnet works like a debit card, with all transactions being instantly reported to a central PC, and deducted from the employee's account. Accounts can be replenished by web-Loading or by using a money loader. As an alternative, the card may be used in credit card mode, with purchases being deducted from weekly or monthly salary.

Staff restaurant Rather than using cash, staff use their card to pay for food and drink in the staff restaurant. EPnet uses the latest touch-screen EPoS & MPoS electronic terminals, making life



simpler for the restaurant staff. The card is read by the till and deducts the cost of the transaction from the staff account. Some staff restaurants offer subsidised meals. EPnet is flexible enough to allow for this and can be programmed on a "use it or lose it" basis to avoid carry-over. At the same time, EPnet's multiple pricing facility will help those companies, which need to offer differential pricing by cost centre, department or rank. EPnet also allows staff to "overdraw" their account up to an agreed limit. This

caters for occasions when accidental overspends occur. Visitors to the building can use the system, too, by means of a temporary card, which can be charged personally or to the relevant host department.

Vending With EPnet, access to vending machines is also by means of the staff card. These can deliver a variety of products without the need for cash.

Stock Control. EPnet has a very sophisticated, integrated Stock Control module available expanding its comprehensive reporting capabilities to include goods inwards, stores, gross margins, stock takes etc.

Loading A variety of Loading options are available with EPnet. Cash Loaders (including a talking DDA compliant version), web-Loading from any Internet enabled PC directly from a bank account or card as well as automatic Payroll options give EPnet flexibility to meet any requirement. Cash Loaders can be programmed for use on multi-currency sites.



Management Control EPnet is designed as a networked system with all equipment connected to the database, be that in-house or Cloud-based. Hence, all the data can be instantly analysed and shared. Probably most important of all, it will give you the information about your employees' purchasing patterns that will help you plan with some certainty the future of your staff catering. EPnet can be programmed to extract information in a manageable form from the mass of data it accumulates -daily, weekly, periodical, annual reports, selective reports by time, by date, by user by item, with VAT and without, reports to screen, printer or export to Excel. EPnet will also link to your catering management systems for fully integrated control.