

## Cookies

A “cookie” is a piece of software that attaches to the hard drive of your computer and remembers information about the configuration of your computer. We use cookies to track visitors movements through the website. When you start to use the website, you will be asked whether you agree to the use of cookies.

We currently use “analytical” cookies (primarily Google Analytics) which collect data about how visitors use our website, to help us to monitor and understand (e.g. whether the number of visitors to our website is growing), what content is popular, how long people stay on our website and so on, so that we can make improvements to our website.

If, having read the cookies statement in the pop-up box on our website, you click “Don’t show me this again”, a cookie is downloaded. It does not collect any data from you – it simply tells our website, on your next visit, that you do not wish to see the pop-up box again. There is also a cookie which allows us to log into the site to make changes. This is essential to our website’s operation and is only downloaded onto the devices of SFT’s staff and/or contractors who maintain our website.

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