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Cambridge &
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Adkwik
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BACKGROUND

Cambridge based Adkwik Industrial Supplies were in the process of relocating to new premises comprising a large building with offices and warehouse. They invited BEE to conduct a site visit to identify potential energy efficiency improvements. Following a site visit by a BEE advisor, it was clear there were several areas where energy efficiency improvements could be made prior to Adkwik occupying the new building.



ACTIONS

Following advice from BEE, Adwick replaced the existing fluorescent lighting with significantly more efficient LED lighting and upgraded from expensive and inefficient electric storage heaters, by installing a new heating and cooling system. In addition, the single glazed windows and doors in the offices and warehouse, responsible for significant heat loss and for allowing cold air into the building were replaced with double glazed units.

RESULTS

Adkwik were successful in securing a grant of just under £8,200 through the BEE programme. The grant enabled them to make the energy efficiency improvements to their premises that will ultimately realise over £7,300 in cost savings and secure carbon reductions of over 20 tonnes.

COST SAVING	CARBON SAVING	GRANT RECEIVED
£7,339	20.6 TONNES	£8,200

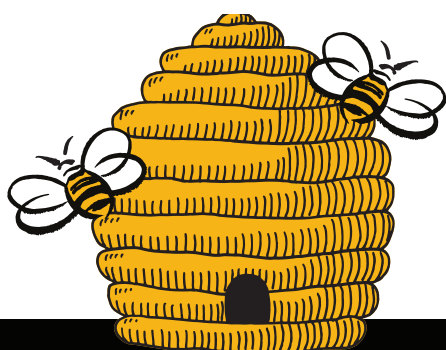
"Adkwik now has an extremely good facility and the support and help of BEECP in providing a grant to transform this building was excellent"

**Tim Warren, Managing Director,
Adkwik Industrial Supplies**

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