Leadership Drift Diagnostic Checklist

Tick the boxes that reflect your current reality. If you find more than 3 ticks in any one section, drift may already be costing you performance and momentum.

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- ☐ Our strategy feels vague or disconnected from daily operations
- ☐ Leaders spend more time reacting to issues than driving priorities
- ☐ Teams are unclear on what success looks like in the next 90 days
- ☐ Decisions are often delayed or escalated unnecessarily
- ☐ We revisit the same issues repeatedly without resolution

2. Leadership Behaviour

- ☐ Senior leaders step into operational tasks instead of holding others accountable
- ☐ Difficult conversations about performance are avoided or watered down
- ☐ Leaders focus on "activity" rather than measurable outcomes
- □ Delegation is inconsistent, creating bottlenecks
- ☐ Morale or confidence in leadership has visibly dipped

3. Culture and Alignment

- ☐ Teams work in silos, slowing collaboration
- ☐ Employees lack ownership of results and rely too heavily on managers
- ☐ Recognition of wins and progress is rare or inconsistent
- ☐ Engagement survey scores are flat or declining
- □ Staff turnover or disengagement is starting to increase

What This Means

If you checked:

- **0-5 boxes**: You're in good shape but need to monitor closely
- **6-10 boxes**: Drift is setting in and corrective action is needed
- 11+ boxes: Performance is at risk and urgent reset required

How RDL Helps

RDL works with executive teams to:

- Reset strategy into clear, actionable priorities
- Build leadership accountability through coaching and behavioural frameworks
- Strengthen culture so alignment and execution stick long term

Our process is fast, practical, and designed to relieve pressure from the CEO and senior leaders, not add to it.

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