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Corporate Profile



# Chief Executive Officer's Message

In our journey which began more than a quarter of a century ago, milestones are many and achievements countless. In a backdrop where companies disappear faster than they emerge, Mercury's focus on uncompromised quality has seen the steady growth of the company. The ISO 9001 – 2000 certification, acquired in 2008, further highlights our emphasis on quality while encouraging us to set our standards far above the industry's requirements.

Another notable achievement is the Mercury Novel System, developed by our engineering department, which has been able to set new benchmarks in the waterproofing field in regards to quality. I'm also proud to say that our most valuable asset is our well-experienced and highly qualified employees, constantly proving that they can attend to any need with the best level of professionalism.

The entire Mercury staff are working towards achieving the company's mission.... **"To provide our clients with outstanding results by mastering an innovative approach of combining industry expertise with market demands whilst maintaining an unparalleled passion for customer satisfaction"**

I wish to use this opportunity to extend my gratitude to our valuable clients, devoted staff and all stake holders for their unstinting support and loyalty. Their unconditional devotion has allowed us to become the leading and most trusted company in the fields of waterproofing and related services in the Kingdom of Bahrain.



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# Company Overview

With over 25 years of experience, Mercury has achieved local recognition that continues to echo throughout the Gulf region. Founded in 1985, Mercury Contracting Centre is the Kingdom of Bahrain's leading firm in the fields of waterproofing, heat insulation, lightweight concrete, fire protection and lake lining. After undertaking the largest and most challenging projects in Bahrain, Mercury plans to expand into other markets in the region.

In 2008, Mercury received the ISO 9001 – 2000 certification, further proving its commitment to unsurpassed quality. This level of achievement is accomplished by maintaining remarkable levels of services that clients are accustomed to.

Mercury's highly qualified dedicated team of technicians and engineers recognize the importance of minimizing the complexities in both established and promising markets, whilst adapting to the unique requirements of each development. The company emphasizes to only use well-recognized and approved products of high standard with the utmost precaution in respect to safety, durability and reliability. Furthermore, Mercury ensures a smooth flow of operations, guaranteeing high quality service with exceptional results due to its extensive relationship with major consultants, government agencies, as well as large and small contractors.

In early 2009, Mercury entered the Abu Dhabi market by performing the waterproofing, heat insulation and light weight concrete services of the renowned Yas Island Race Track, home to the Formula One Abu Dhabi Grand Prix. Mercury worked alongside the consultant Tilke & Partners in this project to design and modify systems for special areas of the development.

Mercury's quality in service is an internationally unique achievement and is clearly marked in prestigious developments throughout the Kingdom of Bahrain.

The company's history, leadership in customer service, and commitment to clients has prepared Mercury to face demanding challenges and enhance its capabilities in the industry.





# Waterproofing

Mercury is engaged in the use of a wide range of waterproofing and industrial materials to the highest international standards.

## ► Importance of Waterproofing

Damage caused by poor water protection is the second major cause of a building's decay and deterioration. A concrete structure needs suitable waterproofing, as concrete itself will never be entirely watertight on its own. Water entering or escaping from any structure will cause undesired effects and risks. If the problem persists, damage to the structure, building material and contents is inevitable. Furthermore, projects with inadequate protection from water leakages have a considerably shorter life span when exposed to moisture or emersion over a prolonged period of time.



## ► Our Solution

Mercury offers a wide range of waterproofing and damp proofing solutions with guarantees of up to 25 years. We provide services to all areas of the structure including concrete protection, tanking of underground structures, lake lining, wet areas (balconies, bathrooms, lakes etc) and roofs. We have the most qualified, professional and experienced teams in the Kingdom, and are capable of attending to all waterproofing needs. Mercury only uses approved Bituminous, PVC, HDPE and Polyurethane products of the highest standards to ensure unparalleled quality.

## ► The Mercury Novel System

Developed by our engineering staff in 1996, the Mercury Novel System has received industrial recognition for its durability and cost effectiveness. The system consists of heat insulation, waterproofing as well as lightweight concrete, and gives up to 25 years guarantee on material and workmanship. Approximately 150,000m<sup>2</sup> is covered by the Mercury Novel System every year.





# Heat Insulation

Mercury's heat insulation services consist of directly spraying Polyurethane foam on the roof slab using specialized machinery. We also provide the option of using Polystyrene boards, ranging from 40mm and up to 150mm in thickness, with the boards either laid loose for the inverted roof system or mechanically fastened for special applications.

Our high experienced team works on an average area of over 300,000m<sup>2</sup> per year. Our clients for this service include the Ministry of Housing, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Public Works, Ministry of Defense Special Projects and most of the well-recognized consultants in the Kingdom.



# Lightweight Foam Concrete

The lightweight foam concrete is the perfect medium to establish a light yet stable roofing screed to attain the required slope necessary for rain water drainage. Using sophisticated machinery and pumping equipment, the lightweight foam concrete is produced on site. The use of this material, if properly applied, can give a screed with densities as low as 400-850 kg/m<sup>3</sup> rather than the usual screed density of 2400 kg/m<sup>3</sup>. This significantly reduces the overall load on the building's structure.





# Construction & Maintenance

With over 20 years experience in Bahrain, this division plays a major role in Mercury's activities and has acquired a well-established infrastructure. The Construction division is in charge of the construction of major projects, multi-story buildings, villas, as well as steel structure pre-design buildings for factories and warehouses. The Maintenance division handles roofing works, painting, carpentry, masonry, plumbing and several other general maintenance works. Mercury has undertaken many prestigious construction projects such as the ASRY Staff Accommodation Building, Diplomat Hotel Staff Accommodation, Bahrain National Guard, and the DEEKO factory.

## Divisions and Services



## Fire Protection

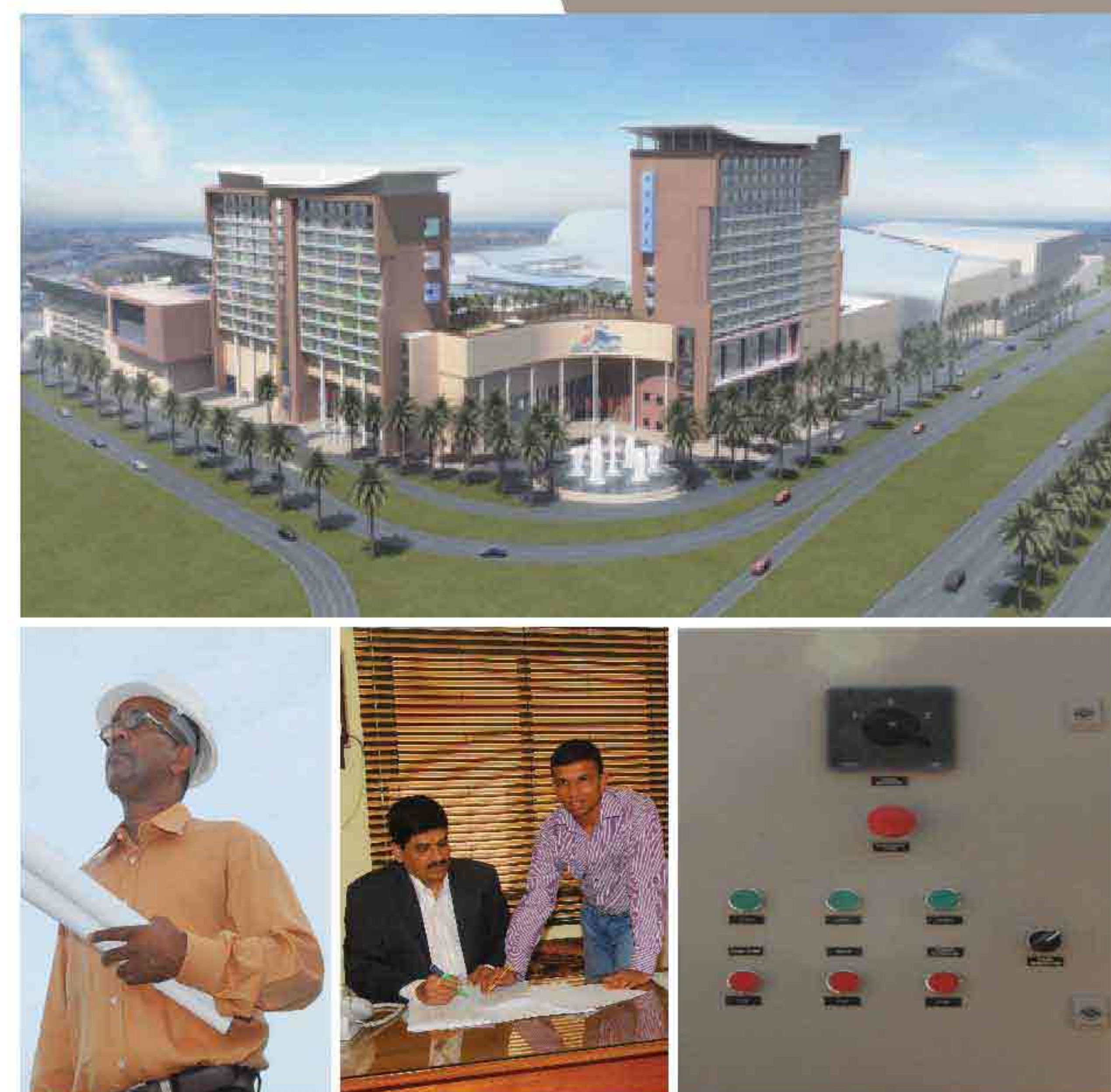
This division, established in 1995, was created for the purpose of providing protection to steel structured buildings with respect to the required fire rating imposed by the Civil Defense Department. The main protective coating materials used by Mercury are the following:

### ► Cementitious Products

Mercury uses sophisticated machinery and a well trained workforce for the application of Asbestos fiber and fiber migration free non-carcinogenic fireproofing material, a well-recognized product used widely throughout the world including GCC countries. This material is regularly used in areas that are concealed in the final phases of construction.

### ► Intumescent Coating

The intumescent fireproofing coating materials are mainly used for steel structured projects requiring a decorative finish. The procedure is performed by using an airless spray machine. Mercury has successfully completed many major projects using this material including the National Bank of Bahrain headquarters and the Gulf Air Safety and Survival Hanger.





# Trading

This division deals mainly with the supply and installation of specialized engineering products. Mercury deals with a vast range of materials associated with the waterproofing and building industry such as membranes, sealants, liquid applications, concrete protection material, geo textile, and heat insulation products. These high quality products are imported from various parts of the world, mainly the United Kingdom, Germany, Netherlands, Italy, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates.



# After-sales Service

Our valued clients are entitled to our after-sale service, consisting of a dedicated team of waterproofing technicians available on a 24 hour basis throughout the week. Due to this determination and the prompt service of our after-sales support center, Mercury achieved a remarkable reputation in the construction industry.





## PROJECT LIST

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| Project   | Consultant                       |
|---|----------------------------------|
| King Hamad General Hospital   | Australian Hospital Design Group |
| Raffles City, Bahrain Bay   | MSCEB                            |
| Bahrain City Center Shopping Mall   | Mott Macdonald                   |
| Harbour Towers, Bahrain Financial Harbour                                   | Janahi Architect                 |
| Bahrain International Circuit<br>(Formula One Bahrain Grand Prix Racetrack) | Tilke & Partners                 |
| Harbour Mall, Bahrain Financial Harbour                                     | Janahi Architect                 |
| Gulf Air Safety & Survival Hanger   | Mazen Al Umran ( MACE )          |
| Domina Hotel, Al Areen  | Hill                             |
| Riffa Views Signature Estates   | MSCEB                            |
| Durrat Al Bahrain   | WS – Atkins                      |
| Jumeirah Al Salam Resort  | Atkins                           |
| Banyan Tree Spa and Resort, Al Areen  | Ansari Engineering               |
| Almoayyed Tower   | MACE / FNC-Bahrain               |
| Gulf Air Headquarters   | Gredico Ansari                   |
| Citibank Headquarters   | MSCEB                            |



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| GOSI Shopping Complex                         | Ahmed Abubaker Janahi  |
| Hidd Port Building                            | ACE Almoayeed          |
| Era Tower, Seef District                      | Syr Consultant         |
| Bahrain Chamber of Commerce Tower             | Arif Sadiq Design      |
| Y.K. Almoayyed & Sons Nissan Showroom         | Modern Architect       |
| Ebrahim K. Kanoo Toyota Showroom              | MSCEB                  |
| Tala Island, Amwaj Island                     | Davenport Campbell     |
| Abraj Al Lulu                                 | Cowi Almoayeed         |
| Mercure Grand Hotel                           | Modern Architect       |
| National Bank of Bahrain Headquarters         | MSCEB                  |
| Mövenpick Hotel                               | MSCEB                  |
| Sitra Shopping Mall                           | Yousif Saoud Al Sayegh |
| United States Navy Facilities                 | U S Navy Eng. Deprt.   |
| Kuwait Finance House Car Showroom             | Modern Architect       |
| Bahrain Defense Force Hospital                | BDF                    |
| Bahrain Petroleum Company (BAPCO)             | MSCEB                  |
| Aluminum Bahrain (ALBA)                       | Alba Eng. Deprt.       |
| Bahrain Ship Building & Repair Yard (ASRY)    | United Engineering     |
| AMA International University, Salmabad Campus | Saleh Al Kooheji       |

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