



## Mercury Engineering Group

2003 - Due to increasing demands for services in the **Russian** region, Mercury sets up an office in Moscow.

2003 - The number of direct-hire staff at Mercury exceeds 2,000..

2004 - Mercury becomes increasingly well established in the Middle Eastern region thanks to high profile projects such as the Museum of Islamic Art, the Medical University Bahrain (RCSI) and the **Bahrain** World Trade Centre.

2005 - Mercury **Poland** completes the mechanical services installation on the prestigious Rondo ONZ. This 194m, forty storey, 100,000m<sup>2</sup> office tower is located in Warsaw, Poland.

2005 - Mercury wins its fourth multi-million euro contract in the Middle East with the successful tender for the complete mechanical, electrical and plumbing (MEP) package on **Qatar** Foundations Science & Technology Park (QSTP).

2005 – Mercury completes the Fruit of the Loom project in **Morocco**.

2006 - Mercury further establishes its service offering through its involvement in several key infrastructural projects, namely the Dublin Port Tunnel, Airtricity Wind Farms and Shell's Corrib Gas Terminal Facility.

2007 - Mercury opens a new office in central London to service the demands from a growing **United Kingdom** client base.

2008 - The RCSI, **Bahrain** opens its doors to 650 students, ably demonstrating Mercury's management contracting capabilities. Mercury secures the maintenance contract on the Museum of Islamic Art project.

2010 Mercury expands its operations in the Middle East, opening a new office in Abu Dhabi to complement its existing offices in **Manama and Doha**.

As Financial Controller, you are being asked to prepare a report for the board that considers the following matters with recommendations on the approach to adopt in relation to the group's international financial strategy:

1. Corporate structures to adopt
2. International HR issues
3. Taxation matters
4. Other financial issues