

U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

**Amendment to Registration Statement  
Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of  
1938, as amended**

**INSTRUCTIONS.** File this amendment form for any changes to a registration. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic amendment to registration statement and uploading any supporting documents at <http://www.fara.gov>.

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1. Name of Registrant  Mercury	2. Registration No.  6170
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3. This amendment is filed to accomplish the following indicated purpose or purposes:

- To give a 10-day notice of change in information as required by Section 2(b) of the Act.
- To correct a deficiency in
- Initial Statement
- Supplemental Statement for the period ending \_\_\_\_\_
- Other purpose (*specify*) \_\_\_\_\_
- To give notice of change in an exhibit previously filed.

4. If this amendment requires the filing of a document or documents, please list:

5. Each item checked above must be explained below in full detail together with, where appropriate, specific reference to and identity of the item in the registration statement to which it pertains. (*If space is insufficient, a full insert page must be used.*)

Renewal with the Embassy of the State of Qatar through 3/31/2017

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**EXECUTION**

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

(Print or type name under each signature or provide electronic signature<sup>1</sup>)

January 30, 2017

/s/ John Vin

eSigned

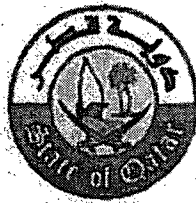
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<sup>1</sup> This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.

EMBASSY OF THE  
STATE OF QATAR  
Washington, DC



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December 20, 2016

Ref:

Mercury Public Affairs LLC  
14502 North Dale Mabry Hwy, Suite 104  
Tampa, FL 33618  
Attn: Bibi Rahim

Dear Mr. Rahim:

This refers to the Consulting Services Agreement (the "Agreement") between the Embassy of the State of Qatar and Mercury Public Affairs LLC, effective January 1, 2015, as amended.

This will confirm our mutual agreement to extend the Term of the Agreement for the period commencing January 1, 2017 and expiring on March 31, 2017.

The Fees payable to Mercury during the period January 1 through March 31, 2017 shall be \$100,000 per month, payable monthly on January 1, February 1, and March 1, 2017. Expenses in excess of \$1,000 per month shall not be reimbursed unless Mercury receives written approval from the Embassy prior to incurring such expenses.

Except as expressly stated herein, nothing in this letter shall alter or amend the terms of the Agreement, as amended. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Consultant and the Client reserve their respective rights under Paragraph 3 of the Agreement to terminate the Agreement without cause at any time, effective 30 days after written notice.

If these terms are agreeable, please confirm by adding your signature below, and returning a signed original version of this letter to me.

We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

For the Embassy of the State of Qatar

AGREED:

For Mercury Public Affairs LLC  
TOM DOHERTY, PARTNER

Date: 12/20/16