February 1, 2024

David Farnsworth Chief Financial Officer Mercury Systems, Inc. 50 Minuteman Road Andover, MA 01810

Re: Mercury Systems,

Inc.

Form 10-K for the

Year Ended June 30, 2023

File No. 001-41194

Dear David Farnsworth:

 $\label{eq:weak_equation} \text{We have limited our review of your filing to the financial statements and related}$ 

disclosures and have the following comments.

 $$\operatorname{Please}$  respond to this letter within ten business days by providing the requested

information or advise us as soon as possible when you will respond. If you do not believe a  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right)$ 

 $\,$  comment applies to your facts and circumstances, please tell us why in your response.

 $$\operatorname{\mathtt{After}}$  reviewing your response to this letter, we may have additional comments.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements Note B. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies Revenue Recognition, page 55

We note that for over time contracts, you typically leverage the input method, using a cost-to-cost measure of progress. Changes in estimates are applied retrospectively and when adjustments in estimated contract costs are identified, such revisions may result in current period adjustments to earnings applicable to performance in prior periods. Please revise future filings to disclose the change in contract estimates that impacted operating profits for each year presented pursuant to ASC 250-10-50-4. Also, please revise your disclosure in MD&A to provide the gross amount of favorable and unfavorable adjustments to contract estimates to complete for each period presented. To the extent material, please revise your disclosure to address such circumstances, accompanied by an appropriate level of analysis of the underlying reasons for the significant changes. We believe such disclosure will give investors more insight to the estimation process associated with your contracts, as discussed in Critical Accounting Estimates, David Farnsworth FirstName LastNameDavid Farnsworth Mercury Systems, Inc. Comapany1, NameMercury February 2024 Systems, Inc. February Page 2 1, 2024 Page 2 FirstName LastName separate potential impacts on your results. As part of your response,

with a copy of your intended revised disclosure.

2. We note your disclosure that the contract asset balance increased due to growth in revenue

recognized under contracts, as well as the timing of program milestone billings during the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{S}}$ 

fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. Please revise future filings to quantify each of the  $\,$ 

significant changes in the balance. Also, disclose the nature and status of amounts  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right)$ 

representing claims or other similar items subject to uncertainty concerning their

determination or ultimate realization, and any amounts that are expected to be  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left($ 

billed/collected after one year. See guidance in ASC 606-10-50-10 and Rule 5-02(3)(c) of

Regulation S-X.

## Note G. Goodwill, page 66

3. We note your disclosure that you performed the annual goodwill impairment test in the  $\,$ 

fourth quarter of fiscal 2023 with no impairment noted. Given the significance of your  $\,$ 

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operating results, please revise your notes to the financial statements in future filings to  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right$ 

address the following:

 $\,$  Provide a discussion of how goodwill and other intangible assets were tested in 2023,

including whether you performed a qualitative and/or quantitative test;

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Expand}}$  your disclosure to state whether or not the fair value of your reporting units

"substantially exceeds" the carrying value. To the extent any reporting unit fair values  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left$ 

are not substantially in excess of fair values, disclose the name of those reporting

units and the amount or percentage by which the fair value exceeds their carrying  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1$ 

value;

 $\qquad \qquad \text{Explain how you consider market capitalization in determining the estimated fair} \\$ 

values of the reporting units. Refer to ASC-350-20-35-3C;

Additionally, please revise your disclosure in the Critical Accounting Policies section of

 ${\tt MD\&A}$  to provide a more detailed description of the key assumptions you used to

estimate fair value of the reporting units during your impairment analysis, including how

the key assumptions were determined, and to discuss the degree of uncertainty associated  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left$ 

with the key assumptions, including material changes in the key assumptions during the

 $\,$  periods presented. Please provide us with a copy of your intended disclosure.

In closing, we remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1$ 

accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or

absence of action by the staff.

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Please contact Claire Erlanger at 202-551-3301 or Kevin Woody at 202-551-3629 with any questions.

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Sincerely,

Division of Corporation

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