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priorities. It enables posts to take a more consistent approach. I have also found no resistance from our partner-clients who understand and accept our position regarding the use of the BMA. Amongst the things that remain to be done is for the posts to come up with better budget estimates at the start of the mission, a skill which will be developed as we go along, helped perhaps by some future training."

So, has the BMA really lived up to its role?

Comments from BMA users certainly indicate that it is on the right track, although there are suggestions for modifications and improvements. According to the 2000 employee survey, 25% of staff had put the BMA

to use in its first six months. However, the only way to gauge the degree of success of the BMA is if MORE OF YOU share your BMA experiences with us.

What's your opinion of the BMA? Let us know and you could win a mystery prize! Go to the What's New section of Horizons to find out more.

How can you do this? Go to the What's New section of HORIZONS and follow the instructions. The tabulated results will be published in the next issue of TCS International. And, yes, an interesting mystery prize will be awarded, on the basis of a random draw, to one lucky person who registers their opinion on-line.

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