



## "Future of Parliament in the Arab World"

Partner: Cairo Center for Civic Education and Development (CCCED)

Date/ Place: 22. November 2009 / Nile Hotel – Alf Laila Room/ Cairo

### Program

09:00-09:30	<b>Registration</b>
09:30-10:00	<b><u>Opening Session:</u></b> <b>Dr. Abdul-Monem Al-Mashat</b> , Chairman, CCCED <b>Hussein El-Zeneiny</b> , Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Cairo <b>Mohamed Anwar Al-Sadat</b> , Former Member of the Egyptian Parliament
10:00-11:30	<b><u>First Session: Role of Parliament: Status &amp; Empowerment</u></b>
Chairperson:	<b>Dr. Shawki Al-Sayed</b> , Legal Expert and Member of the Egyptian Shura Council
Speaker:	<b>Reda Helal</b> , Lawyer & Civil Rights Activist <b>Amr Hashim</b> , Expert, Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies, Cairo
11:30-11:45	Coffee Break
11:45-13:15	<b><u>Second Session: Oversight &amp; Legislation Mechanisms</u></b>
Chairperson:	<b>Dr. Abdul-Monem Al-Mashat</b> , Chairman, CCCED
Speaker:	<b>Dr. Gamal Zahran</b> , Professor of Political Science & Parliament Member, Egypt <b>Youssef Zainal</b> , Lawyer, Member of Bahrain Parliament, Bahrain
13:15-13:30	Coffee Break
13:30-14:15	<b><u>Third Session: Draft Laws &amp; Role of Civil Society</u></b>
Chairperson:	<b>Mohamed Anwar Al-Sadat</b> , Former Member of the Egyptian Parliament
Speaker:	<b>Nihad Abul Komsan</b> , Lawyer and Women Activist <b>Mohamed Anwar Al-Sadat</b> , Former Member of the Egyptian Parliament
14:15-15:00	<b><u>Closing Session:</u></b> <b>Dr. Abdul-Monem Al-Mashat</b> , Chairman, CCCED <b>Mohamed Anwar Al-Sadat</b> , Former Member of the Egyptian Parliament
15:00-16:00	Lunch