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Dr. Abdel Monem Said Aly is the Chairman of the Board and CEO of Al Masry Al Youm Publishing House in Cairo since February 2013, and the Chairman of the Board, CEO, and Director of the Regional Center for Strategic Studies in Cairo since January 2012. He was the President of Al Ahram Center for Political & Strategic Studies in Cairo since 2009 to 2012 and the Chairman of the Board and CEO of Al Ahram Newspaper and Publishing House from 2009 to 2011. He has been a member of the Board at Al Ahram Institutions since 1999 to 2005 and the Director of Al Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies in Cairo from 1994 to 2009. He worked at the Ahram Center since 1975 as a researcher, senior researcher, head of the international relations research unit, and deputy director. He was a research fellow at the Brookings Institute, Washington DC in 1987 and summer of 2004 and a research fellow at the Belfer Center For Science and International Affairs – Harvard University in 2003.

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