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PRESIDENT Abdel Fattah El Sisi yesterday attended the opening of a major Egyptian international conference on petroleum industry technology. The president also toured the pavilions and stands where giant world oil and energy corporations exhibit their technological advances and expertise.

Accompanying President Sisi in opening the Egypt Petrol Show (EGYPS*2018) conference-cum-

exhibition were Prime Minister Sherif Ismail and a number of cabinet ministers and senior state officials, Presidency Spokesman Bassam Radi said in a statement yesterday.

The event saw strong international presence with the secretaries-general of the world's two major groupings of oil-producing countries, OPEC and OAPEC, together with the president of the World Petroleum Council present.

Also attending the EGYPS 2018 inauguration were oil and energy ministers of Algeria, South Africa and Venezuela as well as the chiefs of a number of international companies operating in petroleum and energy domains. The EGYPS 2018 is a platform for the exchange of views and expertise on aspects of oil and energy technologies. It also showcases the world's state-of-the-art technologies of relevance to oil and energy industries.