

## E-govt success in Egypt explained

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DUBAI - The success of the e-government in Egypt with the enterprise content management system was explained to senior government, corporate, banking and private sector executives at a seminar in Dubai.

The seminar was addressed by officials from the Egyptian cabinet's Information and Decision Support Centre (IDSC); Egyptian company Asset Technology Group, which developed the enterprise content management system named Jupiter; Oracle UAE; and Emirates Technology Company (Emitac), which organised the seminar at a local hotel.

Smart e-business solutions based on content management and how it can save investment when delivering e-business applications were discussed by the 70 participants from 35 organisation from all over the UAE. The businesses used to create manual files to store the information they received. Today, the Jupiter system provides a repository where all the contents of an organisation can be stored in a structured manner through secure computerised filing, the business officials and technical consultants were told. Emitac, which distributes and implements the system in the UAE, has completed the installation of the system in 36 departments of the Ministry of Interior in February this year.

Suhail Issa, Emitac CEO, said that his company was a leading solution integrator in the UAE, and one of the largest IT companies in the Middle East with regional operations to cover 8 countries. Eng. Essam El-Badry, Asset CEO, introduced his company as an industry leader for content management. Tarek Al Shahawy of Oracle said that Oracle IOG application server provided a reliable infrastructure for e-business applications. Emitac/Asset had undertaken an extensive market study of many business sectors and found that organisations are now undergoing major changes for offering world-class quality services and products. Organisations today are generating documents with increasing velocity and gaining control over structured and unstructured information is becoming critical. Business data is stored in many locations and in various formats; e-mails, multimedia, paper, forms, faxes and web documents.