



## **From the Gulf to Cairo: Repression made in the UK**

Egyptian president Abdelfattah el-Sisi is expecting red carpet treatment when he arrives on an official visit to Britain later this year. David Cameron and the Tory government will talk up trade and investment “opportunities”, while talking down the gross human rights abuses which have taken place under Sisi’s rule.

Sisi is bankrolled by the repressive regimes of the Gulf, who are also close allies of the UK. In Bahrain, the Al Khalifa monarchy tortures and arrests with impunity. Cameron's response? To accept the 'gift' of a new British naval base at Mina Salman, paid for Bahrain. Over the last 3 years the government has allowed the sale of arms worth £2bn to Saudi Arabia. Some of these are raining down on Yemen, the poorest country in the region.

**Join the protests against Sisi's visit!**

**Tell Cameron: Stop military exports to the  
repressive regimes of the Middle East**

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