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## **MP Kramp welcomes launch of new website to protect kids**

**Belleville, ON**— Daryl Kramp, Member of Parliament for Prince Edward-Hastings, welcomed the launch of the Canadian Centre for Child Protection’s new website “MissingKids.ca” – a website to help reduce the number of children who go missing in Canada each year.

“Education and awareness are keys to helping protect children”, said Mr. Kramp. “I believe the information in this website and the resources found there will help safeguard our community’s most vulnerable members.”

The Canadian Centre for Child Protection is a non-profit organization dedicated to the safety of all children. Along with a special resource for parents of missing children, the site content is designed to:

- Assist in locating missing children;
- Provide educational materials to help prevent children from going missing;
- Be a resource hub on missing children; and
- Coordinate efforts among stakeholders so they can deliver missing children services

The Government of Canada has made tackling crime and protecting children one of its highest priorities. Since 2006 there have been a number of measures passed in the House of Commons including:

- Raising the age of consent from 14 to 16 years;
- Strengthening the National Sex Offender Registry and National DNA Data Bank, to protect children from sexual predators;
- Strengthening measures to protect children from online sexual exploitation; and
- Limiting the granting of pardons to better reflect the severity of crimes committed, especially sexual crimes against children.

“Our government will always support initiatives which protect kids”, added Mr. Kramp. “I invite each and every one of my constituents to visit the [MissingKids.ca](http://MissingKids.ca) website.”