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INTERNATIONAL DRUG EDUCATION & AWARENESS SYMPOSIUM

BEFORE OUR COUNTRY ENTIRELY GIVES WAY TO PERMISSIVE DRUG LAWS THAT HAVE PROVEN TO INCREASE DRUG USE, ISN'T IT TIME TO EXAMINE ALTERNATIVE MODELS?

This is your invitation to join with the world's leading legal and medical experts at

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MAY 1-3, 2002 VANCOUVER, CANADA

IDEAS, the recently founded Drug Education & Awareness Society, with the support of Drug Free America Foundation Inc., has organized Canada's inaugural Symposium on the subject.

The IDEAS Symposium will identify the challenges of this issue while offering solutions tested by other governments that contradict the insidious propaganda that the world has lost the "War on Drugs".

Speakers with impeccable credentials will present knowledgeable perspectives on strategies of Prevention, Treatment, Law Enforcement and Harm Reduction, illustrating that with the right information and tools, drugs and the criminals that manage them CAN BE BEATEN!

Our invitation list is selective. We're inviting Canadians of influence - politicians and their advisors, senior public administrators, judges and magistrates, law enforcement officials, and leaders in education, business and communities-to a conference aimed at turning the tide in a war that is literally for the soul of our nation.

This is not a conference that intends to explore all sides of the question. The advocates of harm reduction, medical marijuana and permissive drug laws have been heard; they will have to find another forum, and we make no apology for their exclusion.

In order to attack this problem, we believe Canada has to question its most fundamental beliefs. Legal experts will challenge The Charter of Rights and Freedoms that now protects drug criminals in Canada. Medical experts will expose 'medical' marijuana for the dangerous carcinogen it is. International authorities will expose needle-exchange and other so-called 'harm reduction' policies for what they are - incentives to criminals and users that actually increase the incidence of HIV infection and addiction.

It's also time to counter the seductive influence of political correctness about drug abuse - that tolerance is the enlightened policy, that moderation is the lesser evil. These choices are statistically proven losers. Just as we must be determined to root out and defeat terrorism, so must we be willing to wage unilateral war on criminals and attitudes that would enslave Canadians with drugs.

These three days in May offer the most revealing exposure of drugs and drug laws in Canada, and could become the foundation for the development of new social and law enforcement policies to free our nation from the economic waste and human debasement of drug addiction.

**WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL JOIN US AT THIS IMPORTANT EVENT - AN EVENT THAT
COULD POSITION CANADA AS A LEADER IN EFFECTIVE DRUG POLICIES.**



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REGISTRATION

Please register early! Space is limited.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION:

DATE: May 1-3, 2002
LOCATION: Vancouver Convention & Exhibition Centre
FEES: \$425.00 (Cdn.) per person (GST included)
Includes Reception: May 1st;
Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner: May 2nd;
Breakfast, Lunch: May 3rd
PLUS...
Conference Materials

Payment Options: a) CHEQUE to accompany Registration Form
b) VISA CREDIT CARD Information on Registration Form

Please complete a separate Registration Form for each attendee (you may photocopy this form).

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