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**MP BEVINGTON HEADS TO
ARCTIC PARLIAMENTARIAN CONFERENCE**

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YELLOWKNIFE – Western Arctic Member of Parliament Dennis Bevington is one of two Canadian MPs attending the 2008 Conference of Arctic Parliamentarians in Fairbanks, Alaska next week.

Federal government representatives from 11 countries, including the United States, China, England, Iceland, Belgium and Denmark, will participate in the Conference August 12-14.

Items scheduled for discussion include Arctic Marine Policy, Human Health in the Arctic Region, Energy Resources in the Arctic, and Adaptation to Climate Change.

“I look forward to discussing and debating these issues in an international forum. It will be very interesting to hear ideas and theories from the panel of experts scheduled to present, especially on the subjects of climate change and the development of rural energy resources,” said Bevington.

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To schedule an interview with MP Bevington in Fairbanks, or to obtain a copy of the conference agenda, please contact:

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