



Media Advisory
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**The Chamber Presents the Honourable Chuck Strahl,
Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development**

"Canada's Aboriginal People – Helping to Grow Our Labour Market"

Calgary, AB – Join us as the Honourable Chuck Strahl discusses the role of government, businesses and non-profits to enhance Aboriginal participation in the economy and increase the prosperity of all Canadians. The Minister will also provide an update on proposed specific claim legislation, which could improve certainty for businesses seeking to operate on disputed land.

About the speaker:

Chuck Strahl was first elected to Parliament in 1993. In 2004, Mr. Strahl was selected by his parliamentary colleagues to serve as Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons and Chairman of Committees of the Whole. Previous to becoming Deputy Speaker, Mr. Strahl was Critic for Democratic Reform, for Northern Economic Development, for Cultural Industries, for the Deputy Prime Minister, for Industry and for the Leader of the Government in the House of Commons.

**WHERE: Calgary Chamber of Commerce
100 6th Avenue S.W.**

WHEN: April 11, 2008, 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m. Breakfast Presentation
9:00 a.m. Brief media availability

About the Chamber:

The Calgary Chamber of Commerce is a volunteer driven, not-for-profit, and non-partisan advocacy group whose mission is to lead and serve the Calgary business community, valuing its diversity.

On critical and emerging issues in public policy, the Chamber acts as the leading forum for debate, and advocates public policy solutions that improve the business climate on behalf of our members.

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