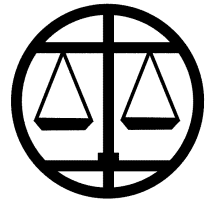


# NewsRelease



## PRESS CONFERENCE TOMORROW ON BORDER IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS AND ID POLICY

Vancouver – The **B.C. Civil Liberties Association**, in association with the **London School of Economics** and the **American Civil Liberties Union** will hold a press conference Friday, December 8, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. to comment on the challenges for Canadian identity policy and new border-crossing requirements.

With growing concerns regarding border management, terrorism, illegal immigration and travel security, governments are increasingly looking to new technologies and identification techniques.

Prior to a research workshop that brings together government, industry, academics and non-governmental organizations, representatives from Canada, the UK and the US will comment on the economic and cultural repercussions of changing ID policies.

The press conference:

Date: **Friday, December 8, 2006**

Time: **10:00 a.m.**

Place: **Alan & Margaret Eyre Boardroom (Rm 2050), Simon Fraser University - Harbour Centre  
515 West Hastings Street, Vancouver**

The press conference will include comments by:

- **Simon Davies**, of the London School of Economics and Political Science
- **Gus Hosein**, of the London School of Economics and Political Science
- **Barry Steinhardt**, Director of the Technology and Liberty Program, American Civil Liberties Union
- **Micheal Vonn**, Policy Director of the British Columbia Civil Liberties Association.

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