



Community Advocacy & Legal Centre

PRESS RELEASE

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BANCROFT OFFICE ON THE MOVE!

As of March 1, 2012 our office will be re-locating to 23 Bridge Street West

The Community Advocacy & Legal Centre Bancroft satellite office will continue to provide scheduled appointments and a monthly drop-in at the new location.

On the second Tuesday of every month from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. a staff lawyer will be present to assist clients with legal information, assistance and advice in the following areas of law: tenant rights, social assistance (Ontario Works and Ontario Disability Support Plan), human rights, Criminal Injuries Compensation, employment law, Canada Pension Plan Disability, Employment Insurance, special education issues, and consumer law. The clinic cannot give legal information or advice in criminal, family or real estate matters.

Watch for LEARN LAW columns in local newspapers. LEARN LAW is being provided as a public service to improving access to justice and legal information for people who live in small urban and rural and remote areas of Eastern Ontario. Columns are written by the Legal Education & Advocacy Regional Network (LEARN) and will cover topics like family law, rights at work, wills and powers of attorney, consumer problems and rental housing issues. LEARN column writers include local lawyers and the staff of community legal clinics and Legal Aid Ontario.

The Community Advocacy & Legal Centre is a non-profit community legal clinic funded by Legal Aid Ontario. The clinic was founded in 1980 and is currently staffed by lawyers, community legal workers, law clerks and support staff. We serve low income residents of Hastings, Prince Edward and Lennox & Addington counties. Our main office is in Belleville, with satellite locations in Trenton, Picton, Napanee, Bancroft and Madoc.

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