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ALERT arrests Calgary man on three child pornography charges

Calgary...Alberta Law Enforcement Response Teams' Integrated Child Exploitation unit (ICE) has charged a Calgary man with three child pornography related offences after police searched his home and his business and seized several pieces of computer equipment.

Daniel James CLAYTON, 28, was arrested in April following an investigation which originated with the Toronto Police Service. It is alleged that CLAYTON was in possession of child pornography, accessing child pornography and making child pornography available to an undercover police officer. CLAYTON was arrested without incident.

CLAYTON made his first court appearance in Calgary in April and was released from custody on numerous conditions, including that he not access the Internet or be in contact with children under the age of 16. CLAYTON's next court appearance is scheduled for November 16, 2010.

The police investigation continues. If you have any additional information pertaining to CLAYTON, please contact Detective Dean Jacobs at 403-206-5722.

The southern Alberta ICE unit is part of the Alberta Law Enforcement Response Teams (ALERT) and specializes in the investigation of sexual exploitation of children through the Internet.

ALERT is an umbrella organization established by the Government of Alberta to bring together the province's most sophisticated law enforcement resources to tackle serious and organized crime. Close to 400 municipal police, RCMP and sheriffs work collaboratively for ALERT. For more information about ALERT, please visit: www.alert-ab.ca.

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