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Media Advisory

Goddard to Celebrate Consumer Protection Month at East Valley Scam Jam

(Phoenix, Ariz. – March 5, 2009) Attorney General Terry Goddard will kick off Consumer Protection Month at the Arizona Fraud Prevention Coalition's annual Scam Jam. The event will take place Friday at the Red Mountain Active Adult Center in Mesa from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Goddard will speak just after 11:30 a.m.

Goddard will discuss common frauds and scams targeting Arizona's seniors including foreign lottery scams, identity theft and the "grandparent scam." Other speakers will include local professionals who will discuss identity theft prevention, home repairs, Medicare and personal investing.

A shredding truck will be on site from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Each visitor may bring up to one box of documents to be shredded at no charge at the event.

Event Information:

- What: Arizona Fraud Prevention Coalition
Annual Scam Jam
- When: Friday, March 6
- Time: 9:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Goddard will speak at approximately 11:30 a.m.
- Where: Red Mountain Active Adult Center
7550 E. Adobe Rd.
Mesa, Ariz.
- Note: A copy of the event flyer is attached

Additional Consumer Protection Month materials are available on the Attorney General's Web site, www.azag.gov.

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