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PRESS RELEASE

Please help us to warn and protect the elderly and other vulnerable people in our community

PROSPECTIVE CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT for North Devon, Philip Milton is again keen to lend his support to the “Think Jessica Campaign” to help promote the use of a poster designed to warn “Silver Surfers” and others of the dangers of responding to emails and telephone calls telling them they have mysteriously won something. The posters, which have been designed in co-operation with both the Serious Organised Crimes Agency and Trading Standards, are intended for display in Village and Community Halls where vulnerable groups hold meetings or have supported on-line access.

Says Philip:

“Whilst the crime itself is merely the current manifestation of a form of fraud which dates back over five hundred years it is something that can easily affect everyone. I was amazed that in his final years my own father, when failing in health, suddenly seemed to think that such claims could be for real and was prepared to part with previously hard earned cash in order to gain fictitious prizes.”

Should anyone wish to find out more about this campaign or obtain one of these posters please do contact Philip and he will be delighted to assist.

ENDS

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