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Press Call with General Arlen Jameson, Rev. Tyler Wigg-Stevenson, Ben Chang on New START Passage and Major New Ad Campaign Draws National Attention, Considerable Discussion

AVN's Multi-State Campaign Anchored by "Daisy Ad" Remake is Launched and Active in 5 States

Arlington, VA--American Values Network (AVN) yesterday hosted a press call announcing its new ad and outreach campaign in Arizona, Tennessee, Ohio, Florida, and Mississippi highlighting the need for immediate ratification of New START. Speakers were National Security Council's Ben Chang, General Arlen Jameson, Rev. Tyler Wigg-Stevenson and AVN Executive Director, Eric Sapp, who provided their perspectives and answered questions from the media on why ratification of the treaty in lame duck is vital from a policy, security, and moral perspective.

COMMENTS MADE DURING THE CALL:

Ben Chang, Spokesman for the National Security Council: "This is a priority for us [the White House] but not as a political priority, as a national security priority . . . It's not a Democratic concept, it's not a Republican concept and the time to do this is now. .. We couldn't put a finer point on the fact that every day that goes by that this treaty is not ratified is a day that we do not have verification on the ground with Russia"

Rev. Tyler Wigg-Stevenson, Founder of the Two