

# Peace Alliance Action Sheet

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## Build International Peace - Support S.1158

The clear message we invite you to send to Congress is **PROMOTE WHAT WORKS!!**

This bill would –

- a. Authorize interagency coordination for atrocities prevention
- b. Authorize funding for this purpose
- c. Authorize training for Foreign Service Officers in atrocities prevention, and
- d. Authorize the Intelligence Community to focus on atrocities prevention

### STEPS:

Look on congress.gov – search s.1158 to see if your senator is already a co-sponsor (there are 24!). If they are – please thank them, and encourage them to be a champion! (To continue to give this bill their full, outspoken support!)

If either of your senators is not yet a co-sponsor, ask them to become one.

Ask your two Senators to:

Co-sponsor the new bi-partisan Senate bill on atrocities prevention (introduced May 17<sup>th</sup>) Led by Senators Cardin, Rubio, Young, Murkowski, and about 17 others,

### **Congressional Switchboard: 202-224-3121**

Sample Script:

“Hello, please connect me with Senator \_\_\_\_\_’s office?”

“Hi, my name is \_\_\_\_\_.

“I am a constituent, from \_\_\_\_\_ (city, state).

“There is a bill on atrocities prevention which was just introduced May 17<sup>th</sup> in the Senate. This bill would (see above a. through d.).

“Please ask the Senator to contact Senator (Cardin’s if Democrat, Rubio’s if Republican) office, and become a co-sponsor of this important legislation. Thank you!