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## PRESS RELEASE

In response to several inquiries concerning the purported "Live" exorcism that will take place this evening on the cable network "Destination America," the Chancery of the Archdiocese of the United States of the Old Catholic Church in the United States under the Synod of Bishops of the Old Catholic Confederation makes the following statements of clarification:

First, this individual who will perform the exorcism is not a bishop of the Old Catholic Church in the United States, the National Church under the canonical authority of the Synod of Bishops of the Old Catholic Confederation.

Second, the Synod of Bishops of the Old Catholic Confederation condemns the idea of an exorcism that would be performed as entertainment on live television.