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**RISING STAR AYANIS REVEALS LATEST COLLABORATION WITH QUEEN NAIJA “LIL BOI (BIG TALK)”**

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Island Prolific/Atlantic Records recording artist Ayanis has marked the start of 2020 with melodic new release, “Lil Boi (Big Talk)” featuring rising R&B star Queen Naija. The sultry single is available now on all digital retailers and streaming platforms [HERE](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fayanis.lnk.to%2FLilBoiBigTalkPR&data=02%7C01%7CAlyssa.Reddish%40atlanticrecords.com%7C93c8dfadb73145a62f1108d7a661e0d1%7C8367939002ec4ba1ad3d69da3fdd637e%7C0%7C0%7C637160811626336359&sdata=FGi4g0Xmc7wxZ4lxWTToFCP9yMU%2BhzvP5AF0G4b9woU%3D&reserved=0). The melodic release is accompanied by a stunning visual, featuring both of the rising R&B stars; watch [HERE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DvDH2-G77-0&feature=youtu.be).

The release follows her earlier collaboration with acclaimed rapper and labelmate Wiz Khalifa, “[One Night](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DLORlGwdD_n0&data=02%7C01%7CAlyssa.Reddish%40atlanticrecords.com%7Ce77ab1b9d67547576a4d08d79ea27d08%7C8367939002ec4ba1ad3d69da3fdd637e%7C0%7C0%7C637152293109041519&sdata=wKpkGXoXe3HaTFZGnKG8eincnL9D%2B%2BWlRoigdxDZO%2Fo%3D&reserved=0).” The hot track was accompanied by an enticing companion visual, directed by Brad Wong, showcasing the artist’s seductive melodies in a number of colorful settings. “'One Night' represents a mature side of me as well as a sultry, intimate, personal side."

The single was preceded by her debut EP, *DIRECTION*, which included acclaimed tracks “[Awh Yeh](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DFJUiq8GKyc8&data=02%7C01%7CAlyssa.Reddish%40atlanticrecords.com%7Ce77ab1b9d67547576a4d08d79ea27d08%7C8367939002ec4ba1ad3d69da3fdd637e%7C0%7C0%7C637152293109181433&sdata=qYdKUD7UeO3E81ng96KQRiRQz91fKlijBdK7VoPurd0%3D&reserved=0)” and “[F.I.Y.T. (Fuck Is You Thinking)](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DxhwaZocwy48&data=02%7C01%7CAlyssa.Reddish%40atlanticrecords.com%7Ce77ab1b9d67547576a4d08d79ea27d08%7C8367939002ec4ba1ad3d69da3fdd637e%7C0%7C0%7C637152293109191424&sdata=sKhc0c8ldvP7TYXnr4zRSmwnVgo8qZtqjxzgEuzPu8g%3D&reserved=0).” In 2018, Ayanis made her debut on the “Access Granted: HBCU Tour” presented by Atlantic Records and Live Nation Urban. She joined labelmates Bri Steves, RecoHavoc and K’ron while visiting select Historically Black Colleges and Universities along the east coast. BET helped celebrate the month-long trek and highlighted the rising R&B singer with an exclusive tour diary available for viewing [here](https://nam04.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3D2AKxOIYq2bE%26t%3D2s&data=02%7C01%7CAlyssa.Reddish%40atlanticrecords.com%7Ce77ab1b9d67547576a4d08d79ea27d08%7C8367939002ec4ba1ad3d69da3fdd637e%7C0%7C0%7C637152293109191424&sdata=TyMxA7ntvJVk6B6cAwqJNQrwEbTeCq9Yg2FhSoOnsZo%3D&reserved=0).

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