



Please Ban Ivory Trade
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Dear members of the Legislative Council,

I am greatly concerned by the recent rapid decline in the number elephants in the world. Elephants have already become an endangered species. We urge the Hong Kong government to effect an immediate total ban on the ivory trade to avoid the animals' extinction.

It is a disgrace that Hong Kong is now key transit point for the illicit trade in ivory from Africa to China. More than 20,000 elephants are being cruelly killed each year for their tusks.

Without intervention, elephants will become extinct because of human greed and stupidity. We cannot sit by and do nothing. We all have a responsibility to make sure the elephant survives. We urge the government not to wait but to pass the bill banning the ivory trade immediately.

your sincerely,

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A concerned citizen of Hong Kong