

Ivory trade should be banned Casey CHU to: bc_06_16

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Dear Legco,

I urge you to pass the bill on the ivory trade. By banning the domestic market of ivory could really aid with reviving the population of elephants. In the last 50 years, the number of elephants has been halved and the number is still shrinking fast due to the infamous ivory trade. Elephants are wondrous creatures and because of us humans, their numbers are rapidly shrinking. With Hongkong being on of the topic hot spots for ivory trade, shutting down the commercial sale of it would really make a difference. If you do nothing, in a few years time what now is an animal walking on the face of the earth may never be seen again. How ever there is an alternative, a glimpse of hope that could allow us to once again see these beautiful creatures in a few years time.

I really hope you take what I have said into consideration the final decision will not only greatly affect the continuing of a well-known species of animals that have walked the earth for a very long time but also may determine the future of us.

Yours Thankfully,

A Citizen of Hong Kong