



**elephants**

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Dear legco members,

For the past few decades there has been a huge issue on killing elephants for ivory. However there hasn't been enough supporters and citizens that are interested in taking some actions for these innocent creatures. Ivory has been very popular from before but also in the present; despite the fact that an abundant amount of elephants are suffering from the pain of their tusks being removed.

I would like to make a difference. I think that compensating ivory should be banned no matter at what circumstances. All animals including elephants should be treated equally. The consequence if someone murders another person in our society, the results is that the person would go to jail or receive a punishment. The same should go to elephants and all animals in our world. This would help decrease the percentage of elephants getting killed.

- Hye Ryeo