

From: Janice Jensen <>

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Dear Miss Lam,

I want to thank you for opening this forum to the general public. Although I run an animal welfare society, I originally became involved on a much more personal level. I currently have a Great Dane named Harley. He is nearly 200 lbs and about 47 inches tall from head to floor. Harley was the result of hobby breeding and while we were able to rescue Harley from near death, who knows what happened to his siblings. Today, Harley is our Ambassador for HK Animal Speak and can be seen regularly at The Barking Lot Cafe in Stanley working with children and adults. While I work 7 days a week to help educate the public on the right way to acquire and care for their pets, the laws have not always been supportive of these efforts. The proposed amendments regarding hobby breeding and the pet shop are major steps in the right direction to not only support animal welfare efforts but will help to cut down on the unwanted and abandoned animals that have often felt to be disposable in HK.

I thank you in advance for your time and consideration of the proposed amendments and hope you will help make the changes that will be instrumental to how we are able to protect our animals in the future.

Sincere regards,

Janice

