



**LegCo Elephants v Ivory Traders**

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Dear Legislative Councillors,

I SUPPORT the Government's plans to BAN the trading in Ivory.

This issue has been going on for ages...probably longer than even the cross-harbour tunnel fees conjecture.

The traders have had so long to adjust their businesses and contracts to the ending of ivory supply. But it appears that illegal ivory is still getting through the system. Some shops still a full of carved products.

Elephants are still being slaughtered.

An outright ban is called for, and in the circumstances the Government is right to reject any compensation. We live in a capitalist system, and there is no guarantee of jobs and trade when situations change naturally.

Yours sincerely

Roger Emmerton