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Dear Panel on Environmental Affairs, Hong Kong Legislative Council,

I support the Hong Kong Ivory Ban. I have been involved in work to save the elephants from extinction. I leave tomorrow for Botswana to shoot with a camera. As you know, 15 elephants die every hour to fill the world wide demand. Hong Kong is a huge trader in ivory. Elephant populations are decimated due to trade in ivory. They will become extinct if the trade is not stopped. Further, the supply side of ivory is an illegal market in the trillions. This must be stopped and stopping demand stops the killing.

Thank you so very much for your work on this issue. I support the ban on ivory and ask that the Hong Kong Legislative Council refrain from supporting any action that compensates ivory traders.

Kind regards,

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