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Dear Chairman,

I would like to express my support the government's proposal to

- Ban the import, re-export and possession of pre and post-Convention ivory for commercial purposes.
- Increase penalties for wildlife crime.

The government should not provide any form of compensation to ivory traders.

There are undeniable research and evidence wildlife crime is one of the world's lucrative illegal trade, and HK is one of the world's largest trading hub of illegally possessed ivory. Scientific analysis technologies such as carbon dating are available to debunk the false claims of the traders that their ivory are "pre-convention" stocks. This is outright lying and why should the government spend tax payer's money to compensate criminals who already benefit for years of killing wildlife from other countries.

Ivory trade and possession should be ban in Hong Kong once and forever! no compensation to any traders!

Best Regards, Hong Kong Citizen Wong Yu Ki

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