



Hong Kong Ivory Ban - Official Testimony Submission
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Dear Hong Kong Legislative Council:

I am a wildlife supporter who lives in Charlotte, North Carolina, in the United States of America.

It has been made known to me that you are considering issues relating to banning the sale and trade of ivory. I absolutely whole-heartedly support the Hong Kong Ivory Ban, and urge you to refrain from supporting ANY action that would allow ivory traders to be compensated.

Elephants around the world are currently under attack, on many fronts, but there is no attack more serious than the attacks being perpetrated by mankind. Elephants are sentient, incredible beings, who have complex intelligence and social relationships, and they deserve to live without fear of being hunted; however, hunting them for their ivory is what is driving them to the brink of extinction. One of the key factors in helping to protect them, is to remove ANY and ALL profit from the sale and trade of ivory - everywhere. You, the Hong Kong Legislative Council, have it in your power, to make a real difference, to help save our beloved elephants, by banning any and all profit from the sale and trade of elephant ivory. I sincerely hope that you will think about the consequences, for our elephants, and our world, when you are voting.

Our wildlife, around the world, is suffering decimation, and possible extinction, in many cases (including elephants), from mankind's insatiable greed and destruction – make the Council's vote, to protect elephants, be a beacon of light for the beginning of the change that we need to restore our elephants and wildlife, and our world, to the paradise that it was meant to be...

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
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