Dear Legislator:

Please support Rhode Island HB 7108, a bill that would prohibit the use of elephants, lions, tigers, or bears in any live performance or display, with the exception of accredited zoos. Performing animals, especially those used in circuses, typically live tormented lives. They spend most of their days in tiny cages or chained to stakes, forced to perform unnatural tricks by trainers who have been documented time and again beating them with bullhooks, whips, electric prods, and other devices. Several people have been injured and even killed by wild animals, who behave instinctively and unpredictably, particularly when subjected to such abuse. Please help protect our state's citizens and set these exotic creatures free by supporting this important legislation.

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