

**Feb. 20, 2020 Testimony for Environment Committee by Karen Laski
House Bill 5104**

Dear Chairs and Members of the Environment Committee,

My family and I support **House Bill 5104: AN ACT PROHIBITING THE
IMPORT, SALE AND POSSESSION OF AFRICAN ELEPHANTS, LIONS,
LEOPARDS, BLACK RHINOCEROS, WHITE RHINOCEROS AND GIRAFFES.**

This bill is a great move toward ensuring that these animals will have a greater chance of surviving and Connecticut will be on record as taking a step in the right direction.

Thank you for hearing this wonderful bill.

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