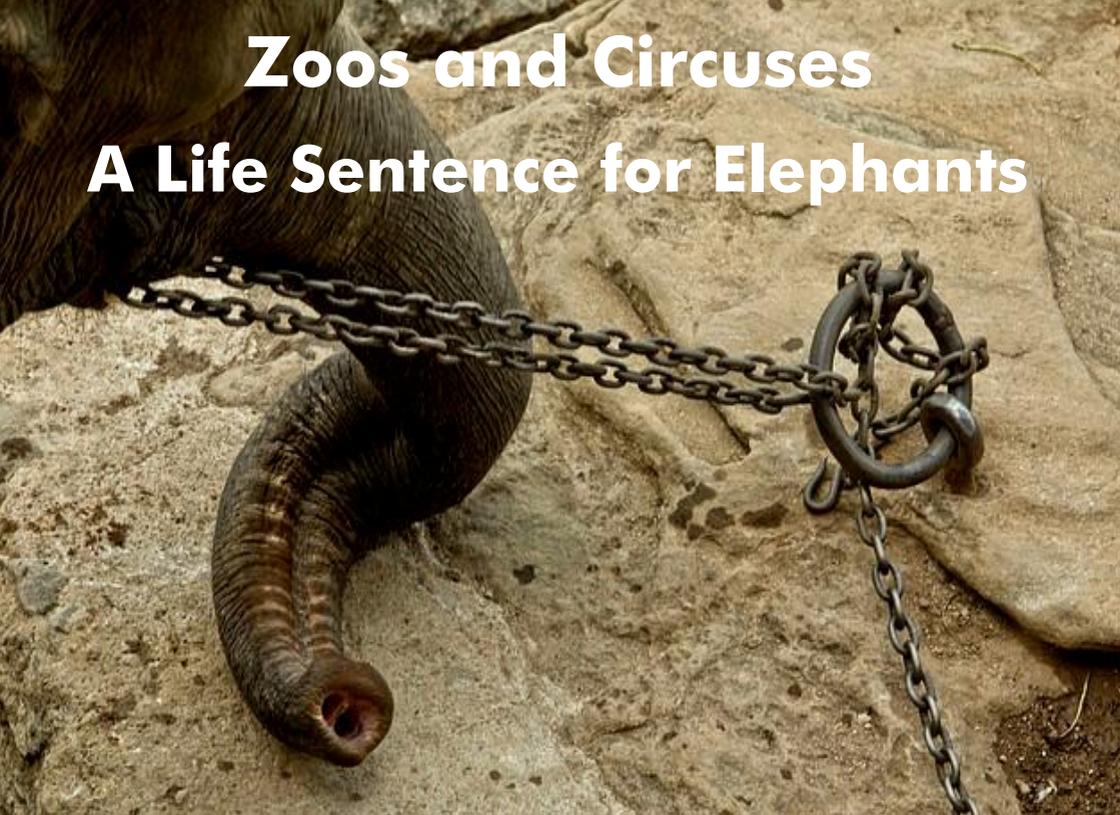


Zoos and Circuses

A Life Sentence for Elephants



Elephants are known to be exceptionally emotional and protective animals.

Life in circuses and zoos rids them of everything that is essential and important to them.

From captive to care-free, from sorrow to sanctuary, FIAPO's campaign is dedicated to making the dreams of all elephants come true by freeing them from slavery. We are educating all facets of the public, from ministers to school children, about the needs of elephants and the conditions they face in captivity.

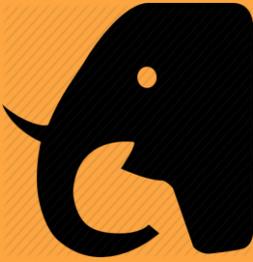
Most of us have not seen elephants outside of zoos and circuses, but it in no way makes it their natural home. Elephants are emotional and family oriented animals. They go for walks, bathe and play with their families in rivers. They even grieve when their loved ones die!

Make Dreams Come True

In contrast to their natural lifestyle, elephants in zoos and circuses are subjected to unnatural surroundings where they lead a dreary, dominated and restrained life. They show signs of depression like head swinging, pacing and sometimes even aggressiveness.

In your Circus nearby

In your Zoo nearby



Elephants are made to do unnatural tricks, live in dirty conditions, are tied and unable to move, beaten, whipped and tormented due to lack of adequate food and water.

Elephants are confined, stay depressed and mentally ill due to isolation and lack of company of other elephants and unavailability of food and water.

Want to make a difference?

Support our campaign to free elephants from confinement in zoos and circuses. **Take the Pledge** on our website to never visit zoos and circuses that enslave elephants. This way, you give the gift of freedom to these elephants and they can be rehomed to sanctuaries where they can live a healthy and happy life!

Please make a **donation** today **to gift freedom** to circus elephants. One act of kindness can change a life. Your support will ensure we are able to continue our vital work of rescuing elephants.

FIAPO is India's apex animal protection organization. As the collective voice of the animal protection movement in India, FIAPO is the catalyst which protects the interests of animals on local and national levels - through education, research, lobbying, mobilization, training and direct action. Created for the movement, by the movement, FIAPO is India's only national federation with over 60 members and 200 supporter organizations nationally.

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