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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure: HB3214

I am writing in support of HB3214, the ban on traveling animal acts. I feel very strongly about this issue.

By definition a traveling animal act requires animals to be on the road constantly going from location to location. They cannot engage in natural behaviors, they cannot roam, they are constantly confined - chained or caged and shipped like a piece of cargo. This is no life for a wild animal. In addition animals are controlled and trained with whips, bull hooks, electric shocks.

The animals suffer greatly.

This cruel institution is outdated and long overdue to be banned.

Thank you for your consideration.