



COUNTRY OF Norway)
)
PROVINCE OF Vestfold) ss :
)
MUNICIPALITY OF Sandefjord)

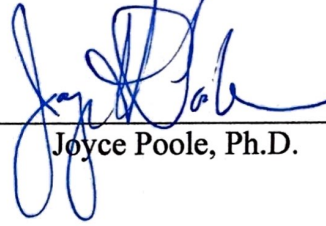
Supplemental Affidavit of Joyce Poole

Joyce Poole being duly sworn, deposes and says:

Introduction and Qualifications

1. My name is Joyce Poole. My background and qualifications are set out in my original affidavit in this matter.
2. I submit this affidavit in support of The Nonhuman Rights Project, Inc. (NhRP). I have personal knowledge of the facts to which I attest, and am not a party to this proceeding.
3. Elephants are highly intelligent, social animals. In elephant society an intricate network of relationships radiates outward from the mother-offspring bond through the extended family and the bond group, to clan, population and beyond to strangers, including the primary predatory threat to their survival: Humans. Some 300 documented behaviors, gestures and calls have evolved helping to mediate and maintain these relationships, to communicate over miles, and to direct extraordinarily coordinated bonding ceremonies and group defense.
4. Over millions of years elephants have roamed the earth as intelligent and social mammals, capable of planning, negotiating and engaging in collective decision making. Active more than 20 hours each day elephants move many miles across landscapes to locate resources to maintain their large bodies, to connect with friends and to search for mates. Elephants have evolved to move. Holding them captive and confined prevents them from engaging in normal, autonomous behavior and can result in the development of arthritis, osteoarthritis, osteomyelitis, boredom and stereotypical behavior. Held in isolation elephants become bored, depressed, aggressive, catatonic and fail to thrive. Human caregivers are no substitute for the numerous, complex social relationships and the rich gestural and vocal communication exchanges that occur between free-living elephants.
5. For elephants in captivity, especially those born into it or kept there for a majority of their lives, going back to the "wild" is unfortunately not an option. For these

elephants, human-run sanctuaries are currently the best option. And while a captive elephant is generally better off with the company of another elephant, this is at best a small comfort and no justification for the deprivation of autonomy and free movement that results.


Joyce Poole, Ph.D.

Sworn to before me
this ____ day of _____, 2018

Notary Public

The undersigned Notary Public hereby certifies that Joyce Hatheway Poole signed this document in my presence.

Sandefjord tingrett, 1 October 2018


Notary Public
Ailin Therese Ugland





APOSTILLE

(Convention de La Haye du octobre 1961)

1. Country: Norway
2. This public document has been signed by:
Ailin Therese Uglund
3. Acting in the capacity of:
Notary public
4. bears the seal/stamp of:
The Notarius publicus of Sandefjord

Certified

5. at Tønsberg
6. the 01.10.2018
7. by the Governor of the counties of
Vestfold
8. No 13150
9. Seal/stamp
10. Signature



Hildegunn Fagerheim

Hildegunn Fagerheim
executive officer

This Apostille only certifies the authenticity of the signature and the capacity of the person who has signed the public document, and, where appropriate, the identity of the seal or stamp which the public document bears. This Apostille does not certify the content of the document for which it was issued.