



**N O N H U M A N   R I G H T S   P R O J E C T**

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Re: Nonhuman Rights Project, Inc. v. Fresno's Chaffee Zoo Corporation and  
Jon Forrest Dohlin

Dear Mr. Casarrubias:

I am counsel for, and President of, the Nonhuman Rights Project, Inc (NhRP). I am writing to advise you that the NhRP is prepared to withdraw its habeas corpus petition on behalf of Amahle, Nolwazi, and Vusmusi if your clients agree to transfer the elephants, at no cost to them, to either the Performing Animal Welfare Society sanctuary in California or the AZA-certified Elephant Sanctuary in Tennessee. Should your clients agree, the NhRP will be happy to assist them in any way it can and will publicly convey its appreciation for their actions.

I look forward to hearing from you and hope that we can reach an agreement to secure the release of Amahle, Nolwazi, and Vusmusi to an elephant sanctuary as quickly as possible. Thank you.

Steven M. Wise, Esq.

\_\_\_\_/s/ Steven Wise\_\_\_\_

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