



The newsletter of the International Conservation Forum

WHAT'S NEW?

Welcome to the latest issue of **THE HORN**, the online newsletter of the **International Conservation Forum (ICF)**.

The world's few remaining tigers are being wiped out at an unprecedented rate. In November of 2010, the 13 countries where tigers still roam met in St. Petersburg, Russia for a four-day summit to launch a last ditch effort to save this magnificent animal. The meeting set out plans to protect tiger habitats and end illegal poaching of tigers in an effort to double the number of tigers left in the wild by 2022. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Please check out the articles and videos we are featuring in this issue and learn how you can help save tigers from extinction.

Dr. Keith Martin

is a physician and Canadian Member of Parliament who has worked extensively in the developing world to address challenges to human and environmental security.



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Bringing tigers back from the brink

Canadian MP, Dr. Keith Martin, advances international campaign to save this critically endangered species

It is hard to imagine a world without tigers. A century ago there were 100,000 tigers in the wild. Today their numbers have been decimated to fewer than 3,200 due to rampant poaching.

This catastrophic decline is a direct result of habitat destruction and relentless hunting for their skins,

bones, claws, and teeth, which are used to make ornaments and products that claim—falsely—to have medicinal value. We must [act now](#) before it is too late. Click here to find out what [you can do](#) to stop the carnage and [read this article](#) on why you should care about tigers becoming extinct.

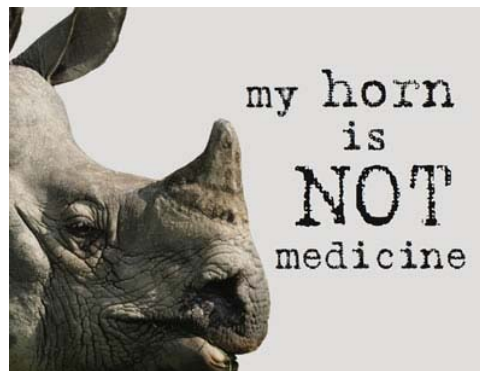


Urgent action is needed to stop tigers from becoming extinct

Naturopaths speak out: rhino horn, tiger parts are NOT medicine

Dr. Bob Bernhardt, President & CEO of the Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine, Canada's premier institute for naturopathic medicine, has unequivocally stated that we

must "halt the senseless poaching of rhinos and tigers for the purpose of harvesting body parts for reasons of no apparent medicinal value." Please [see his full letter here](#) and forward it to all your contacts interested in conservation.



Learn how YOU can fight the illegal tiger trade



Please [watch](#) and share this new video that highlights the cruelty of tiger poaching and what is being done to stop it. [Click here](#) to learn how you can [stop this illegal](#) trade.

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