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Creating a greener world – EZG conference in Rotterdam Zoo – June 2008.

The conservation speech held at the EZG conference by Lars Bo Kjeldstrøm-Fisker, Tropical Zoo Plants:

“The Zoo world has a special obligation to help changing the world towards a greener world. Not because they are keeping animals in captivity, but because they are in a position where people are being touched and opened in the hearts by all these lovely and interesting zoo animals –and thereby want to help saving this tiger cubs last natural habitat and make sure it survives for their children’s generation! Rather egoistic attitude maybe.... But if it changes our behaviour it is fine...

Zoo’s can educate visitors....collect funds.....and they can decide only to work with companies and suppliers that support conservation. From where do these animals originate these plants, this timber, these souvenirs, these T-shirts. They can demand a transparent production to ensure their money is not supporting destructive activity.

Conservation basically means to take care of something. We all want to take care of our precious world and all the beauty we find in nature. The diversity of species and the different climates are working together as one big machine. The world as a whole will adapt to changes, the species of plants and animals will adapt as well or evolve or disappear. These are all facts and consequences we can learn from the past.

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