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Dear Lord Bonomy,

I understand your review is intending to investigate the operation of the *Protection of Wild Mammals (Scotland) Act 2002 Act* to ascertain whether it is providing a sufficient level of protection for wild mammals, (while at the same time allowing effective and humane control of these animals where necessary).

I read that the Scottish Countryside Alliance stated on the ten year anniversary of the PMWA coming into force: *'you could be forgiven for thinking little has changed during the course of time'*

I am convinced that it is time something was done to ensure that no more exemptions can be exploited by hunters, and no more wildlife is killed by hounds, for the perceived enjoyment of these people.

The majority of the British public finds hunting with hounds futile and abhorrent. Hunters can sanitise their actions by terming their cruelty "wildlife management" and "pest-control", but it is slaughter, pure and simple, and should be brought to an end.

Please support an end to loopholes which allow hounding and killing wild mammals to take place – something that is surely not in the spirit of the Act.

Kind regards,

Marian Hussenbux, .

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