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Please see comment below regarding the review of The Protection of Wild Animals (Scotland) Act 2002

Having hunted, before and since, the implementation of a gun pack in Scotland, I feel that to reduce the pack to a couple of hounds would be ineffective in flushing out the fox. Hounds use scent and not sight to flush out the fox, therefore a couple of hounds in a large area of covert it would be almost impossible to sweep the area cleanly and properly - in effect the pest control service that the hunt offer would not be done properly leading to an increase of fox population, which in turn would have a detrimental effect on the balance of other wildlife.

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