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As a regular visitor to Scotland for its wonderful wildlife, and the Western Isles in particular, I would like to submit my comments.

The control of foxes using intelligent, scientific, and above all else properly humane methods I can support if the numbers make a clear and proper case for number reduction. I am completely against the killing of any wildlife in the name of sport.

In particular I regard fox killing using dogs as totally barbaric. It is time for an end to fox hunting using hounds.

We left the stone age a long time ago and this failing in some of our human fellows needs to stop for the sake of the wildlife.

Please keep up the good work in Scotland of giving wildlife its home and its chance to co-exist in as natural way as possible with the rest of us.

Wildlife was there first and will be there when we are gone. We should cherish and nurture its diversity, not eradicate or kill it.

Best regards
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