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To: <u>Public Administration Committee</u>

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The damage done by cats foxes and rabbits to the environment is tremendous. Small caliber shooting to control these pests on Crown and other land by responsible shooters can do nothing but good. I shot vermin for many years on stations and farms and never encountered problems of any kind.

Regards

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