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IFAW's Response to Countryside Alliance legal challenge's failure

Phyllis Campbell McRae, Director of IFAW UK said:

"As expected, the pro-hunt lobby has failed to overturn the ban on the cruel sport of hunting with dogs. The democratic will of the people and of parliament has been rightly upheld.

IFAW calls on all hunters to respect this ruling and stop hunting when the ban comes into force on 18th February. The sooner this barbaric activity is consigned to the history books the better."

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