

Political Monitoring

Biodiversity politics in Belgian parliaments

Questions and Discussions

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Science-Policy Dialogue



CO-OP4CBD, under the lead of the Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences will host an Experts-Negotiators dialogue on CBD SBSTTA 25, on **October 2nd in Brussels**.

The dialogue will feature exchanges on technical and scientific issues between experts and negotiators from European and associated countries to allow negotiators learn about the latest scientific knowledge and give the experts the opportunity to receive feedback on the policy-relevance of their work.

More specifically the dialogue will discuss:

- How to improve crosscutting actions to achieve complementarity between the Global Strategy for Plant Conservation and the GBF targets
- Aligning the SBSTTA25/10 document with the recently published IPBES Invasive Alien Species assessment
- How to adopt a holistic approach to sustainable wildlife management
- Building stronger synergies between biodiversity and climate policy and action, and
- A General review of the binary Indicators under the Monitoring Framework of the GBF

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- Vraag van Kurt Ravyts aan Zakia Khattabi over "het voorstel van Europese Commissie om de vergunning van glyfosaat met 10 jaar te verlengen"
- Question de Kurt Ravyts à Zakia Khattabi sur "la proposition de la Commission Européenne de prolonger de 10 ans l'autorisation du glyphosate"



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Question jointe de M. Witsel, M. Dodrimont et M. Janssen à Mme Tellier sur

- "le plan de lutte contre la propagation des rats laveurs"
- "le rapport de l'IPBES et la politique Wallonne de lutte contre les espèces envahissantes"

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Question de M. Florent à Mme Tellier sur "la négociation entre le Parlement européen et le Conseil européen à propos du règlement sur la restauration de la nature"

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Question de M. Janssen à Mme Tellier sur "la politique de végétalisation urbaine et villageoise de la Région Wallonne"

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Question jointe de M. Janssen et M. Antoine à Mme Tellier sur "la faible superficie d'aires protégées dans le Brabant wallon"

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Question de M. Witsel à Mme Tellier sur "la demande de la Commission européenne concernant la statut de protection du loup"

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Question de Mme Goffinet à Mme Tellier sur "le réensauvagement en Wallonie"

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Question de Mme Goffinet à Mme Tellier sur "la réintroduction du bison"



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Vraag van Ludwig Vanenhove aan Zuhail Demir over "de hamsterpopulatie in Vlaanderen"



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Reducing pollution in ground and surface water in Europe

The political monitoring of the Belgian National Focal Point to the Convention on Biological Diversity carries out research on biodiversity and ecosystem-related topics at the level of the different Belgian legislative institutions: the Chamber, the Senate, the Walloon parliament, the parliament of the Walloon-Brussels federation, the Flemish parliament, the Brussels parliament and the European parliament. The monitoring aims to give a non-exhaustive overview of the different ongoing policy developments related to biodiversity and ecosystem services in these legislative institutions.

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