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## **MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION**

pursuant to Rule 143 of the Rules of Procedure

on the implementation of measures to preserve marine and terrestrial ecosystems

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# Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the implementation of measures to preserve marine and terrestrial ecosystems

The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 143 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas according to the European Environment Agency, Europe's biodiversity has deteriorated sharply over the past five years, with 63% of species and 81% of habitats having 'poor' conservation status;
- B. whereas the European Union has taken action to preserve these habitats and their biodiversity through the Nature Restoration Law;
- C. whereas the Member State ministers are highlighting major problems with regard to the implementation of this legislation, relating mainly to possible insufficient funding and vague definitions of the condition of ecosystems;
- 1. Urges the Commission to define more clearly the indicators used to assess ecosystems and biodiversity, and the breakdown of European funding;
- 2. Calls on the Commission to take into account the financial difficulties that such implementation could entail, given the very tight implementation deadlines, to the detriment of citizens and the productive sector, especially SMEs.

