

# THE FUTURE OF THE NATURE DIRECTIVES: WHERE ARE WE GOING?

Wednesday 7th March 2017  
5.30 - 7.30 pm  
European Parliament, Brussels  
Room JAN-2Q2

Welcome by **Karl-Heinz FLORENZ MEP**

Introduction by **Renata BRIANO MEP, Chair of the meeting**

Panel:

**Nicola NOTARO, Head of Unit of "Nature protection", European Commission, DG Environment**

*"The Fitness Check of the Nature Directives: Perspectives from the European Commission"*

**Colm FRIEL, Principal Manager, Chamber I, European Court of Auditors**

*"Implementing Natura 2000 to its full potential: main conclusions and recommendations from the European Court of Auditors"*

**Volker BÖHNING, Vice-President of "Deutscher Jagdverband"**

*"Challenges in managing the conflicts caused by protected species: the cormorant, the beaver and the wolf"*

**Erica VON ESSEN, Research Scientist, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences**

*"Illegal killing of large carnivores as a crime of dissent"*

**Gian Luca DALL'OLIO, President of "Federazione Italiana della Caccia"**

*"Improving the implementation of environmental policies by adopting better scientific data gathering processes at EU level"*

**Jacques TROUVILLIEZ, Executive Secretary, UNEP/AEWA**

*"The European Goose Management Platform"*

Discussion

Conclusions

Closing Remarks

Interpretation EN - FR - DE - IT