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EU NATURE LEGISLATION & THE FITNESS CHECK

The **Fitness Check** is assessing whether European nature legislation is “**fit for purpose**”. The assessment will provide a basis for **future policy considerations**.




OUTPUT




Final report from the European Commission (Staff Working Document) on the results of the Fitness Check study. (Spring 2016)



INPUT


Stakeholder consultation (January – June 2015)
Geographically balanced.
Representative sample of all sectors and interest groups.


Public consultation (April - July 2015)
Accessible to all citizens of the European Union in 23 languages.


REPORTS
State of Nature (May 2015) Mid-term review of EU Biodiversity Strategy to 2020 (October 2015)


High level stakeholder conference (20 November 2015)
Presentation and discussion on the draft emerging findings from the assessment of evidence and information gathered.


Final report by independent experts on the outcome of their Fitness Check study. (December 2015)
Gather and assess information.

START

Mandate for the Fitness Check of European nature legislation (February 2014)

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