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COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Environment)
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- f) Fitness check of the EU Water Legislation and evaluation of the Urban Waste-Water Treatment Directive [2] 15101/19
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- h) Management of large carnivores: Challenges and Solutions [2] 15037/19
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*Information from the German delegation, supported by the
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 Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
