

Amendments to R5: Restore and protect nature and climate					
Nº	Lines	Tabled by	Original text	Proposed amendment	Explanation / comment
1	AM-4-1	Vihreät - De Gröna	Therefore, the EGP strongly supports the European Commission's proposal for a Nature Restoration Law that clearly addresses these issues.	Insert from line 3 to 4: Therefore, the EGP strongly supports the European Commission's proposal for a Nature Restoration Law that clearly addresses these issues. The specific objective is to restore degraded ecosystems across the EU in order to help the EU's biodiversity to be on its path to recovery by 2030, and restoration by 2050. This includes wetlands, forests, marine, agro-ecosystems, rivers, lakes and alluvial habitats.	The opening paragraph needs a bit more explanation of the law, what it is about.
2	AM-10-2	GroenLinks	climate change, giving added value to several aspects of our common future.	Insert after line 10: At the same time, given the natural system's intricate connectedness and complexity, limiting climate change is very important for nature conservation and restoration. Therefore measures to curb climate change have to be implemented fast and thoroughly.	
3	AM-12-1	Die Grünen, die grüne Alternative	Acknowledging that the status of 81% of EU habitats is poor, that one in three bee and butterfly species are in decline, and that every euro invested in nature restoration adds between €8 and €38 in benefits and many other reasons for taking strong action to restore nature.	From line 11 to 14: Acknowledging that the status of 81% of EU habitats is poor, that one in three bee and butterfly species are in decline, and that every euro invested in nature restoration adds between €8 and €38 in benefits and many other these are strong reasons for taking strong action to restore nature.	Basis unclear?
4	AM-13-1	GroenLinks	bee and butterfly species are in decline, and that every euro invested in nature restoration adds between €8 and €38 in benefits and many other reasons for taking strong action to restore nature.	From line 12 to 14: bee and butterfly species are in decline, and that every euro invested in nature restoration adds between €8 and €38 in benefits and acknowledging that there are many other reasons for taking strong action to restore nature.	

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5	AM-13-2	Oikologoi Prasinoi / Ecologist Greens	bee and butterfly species are in decline, and that every euro invested in nature restoration adds between €8 and €38 in benefits and many other reasons for taking strong action to restore nature.	From line 12 to 14: bee and butterfly species are in decline, and that every euro invested in nature restoration adds between €8 and €38 in benefits and are some among many other reasons for taking strong action to restore nature.	
6	AM-15-1	GroenLinks	The EGP wants to emphasise the following aspects of the Nature Restoration Law and the need for further and strengthened action:	From line 15 to 16: The EGP wants to emphasise the following aspects of the Nature Restoration Law and the need for further and strengthened action: :The EGP demands further and strenghtened actions on the following aspects of the Nature Restoration Law.	
7	AM-16-1	BÜNDNIS 90/Die Grünen	and the need for further and strengthened action:	Insert after line 16: While the Restoration Law as the first real nature legislation in 20 years rightly focuses on restoring carbon-rich ecosystems such as peatlands, wetlands and old-growth forests, it falls short in addressing the role of current forestry management, especially on drained peatlands, and lacks strong governance mechanisms and a robust funding. We therefore call on the European Parliament and Member States to improve the Commission's proposal in these regards and to complete negotiations in a timely manner in order to be able to meet ambitious 2030 targets;	
8	AM-18-1	Oikologoi Prasinoi / Ecologist Greens	The parallel development of the relevant EU policies and funding mechanisms to support and facilitate nature restoration - for example the common agricultural policy, fisheries policy, forest strategy and Regional and Structural Funds. This must be implemented at EU as well as national and regional levels to give concrete and swift results;	From line 17 to 21: The parallel development of the relevant EU policies and funding mechanisms to support and facilitate nature restoration -such as for example the common agricultural policy, fisheries policy, forest strategy and Regional and Structural Funds. This must be implemented at EU level as well as national and regional levels to give concrete and swift results;	

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9	AM-18-2	Greens/EFA Group in the European Parliament	The parallel development of the relevant EU policies and funding mechanisms to support and facilitate nature restoration - for example the common agricultural policy, fisheries policy, forest strategy and Regional and Structural Funds. This must be implemented at EU as well as national and regional levels to give concrete and swift results;	<p>From line 17 to 21:</p> <p>The parallel development of the relevant EU policies and funding mechanisms to support and facilitate nature restoration -for example the common agricultural policy, fisheries policy, forest strategy and Regional and Structural Funds. <u>by spending at least 10% of annual spending on biodiversity under the EU Multi-Annual Framework.</u> This must be implemented at EU as well as national and regional levels to give concrete and swift results;</p> <p><u>Support for legally binding targets for the EU and its Member States to reach at least 30 % of protected terrestrial and marine areas (of which one third shall be strictly protected areas) and to restore at least 30 % of degraded ecosystems at Union level by 2030 (and at least 60% by 2040, and at least 90% by 2050);</u></p> <p><u>Ensure that the upcoming restoration targets are additional to existing obligations under the relevant EU Directives whilst, at the same time, improved the implementation and enforcement of existing environmental legislation;</u></p> <p><u>Guarantee the participation of local populations and civil society stakeholders in the planning, management and realisation of protection and restoration actions;</u></p>	
10	AM-22-1	Die Grünen, die grüne Alternative	Identify and remove subsidies and regulations that are obstructing or reversing the actions needed for the restoration of nature;	<p>From line 22 to 23:</p> <p>Identify and remove<u>reform</u> subsidies and regulations that are obstructing or reversing the actions needed for the restoration of nature;</p>	
11	AM-25-1	Europe Ecologie - Les Verts	Increase the funding for nature restoration actions, since it is unlikely that the funding proposed will be sufficient.	<p>Insert from line 24 to 25:</p> <p>Increase the funding for nature restoration actions, since it is unlikely that the funding proposed will be sufficient. <u>In that respect, on order to help farmers to change their agricultural model, the EU should establish a specific defeasance fund to take over their debts and help them to implement the transition from conventional agriculture to organic agriculture that respects living organisms</u></p>	

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12	AM-25-2	GroenLinks	that the funding proposed will be sufficient.	<p>Insert after line 25:</p> <p>Demand that implementation of energy savings projects and projects for sustainable energy production are done in a nature inclusive way, with at least maximum possible mitigation and compensation for negative effects on nature.</p> <p>In addition to the demands on the Nature Restoration Law, the EGP demands that the EU will put forward a maximum of efforts in the upcoming COP on Biodiversity in December in Canada, to come to the high level of goals and actions that are really necessary to guide global action through 2030, to halt and reverse nature loss.</p>	
13	AM-25-3	Europa Verde-Verdi	that the funding proposed will be sufficient.	<p>Insert after line 25:</p> <p>Considering the environmental impact caused by anthropic activities, especially manufacturing activities, on the quality of aquatic habitats, a renewed European strategy is needed to reduce water exploitation and protect rivers, aquifers and seas from pollution; this is why it is proposed to pursue preventive solutions, such as closed-loop water reuse in industrial sectors and urban contexts, useful for preventing damage to the ecosystems that the proposed Nature Restoration Law aims to protect and reducing risks to food security.</p>	We want to stress the fundamental importance of water for Nature restoration.
14	AM-25-4	Miljøpartiet De Grønne	Increase the funding for nature restoration actions, since it is unlikely that the funding proposed will be sufficient.	<p>From line 24 to 25:</p> <p>Increase the funding for nature restoration actions, since it is unlikely that the funding proposed will be sufficient-;</p> <p>The Nature Restoration Law must as a minimum align with the EUs position in the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework.</p>	