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Germany and European Commission agree stronger action on water resilience

Germany and the European Commission have signed a joint statement on strengthening the implementation of EU water legislation and improving national water resilience. The priorities include pollution prevention, sustainable abstraction, water efficiency, natural water retention, drought preparedness, ecosystem restoration and additional treatment for micropollutants. As the first completed structured water dialogue with an EU Member State, the agreement offers an early indication of how the European Water Resilience Strategy could support implementation at national level.

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