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New LIFE Regulation 2021-2027 close to adoption

The Regulation for the next generation of the LIFE programme, 2021-2027, is now close to final adoption.

The political process for the new LIFE Regulation has been delayed by two factors, the COVID-19 pandemic and the budgetary provisions of the EU Multiannual Financial Framework (MFFF) being a precondition for the financial aspects of the LIFE Regulation.

At the end of 2020 the two EU legislators, European Parliament and Council, achieved agreement on a compromise text. This compromise text has already been formally agreed by Council and the EP Environment Committee. The vote in the EP Plenary is scheduled for 26 April 2021.

EWA NEWS provides you an overview on the key aspects, the political history and - for more in-depth reading - links to the underlying documents.

