

Revised EU Pollinators Initiative A new deal for pollinators

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EU Pollinators Initiative

June 2018	Adoption	<u>COM(2018) 395</u>
May 2021	Review	<u>COM(2021) 261</u>
January 2023	Revision	<u>COM(2023) 35</u>

Comprehensive stakeholder consultation

European Green Deal





"A New Deal for Pollinators"

Proposal for a Nature Restoration Law (Article 8):

Reverse the pollinator decline by 2030

Increasing trend of pollinator populations after 2030

Obligation for monitoring

"A New Deal for Pollinators"

ECI "Save Bees and farmers"





New action framework Revised Pollinators Initiative

42 actions across 3 pillars:

- I. Improving knowledge
- **II.** Tackling causes of pollinator decline
- **III.** Mobilising society and strategic planning





I) Improving Knowledge

- Comprehensive monitoring system & indicators
- Basic and applied research
- Red List assessment of key pollinator groups
- Mapping Key Pollinator Areas
- Capacity building: experts, field tools, data infrastructure and access





II) Tackling pollinator decline

Conservation: Species Action Plans, Habitats Directive, LIFE, "Buzz Lines"

Agriculture – pollinator friendly farming

Pesticides – risk assessment and management

- Urban areas: guides, urban greening plans
- Invasive Alien Species management, promotion of native plants

Climate change: vulnerable zones, adaptation





Light pollution

III) Mobilising society & strategic planning

>Citizens (youth)

Businesses

National pollinator strategies

Regional and local plans

Stakeholder collaboration

➢Global action





Thank you!

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Small, precious and in need of protection!

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