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Barnacle Goose Session

Report and recommendations of Russia BG TF and draft Workplan for 2024/2025

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Barnacle Goose Task Force for Russia/Germany & Netherlands population

- Established in June 2020 at EGM IWG5
- 23 TF members representing 8 Range States, European Commission and 4 NGOs
- TF Coordinator position vacant since October 2021
- No specific TF meetings since EGM IWG8, but participated in 2 joint meetings of the EGMP Task Forces on 26 September 2023 and 4 March 2024

TF Recommendations for 2024/2025:

- To designate a Task Force Coordinator as soon as possible;
- To implement activities outlined in the workplan for 2024/2025;
- To continue ongoing financial support for the Dutch Modelling Consortium, ensuring the provision of population estimates beyond 2025.