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STATUS REPORT OF THE AFMP FOR GBG

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Introduction

- The purpose of this document is to keep an overview of the AFMP implementation status
- Ensure that progress as well as any issues are tracked and identified
- This overview shall be a dynamic document that is updated periodically and submitted to each EGM IWG meeting within the 6-year cycle
- Includes an overview of the activities that are conducted on an annual and triannual basis









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International Single Species Management Plan for the Barnacle Goose





Adaptive Flyway Management Programme for the East Greenland/Scotland & Ireland Population of the Barnacle Goose (*Branta leucopsis*)

AEWA European Goose Management Platform

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6 year cycle of evaluation and adaptation related to:

- Management Units
- FRVs
- Box 1
- Population models
- Cumulative impact models of derogation and legal hunting
- Damage Impact models
- Protocol for the iterative phases
- The range of and methods for indicators and programs
- The state of indicators and evaluation towards achieving objectives

3-year cycle related to:

- Monitoring of the total population size
- Monitoring of Icelandic breeding population (nest and bird numbers)
- Assessing whether the population size is below the 200% threshold and approaching the FRP.
- Assessment of the cumulative impact of derogation and legal hunting
- Coordination of offtake under derogation and hunting if the population is below the 200% threshold and approaching the FRP.
- Taking coordinated conservation measures, if necessary.
- Increase understanding of population dynamics
- Refine models of population dynamics

1 year cycle of:

- Monitoring of indicators related to population models
- Update and report on work plans for the Task Force, Data Centre, AEWA Secretariat and Range States

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AFMP elements - Relax

 Fiscal and personnel resources are in place, and the element is only evaluated and adapted, if the Range States see a compelling reason for doing so and/or new scientific knowledge suggests a reevaluation



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AFMP elements - Take note of

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AFMP elements - Take note of

- Protocol for damage assessment
- Protocol for offtake assessment

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• Protocol for indicator assessment





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AFMP elements - Take note of

 Data for each year from the period of 2020 – 2024 is to be reported to the EGMP Data Centre



