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# AGENDA

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**Interpretation**

English, German, Italian and Polish

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## The proposed EU Seal Trade Ban

### □ State of Play in the Parliament

Diana Wallis MEP (ALDE, UK)

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### □ The Necessity of Closing the Loopholes

Rebecca Aldworth

Director, Humane Society International/Canada

### □ The Animal Welfare Response

Abigail Caudron, PhD-Biology

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