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*Update:**Legal Significance of Surplus Animals***German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment
(BfR)**

Currently, scientists are not able to avoid the breeding of so called surplus animals. But how do scientists deal with this circumstance and is there a legal justification for killing these animals? The talk will focus on the current legal situation regarding the killing of surplus animals. It's an update of last years' talk and is taking a closer look whether the legal situation in Germany has changed and how scientists are dealing with the situation.

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Friday, September 19, 2025, 2:00—4:00 p.m. CESTMeeting link: <https://bbb.rlp.net/b/gon-6fc-ssd-h1b>

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