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Carbonated mineral water benefits from local tradition, mineral cues and competitive pricing

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Functional waters and sugar-free innovations gain momentum under tighter fiscal rules

Fiscal tightening and water policy debates reinforce the strategic role of packaged water

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