

# PROTOCOL ON WATER AND HEALTH: BELARUS EXPERIENCE



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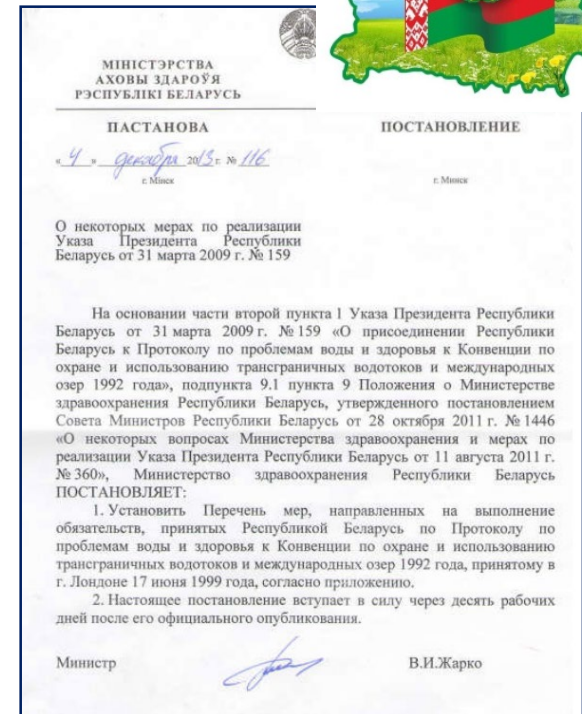
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# PROTOCOL ON WATER AND HEALTH IN BELARUS

- 2009 - Belarus **ratified** Protocol;
- 2010 – established **Council** for the Protocol on Water and Health Implementation (MoH & MoEnv) – Interministerial and interstakeholders coordination mechanism
- **2010-2011: complex analysis of water sector** conducted (water, sanitation, hygiene, recreational, water bodies protection, alternative water sources) => prioritizing of needs and actions through all water cycle
- 2013 - List of **15 targets and measures to achieve them** was set in 10 target areas;
- First steps to **harmonize** State Programs and National Action Plans in water sector, inform decisions
- **VERY VISIBLE RESULTS**



№ п/п	Меры, направленные на выполнение обязательств, принятых Республикой Беларусь по Протоколу по проблемам воды и здоровья	Целевые показатели для достижения мер	Сроки выполнения целевых показателей	Ответственные исполнители



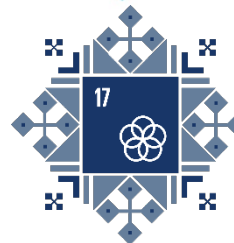
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# NEW IMPLICATION OF THE PROTOCOL - SYNERGY AND SUPPORT SDGs IMPLEMENTATION

- applying the Protocol as a **tool to achieve the SDGs** on water, sanitation and health

## Challenges for BLR

- **updating target** indicators and measures to achieve them – in synergy with SDGs
- **understanding broadly of equitable access** to water and sanitation **with regard of all aspects of equitable access** (different groups of population, institutional groups, financial aspects) and place into policy
- developing the new methodology(es) to monitor the targets achievement, implementation and effectiveness of these measures



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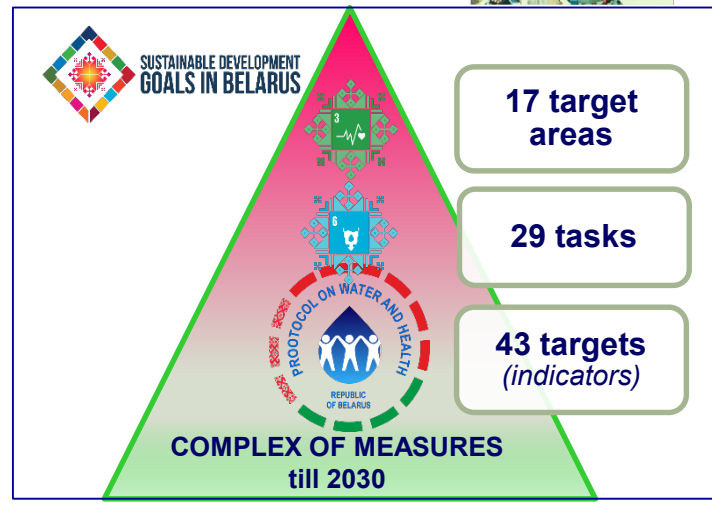
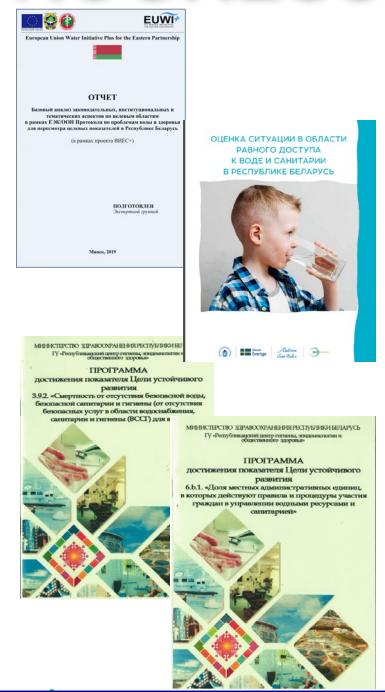
# PROTOCOL - VISIBLE PROGRESS

Evidence base for decisions and improvement

- significant **improvement** of water quality, DWQS (zero level WRD outbreaks), high level access to improved water and sanitation service,
- **2018-2019: baseline analysis** conducted of the situation in water sector – gaps identification and prioritization of needs with respect to SDGs
- **self assessment of equitable access** to water and sanitation – **UNECE score-card** methodology at republican and regional levels (with support of UNECE)
- Development of **Programs of achievement of SDG 3.9.2 and 6.b.1** (integrate **indirect indicators** of equitable access, e.g. different indicators of equitable access – methodology to measure)
- **professional capacity building** based on international experience learning – RBS, SSWSS

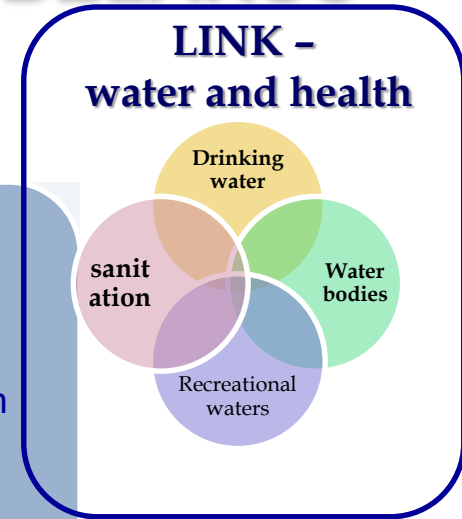
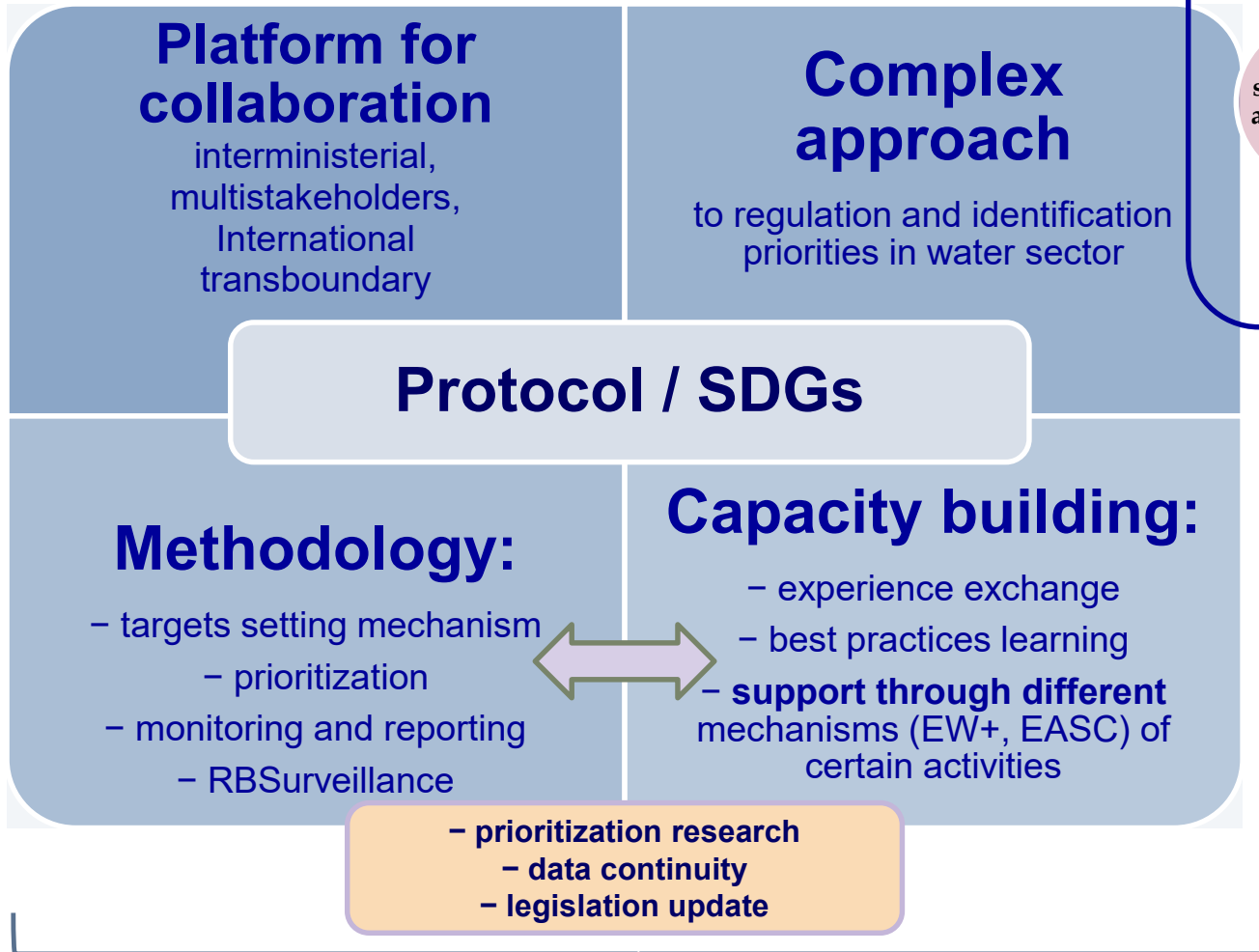


- **Legislation update** – RA implementation into the Law, update of Hygienic Standards, legionella, etc
- **New Complex of Measures** developed to achieve Protocol goals has been developed till 2030 – in synergy with SDGs





# ADVANTAGES (BENEFITS) FOR BELARUS



improving the evidence base for decision making and improvements





Thank you for your attention!

Спасибо за внимание!

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