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# ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RISK-ORIENTED APPROACH TO THE CONTROL AND SUPERVISORY ACTIVITIES OF ROSPOTREBNADZOR IN THE KRASNOYARSK TERRITORY

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In order to improve the control system of sanitary and epidemiological welfare of the population under the control of Rospotrebnadzor in the Krasnoyarsk region, a register of legal entities and individual entrepreneurs, whose activities are subject to sanitary and epidemiological supervision was established. For each of the 21 386 economic entities the number of population was defined (workers, consumers of goods and services), the potential risk of harm to the health of these populations was calculated. The computational methods and expert assessments were used. Testing of objects classification into four classes (1extremely high, 2-high, 3-moderate, 4 class – low risk) allowed to rank to the class 1 around 0.6% of supervised legal entities and individual entrepreneurs; to object class 2 – about 14%; to class 3 – almost 48%. More than 36.7% of business entities have been referred to the fourth class; the frequency of scheduled inspections of their activity is minimal or can be ruled out at all (in the absence of violations of sanitary legislation for certain time).

Using a risk-based planning model has streamlined planning towards increasing the share of inspections in respect of the subjects that are highly relevant and hygienically engaged in providing health care to the population (from 3.9% to 6.8%), education (from 32.8% to 55.6%), services and audits of local governments (from 0.9% to 15.2%).

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The concept for efficiency growth in activities of state and local surveillance and enforcement bodies over 2014-2015 [4], the Russian Federation President Decree "On urgent measures for elimination of administrative barriers to entrepreneur activities" dated May, 15, 2008. No. 797, and other alterations in legislation [8,9,13,15,16], lead to changes in state surveillance and enforcement. These changes require implementing risk assessment and risk management methodology which helps to evaluate and control risks of damage to protected social values such as life, health, state, local and private property, culture, nature etc. oriented surveillance are in line with the world trends [6,17,18] and are determined by a set of internal reasons. Russia needs advance economic development and it requires eliminating excessive red tape that economic agents face in their activities [1,3,5]. Simultaneously there are serious tasks to preserve and increase human potential which over years has been damaged by economic agents violating obligatory sanitary and epidemiological requirements to environment quality, labour and education conditions, health care services etc.

Federal service for surveillance on consumer rights and human well-being is now putting systematic approaches to risk-oriented surveillance into

Public management innovations related to risk-

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practice. Implemented model includes potential risks evaluation system for economic agents that are subject to sanitary and epidemiological surveillance in the sphere of consumer rights protection. The system takes criteria of health damage risks into account [1,3,7,10-12].

Krasnoyarsk region requires greater development of sanitary and epidemiological welfare management. The region population now amounts to more than 2 million 866 thousand people, 76,5% of them being urban citizens. As the region is very rich in energy resources it has been able to create a huge metallurgy complex which comprises Krasnoyarskaya hydro-power station, Krasnoyarsky aluminum plant, Achinsky alumina works, and Krasnoyarsky metallurgy works. The region also has a developed civil engineering complex. Regional enterprises produce both civil and defense machinery; among them there are Nazarovsky agriculture engineering plant, "Biryusa" works, Krastyazhmash excavators producing plant and others. About 400 enterprises operate in lumbering and woodworking; for example "Eniseisky pulp and paper mill LLC", "Lesosibirsky wood working plant PLC", "Eni-LLC". :Novoeniseisky seylesozavod woodchemical plant Ltd", "DOK Enisey LLC", :Kansky wood-working plant LLC" etc.

The region is constantly among the top ten Russian regions in the innovation potential rating. Then, if we take the natural resources potential we can see that in 2014 the region took the first place. But as for labour potential the region took the 14<sup>th</sup> place only. Investments risks in the region are estimated as high; the region held the 39<sup>th</sup> position in the total rating of all Russian regions, it took the 49<sup>th</sup> place in the social risks rating and the 76<sup>th</sup> in the ecological risks rating. [2]. And we realize that the region will become more attractive for investors only if we improve surveillance over those economic agents whose activities can exert negative influence on population, workers, and environment.

Krasnoyarsk regional office of Federal service for surveillance on consumer rights protection and human wellbeing (herein the Office) has set the task to implement a new risk-oriented approach to surveillance and enforcement; this approach requires creation of the economic agents register, risk potential category definition, as well as development of practices aimed at optimizing and improving quality of inspections scheduling.

**Data and methods.** To achieve the set goals the Office has completed the number of tasks. First, information sources necessary to create the economic agents register have been defined. Second, riskoriented planning has been implemented into the Office surveillance and enforcement activities. Third, the economic agents register has been created and it comprises all the economic agents that are subject to the Office surveillance. Then, with the use of the implemented model the Office has calculated risk potential for each economic agent and has defined a risk category for all of them. And lastly, the Office has formed a set of the economic agents with the highest risk potential in order to include them into the inspection schedule for 2016.

As the information sources for the register creation we used the following data: archival data obtained during surveillance and enforcement activities in 2012-2014; the Tax inspection data uploaded through "Planning" (the computer program designed by the Office); the register of sanitary and epidemiological certificates issued for project documentation (sanitary protection zones, maximum permissible discharges); sanitary and epidemiological certificates issued for economic agents operating in health care, pharmaceutical, and educational spheres; the register of new companies foundations; "on-line inspections" information data taken from the Rospotrebnadzor official web-site; data from the Internet and the 2-GIS online maps service; laboratory research database belonging to Federal public health-care agency "Hygiene and Epidemiology Center of Krasnoyarsk region".

All the data from various sources were checked with the use of statistical reports forms. We applied calculation method and expert evaluation method to implement risk-oriented planning. Calculation method allowed us to distribute all the economic agents into 4 categories according to the criteria used in calculations and to the data available on the economic agents. Broad use of expert evaluation technique gave us the possibility to define economic agents with higher hygienic significance and to put them into higher risk category. Such agents were later included into the field inspections schedule.

**Results.** The economic agents register comprising 21 386 companies and private entrepreneurs is the primary result of our work. The economic agents were distributed into 4 risk categories with the use of calculation method. The results are presented in Table 1.

The obtained results led to necessity to carry out expert evaluations aimed at defining a factual risk category for each economic agent with taking the sphere of activity into consideration. The classification of expertly defined priority economic agents looks as follows: -the first risk category is given to economic agents dealing with water supply and sewerage, as well as water objects in waster consumption places (water reservoirs of the  $1^{st}$  and  $2^{nd}$  class);

-the second risk category is given to economic agents in the sphere of health-care services and social services;

-the second and the third risk categories are given to child-care and teenage facilities, food industry, and catering;

-the third risk category is given to industry, grocery stores, residential use goods distribution, as well as economic agents that operate in the spheres where violation of consumer rights is more likely to take place (such as financial services, transport, personal services, housing and communal services, communication, tourism, housing building based on cofinancing etc.). The activities distribution is shown in Table 2.

The created register was optimized with the use of techniques developed by the Office and applied in planning inspections schedule for 2016. It allowed us to achieve the following:

1. To exclude economic agents from the 4th category from the inspection schedule.

2. To include the maximum number of the  $1^{st}$  category economic agents into the inspection schedule provided that these agents are subject to surveillance and are not to be released of any inspections according to legislation [7, 8, 11, 12].

3. To include the  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$  category economic agents into the inspection schedule in accordance with the main activities of Rospotrebnaszor, as well as with the factual amount of inspections that our specialists are to accomplish.

4. To define the priority of economic agents among those from the  $2^{nd}$  and 3rg risk categories who deal with education, water supply and sewerage, food industry, as well as industrial enterprises as sources of negative impacts on the environment.

As a result, the inspections schedule for 2016 includes a set of economic agents, 1.5% of them have the 1<sup>st</sup> risk category, 19.3% - the 2<sup>nd</sup> risk category and 79.2% - the 3<sup>rd</sup> risk category (Table 3).

# Table 1

#### Economic agents classification, risk potentia

Indicator	Total	Risk potential category				
		Ι	II	III	IV	
Economic agents quantity	21386	128	3143	10246	7869	
Rate, %	100,0	0,6	14,7	48,0	36,7	

#### Table 2

# Economic agents distribution considering various activities, as per risk categories (in %)

Activity		k potent	Total for 4 cat-		
		II	III	IV	egory
Health care and social services	0.2	3.9	1.0	—	5.1
Public utilities (water collection, purification and dis- tribution, sewage and waste disposal)	0.3	0.7	1.1	_	2.1
Residential use goods distribution			3.2	1.2	4.4
Child-care and teenage facilities	-	7.6	9.0	—	16.6
Food industry and catering	_	0.8	0.6	0.1	1.5
Grocery stored and chemists'		0.5	10.1	5.2	15.8
Industries (agriculture, mining, processing industries, steam and electricity production, construction, com- munication, transport)	0.1	1.7	16.2	10.3	28.3
Personal services (hairdressers', hotels, real estate operations, housing stock management etc.)	_	_	6.2	20.0	26.2

Table 3
Economic agents distribution in the inspections
schedule for 2016

Risk potential category	Number of economic agents	Rate. %
I rank – extremely high	11	1.5

risk potential		
II rank – high risk poten- tial	142	19.3
III rank – moderate risk potential	570	79.2
Total	723	100.0

If we outline the spheres where the economic agents included into the inspection schedule for 2016 operate we can see that the greatest number of such agents deal with education (55.6%), health care (6.8%), public utilities, social and personal services (12.6%). There is also a big number of local government bodies who manage the sources of drinking water supply and water supply for residential use as well as other communal facilities with high hygienic significance.

The use of risk-oriented model allowed us to optimize planning and to increase the rate of inspections for the agents with high hygienic significance and for the agents that provide health care (from 3.9% to 6.8%), educational services (from 32.8% to 55.6%), as well as the rate of inspections for local government bodies (from 0.9% to 15.2%).

We should point out that we didn't fully use the possibility to apply social and hygienic monitoring data when classifying economic agents according to their risk potential. Still we believe that the expert evaluation allowed us to take all the existing data into account.

Long-term monitoring of various factors which form population environment can provide additional information and give more specific characteristics of economic agents whose activities lead to chemical and physical pollution of air, soil and water.

### Conclusion

In order to achieve the set goals the Office implemented risk-oriented model into practice and it helped us to increase surveillance quality and efficiency. It allowed us to concentrate our attention on economic agents with extremely high, high and moderate risk potential; to lower administrative barriers for economic agents with insignificant risk potential; to provide communication and interaction with business community in the sphere of surveillance and inspections schedule planning; to optimize the workload for the Office specialists; to secure further effective planning of surveillance and enforcement considering hygienic and social significance of the economic agents operating in Krasnovarsk region.

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