

**DECREE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF BELARUS  
of May 22, 2014 No. 235**

**ON ACCESSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF BELARUS TO THE INTERNATIONAL  
TREATY**

1. Accede to the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity adopted on 29 October 2010 in Nagoya.

Designate the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection as the Body responsible for the fulfillment of obligations undertaken by the Republic of Belarus in accordance with the referred International Treaty.

2. The Council of Ministers of the Republic of Belarus shall take within a period of six months all required measures to implement the afore-referenced Decree.

3. The Decree shall come into effect from the day of its signing.

President of the Republic of Belarus

A. Lukashenko

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