CODEBOOK
Protest Campaigns of Belarus, 2000-2019

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Variable	Description
protest_id	unique protest identifier
country	BLR=Belarus
annual	1 if protest event is held annually
year	year
month	month
day	99 if unknown
multiday	1 if protest event is part of larger event that occurred on multiple successive days. Each event-day is coded separately
location_municip	municipality of protest
location_national	1 if article describes national or multiple events without specifying municipality
campaign_id	unique indicator for protest campaign
grievance	motivating grievance of protest
demand	demand of protesters
particip_low, particip_high	low and high estimates of turnout, general estimates indicated with -9 or 49 ending, eg. thousands coded as 4999, dozens as 49
organizer	organizer of event
particip_identity	participants at event
particip_political	1 if organizers/participants include political group, org or party
particip_labor	1 if organizers/participants include labor org, union, group identified by professional sector
particip_religious	1 if organizers/participants include religious group
particip_socialwelfare	1 if organizers/participants include group identified by shared social welfare concern
particip_notspecified	1 if organizers/participants are not defined (ex. locals, residents, citizens)
particip_youth	1 if organizers/participants include youth organizations, parties or groups
political	1 if grievance and demands relate to political issues
socioeconomic	1 if grievance and demands relate to social or economic concerns

demonstration	1 if protest event included a demonstration
march	1 if protest event included a march
picket	1 if protest event included a picket
strike	1 if protest event included a strike
blockade	1 if protest event included a blockade
petition	1 if protest event included a petition
selfmutilation	1 if protest event included a hunger strike or other form of self-mutilation
other_tactic	1 if protest event included a tactic not listed here
source1	RFE/RL article headline
source1_date	RFE/RL article date YYYYMMDD