



Overview of current coordination mechanisms

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PRESENTATION OUTLINE



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3. Principles of Aid Effectiveness Coordination
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5. Proposed framework for Alignment of Sector-cluster and PSGs
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BACKGROUND

- Somaliland's humanitarian and development **context differs from the South Central Somalia in many respects.**
- Somaliland has a functioning government with clear national development and **emergency polices and structures**
Including:
 - Five-year National Development Plan (NDP 2012-2016) based on Somaliland Vision2030
 - Somaliland Special Arrangement with five (5) PSGs (2013-2016)



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- **Since 2007**, when the Somaliland Government **first recognized the importance of proper and effective aid coordination** by producing a Concept **Paper on Aid Management and Coordination**, a number of governmental acts have been adopted, among them:
 - The Presidential Decree on the Establishment of a National Aid Coordination Forum (NACF)-
 - The committee named by **Inter-Ministerial Aid Coordination Committee**- to deal with **policy and strategic issues**
 - **It was Developed Aid Coordination Policy, within the policy different coordination mechanisms**

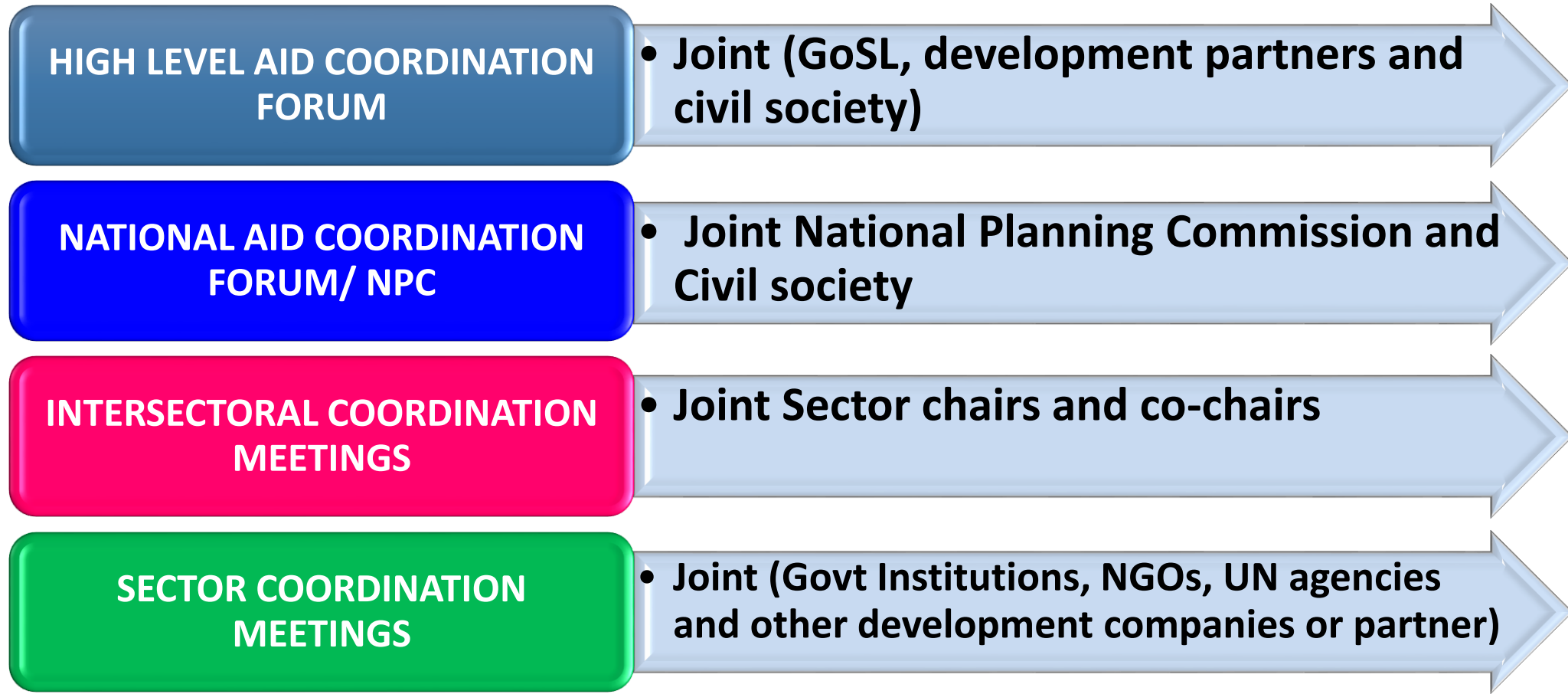


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- ❑ The Coordination mechanisms will be **strengthened through government leadership and ownership** of the aid coordination responsibility-donor engagement.
- ❑ Therefore, government develop joint tools and mechanisms that allow all **stakeholders to have access of information**



EXISTING LEVELS OF COORDINATION STRUCTURE





Objectives of alignment



- To **improve a better coordination both** in development and humanitarian aid
- To **harmonize the parallel meetings** based on the **resource effectiveness and efficiency** of the meetings (**Cluster and Sectors**)
- To enhance the **participation** for all development partners and minimize the **duplication of efforts**



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- To enable all the sectors to come up **with gross-root strategies and priorities**
- To **create central platform** for all UN, INGOs , NGOs Donors and Government for sharing information
- The above objectives are **the basic foundations** for the improving of the aid coordination possibilities and outcomes as well



PRINCIPLES OF AID EFFECTIVENESS COORDINATION



The Paris Declaration and Busan was an international agreement that clearly identifies key areas for improvement and fundamental principles of partnership commitment necessary for success in aid management reform, including:

- 1. Ownership**
- 2. Alignment**
- 3. Harmonization**
- 4. Managing for Results**
- 5. Mutual Accountability**



THE CURRENT STRUCTURE OF COORDINATION MEETINGS (Sector and Clusters)



These coordination Meetings are:

1. The **sector Coordination** meetings lead by the government institutions
1. The **Cluster meetings** which **are donor - driven** ,however, with the recipient (Somaliland) government having limited influence.



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The main **governing body responsible** for aid management and coordination is the Ministry of National Planning and Development (MoNPD).

- Therefore, The Government has **created Eight (8) Sectors** to coordinate development and humanitarian issues, namely as the next slide states



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No	Sector	Responsible Ministries (Chairs)
1.	Governance	Interior
2.	Health	Health
3.	Water & Sanitation	Water Resources
4.	Education	Education
5.	Infrastructure	Public Works, Housing and Transport
6.	Production	Fishery, Livestock, Agriculture
7.	Environment	Ministry of Environment
8.	Economic	Ministry of Commerce



4.2. Clusters

- ❑ There **are seven clusters** in Somaliland responsible by UN Agencies
 - Most of the clusters are **fully integrated with sectors** (for example WASH, Agriculture and Livelihoods, Education, Health, Nutrition);

- ❑ The following table shows the clusters with field focal points in Somaliland (Hargeisa) and respective focal agencies..



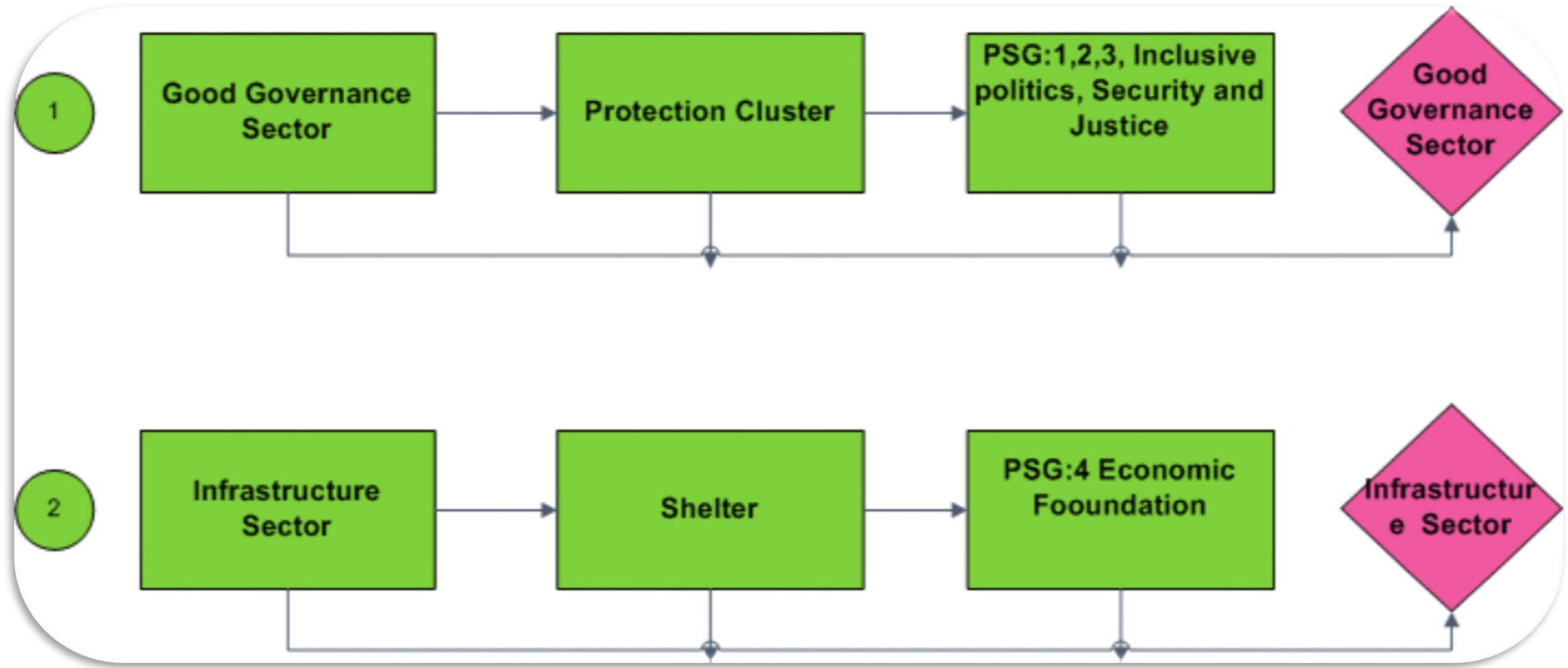
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1.	Protection	UNHCR
2.	Health	WHO
3,	Education	UNICEF
4.	WASH	UNICEF
5.	Nutrition	UNICEF
6.	Agriculture / Livelihoods Food	FAO/WFP
7	Shelter	UNHCR/NRC
1.	Protection	UNHCR

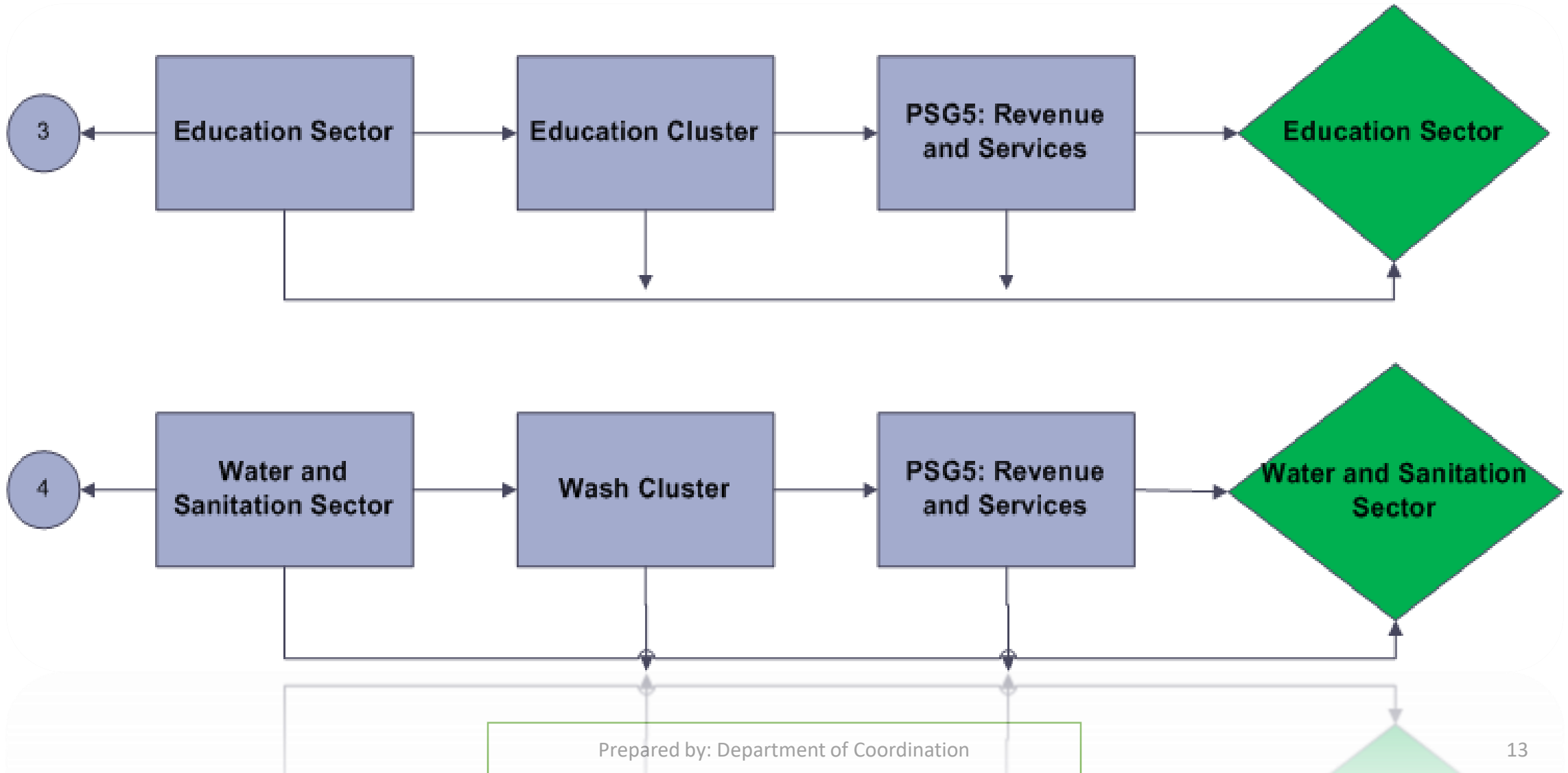


Proposed framework for Alignment of Sector, Cluster and PSGs



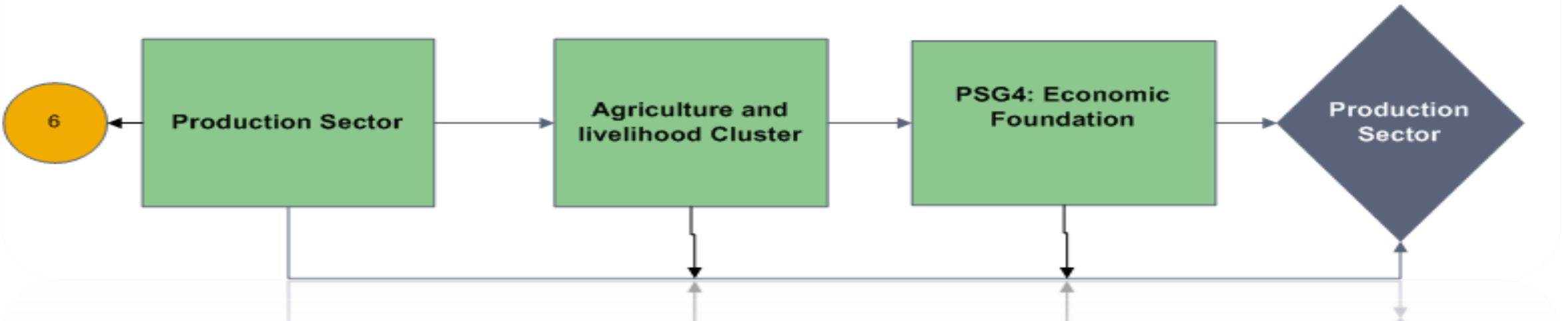
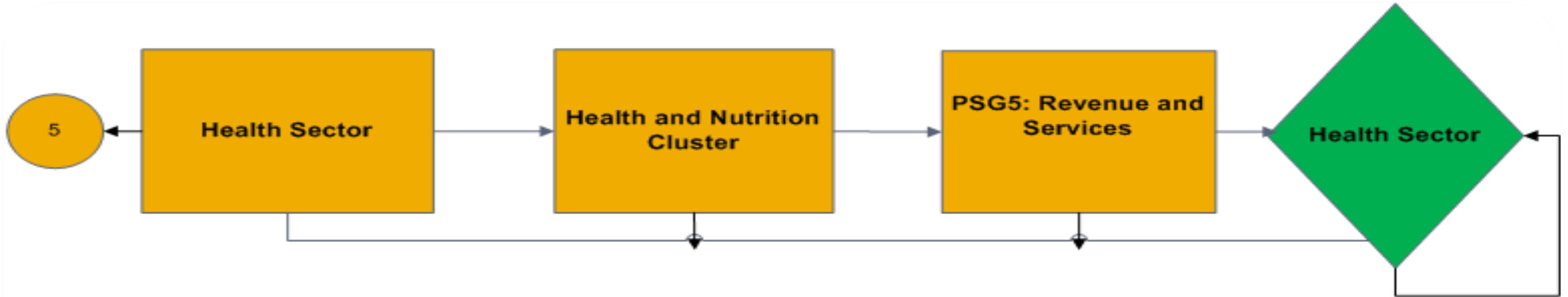


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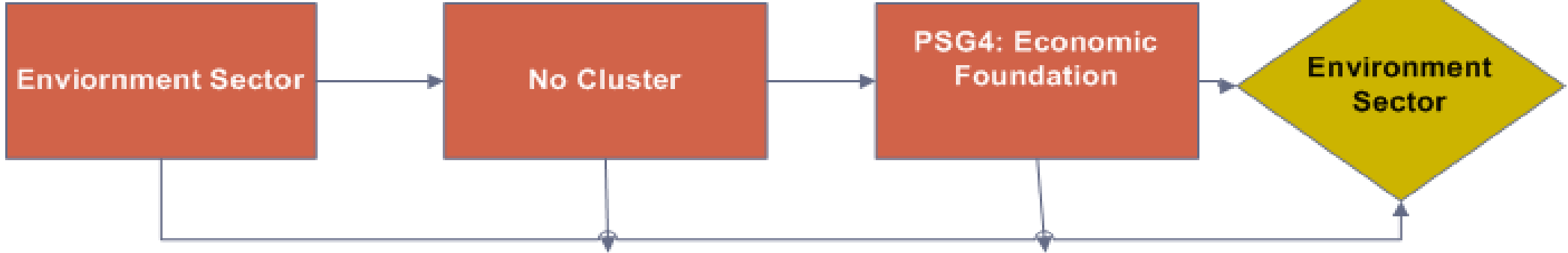


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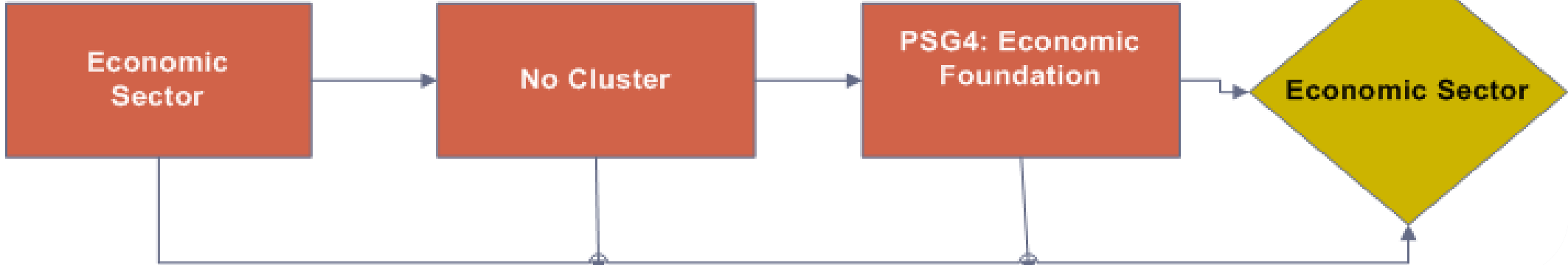


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WAY FORWARD



1. The **General Terms of References** for sectors will **be Reviewed in line with the Cluster ToRs.** (By beginning October, 2015)
2. The new structural alignment to be effective after High Level Aid Coordination Meeting
3. Inter-Sectoral Coordination Forum and An Inter-Cluster Working Group). Should be Aligned together



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4. Frequency of Sector meetings to be quarter basis
5. Package of financial and technical support for Levels of Coordination
6. For post 2016 it is necessary to have one comprehensive plan supported by the Sectors

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