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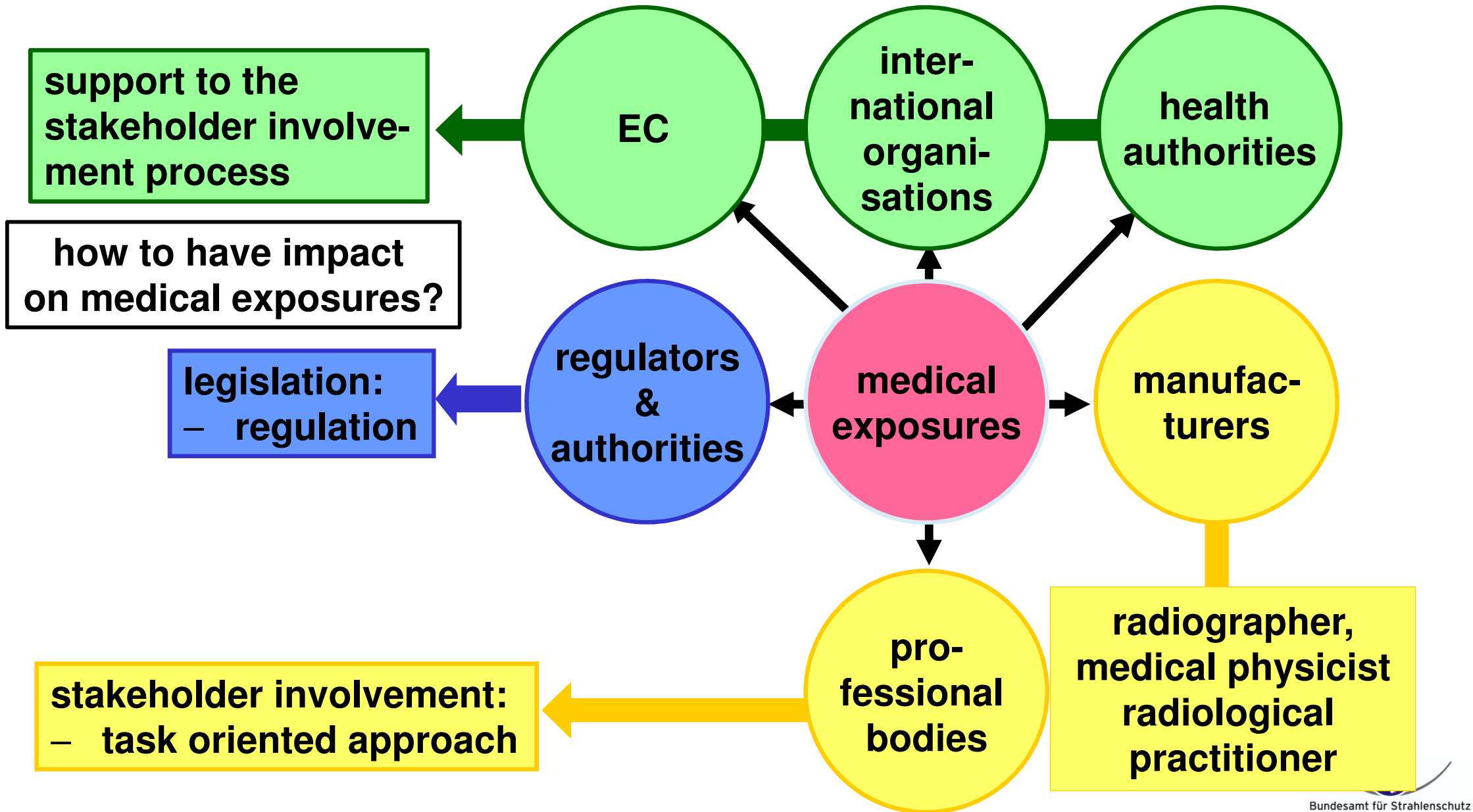
**Multi-Stakeholder Meeting on the
Optimised Use of CT Scanners,
Paris, 01.04.2015**

Introduction and Objectives of the Meeting:

- **Task-Oriented Approach:
Voluntary Self Commitments**

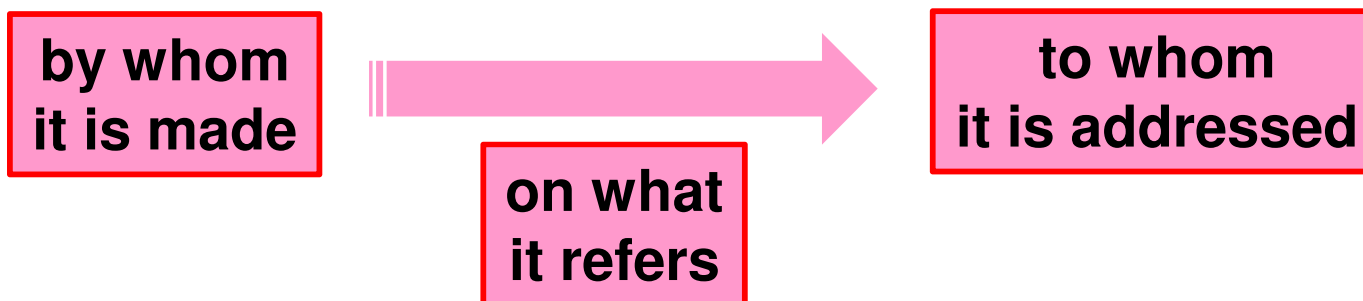
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Main Stakeholders: Optimisation



Stakeholder Involvement: Task Oriented Approach

- (1) A **task oriented approach** is a type of stakeholder involvement, in which stakeholders commit to measures, here, to measures to improve the optimisation in CT scanner.
- (2) The strongest commitment is a **voluntary self-commitment**.
- (3) Commitments:
 - are used in areas where **regulations are not possible or not intended**,
 - should follow the **SMART approach**:
 - **S**pecific / **M**easureable / **A**ssignable / **R**ealistic / **T**ime-related,
 - should comply with **basic rules for proper communication**:



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- (5) Commitments, in particular voluntary self-commitments, must be preferably formulated by the **participating stakeholders**, rather than being imposed by the regulators.
- (4) In the past, voluntary self-commitments have been **successful** in dealings between **HERCA** and **COCIR**
 - Alexandra's presentation "*Setting the Scene*".
- (5) At present, HERCA is discussing with various relevant stakeholders on **voluntary self-commitments concerning the justification of individual medical exposures**
 - Multi-Stakeholder Meeting on Justification in Brussels in 2014.

Objectives of the Meeting: Road Map for Stakeholder Involvement

Stakeholder involvement needs to have a road map, which typically includes the following steps:

- Step 1:** Agree on the principle of a task oriented approach, in which stakeholder organisations commit to measures:
- identify to what extent.
- Step 2:** Identify what issues each stakeholder organisation commits to address “in principle”.
- Step 3:** Finalize any commitment as SMART as possible & Obtain approval of all organizations involved.
- Next Steps:** Follow-up the achievements:
- reports & meetings on a regular base.



Thank you for your attention