

Regulatory frameworks for projects: activity cycle and transition from the CDM

Webinar: Article 6.4 mechanism implementation updates for A6.4 DNAs

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Background of decisions

- **Decision 3/CMA.3:**

- a) Paragraph 5(a): requested the Supervisory Body to develop provisions for the development and approval of methodologies, **validation, registration, monitoring, verification and certification, issuance, renewal**, first transfer from the mechanism registry, voluntary cancellation (...);
- b) Paragraph 62 of the annex (RMPs): Stakeholders, activity participants and participating Parties may **appeal decisions** of the Supervisory Body or request that a **grievance be addressed** by an independent grievance process.

- **Decision 7/CMA.4:**

- a) Paragraph 23: requested the Supervisory Body to develop and operationalize a procedure for requesting **transition of activities** from the clean development mechanism to Article 6.4 mechanism by no later than June 2023.



Regulatory documents approved by the Supervisory Body

- **Standards:**

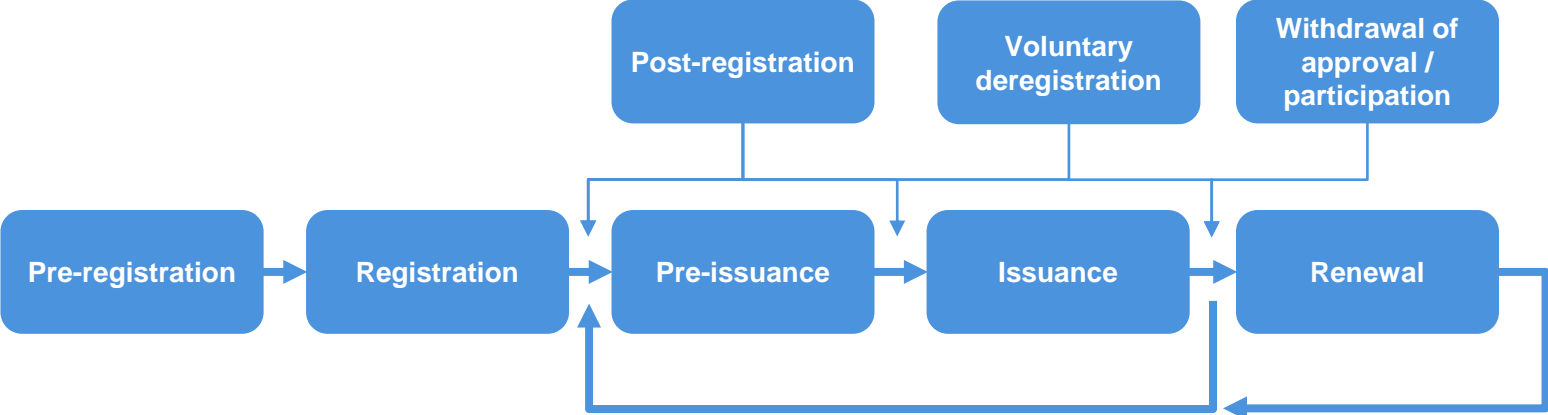
- a) Transition of CDM activities to the Article 6.4 mechanism;
Sets out required activity design and other attributes of CDM projects, PoAs and CPAs for the transition to the Article 6.4 mechanism.
- b) Article 6.4 activity standard for projects;
Sets out requirements relating to the design, implementation and other attributes of A6.4 projects.
- c) Article 6.4 validation and verification standard for projects;
Provides DOEs the minimum requirements for validation, post-registration and renewal of the crediting period of an A6.4 project, and the verification of GHG emission reductions or net GHG removals.

- **Procedures**

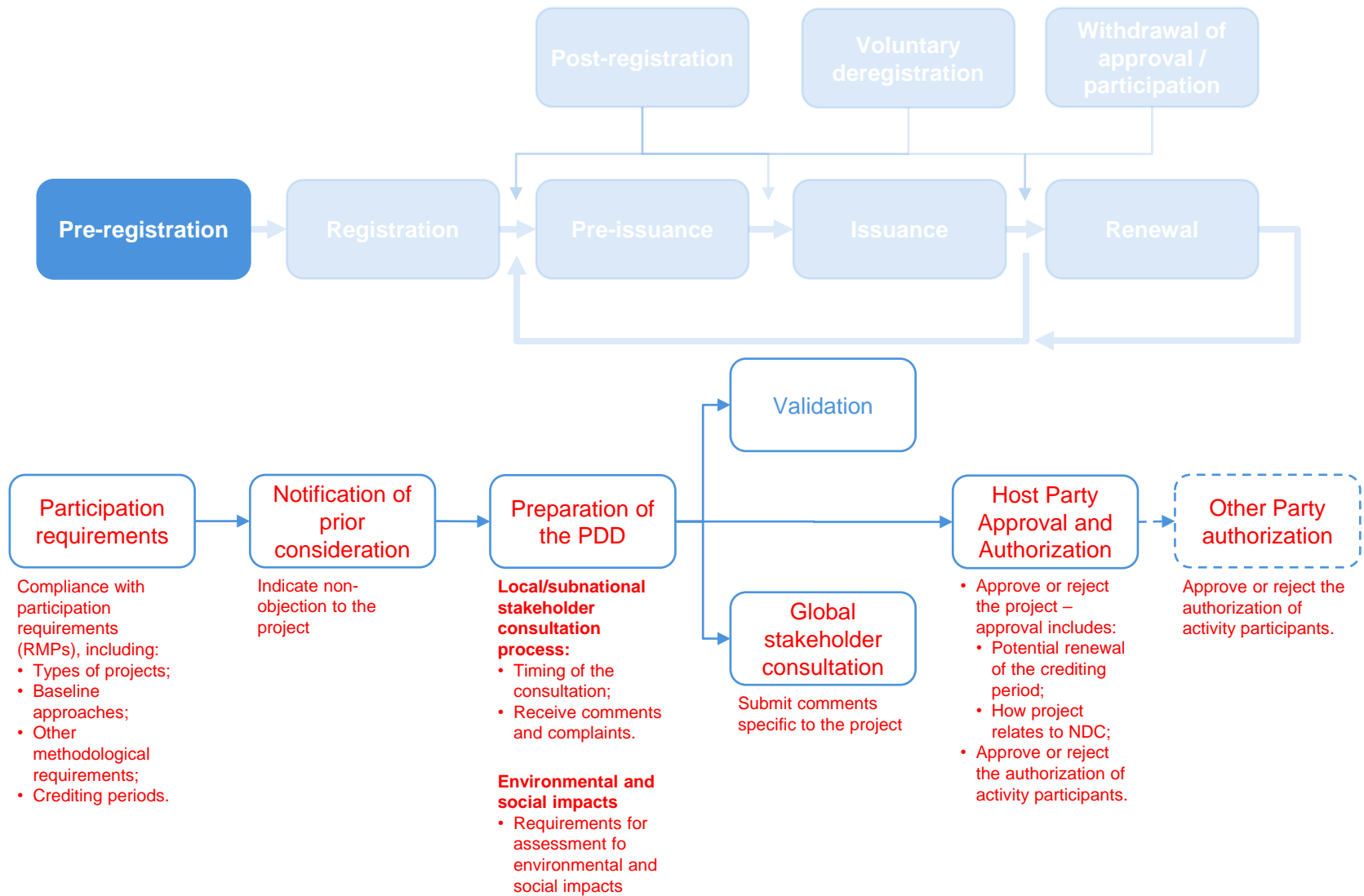
- a) Transition of CDM activities to the Article 6.4 mechanism;
Sets out procedural steps for CDM projects, PoAs and CPAs to transition to the Article 6.4 mechanism.
 - b) Article 6.4 activity cycle procedure for projects;
Describes the administrative steps to follow for the pre-registration, registration, post-registration change and renewal of the crediting period of projects, and pre-issuance and issuance of GHG emission reductions or net GHG removals.
 - c) Appeals and grievance procedure;
Describes the administrative steps to follow to file an appeal against a decision of the Supervisory Body, submit a grievance against an A6.4 project and to process appeals and grievances.
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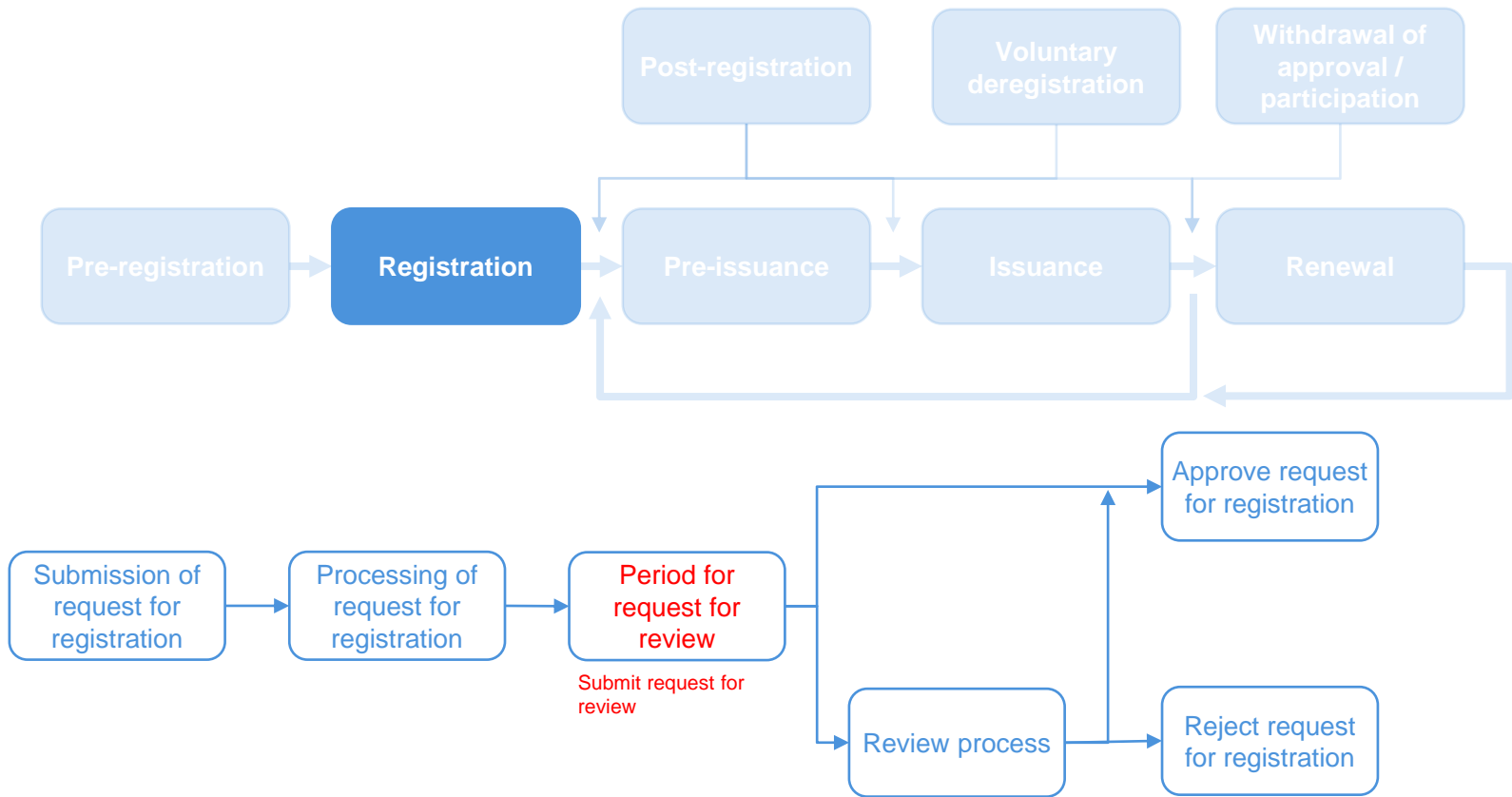
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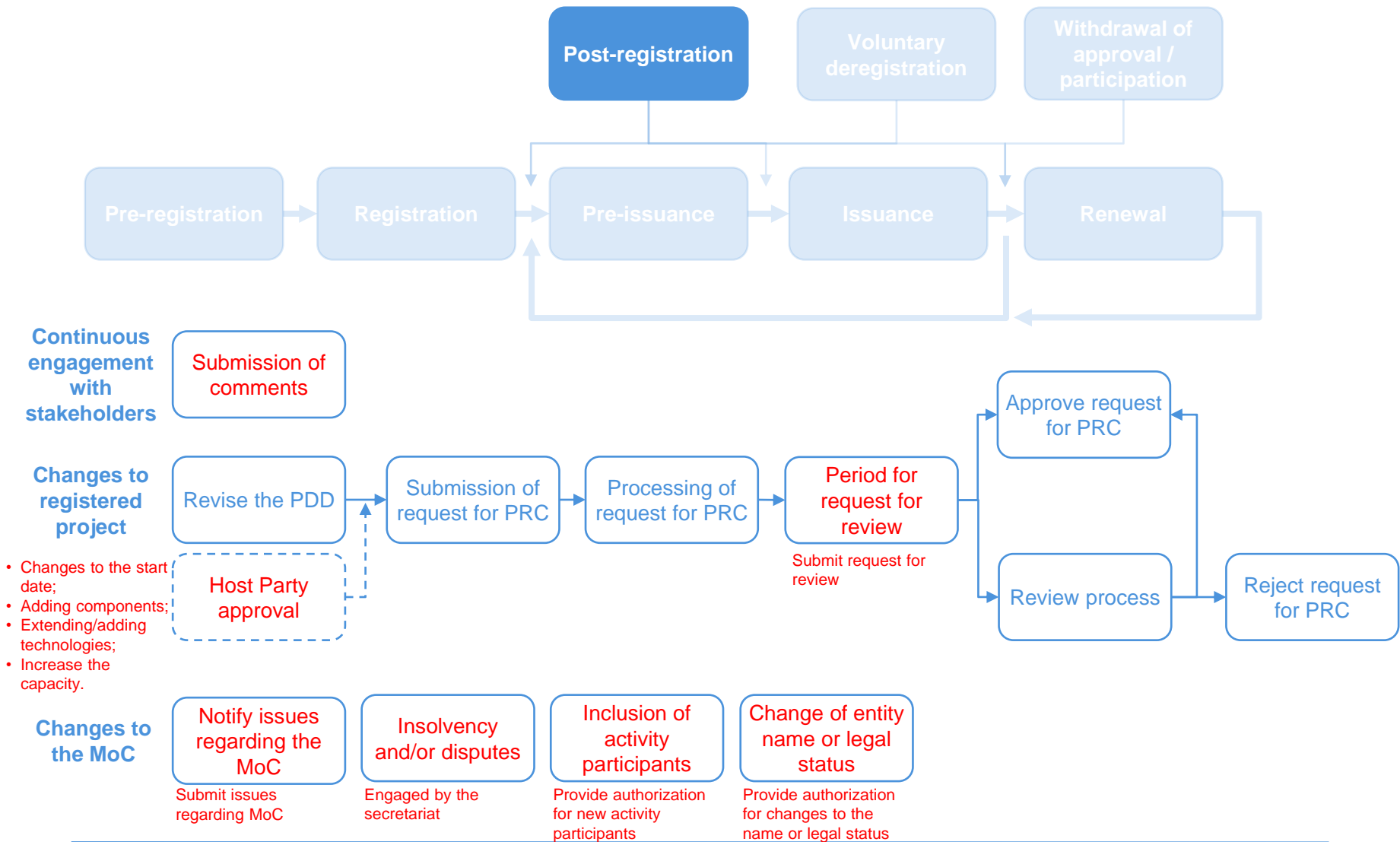
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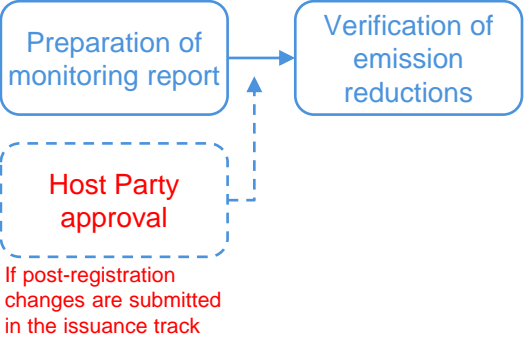
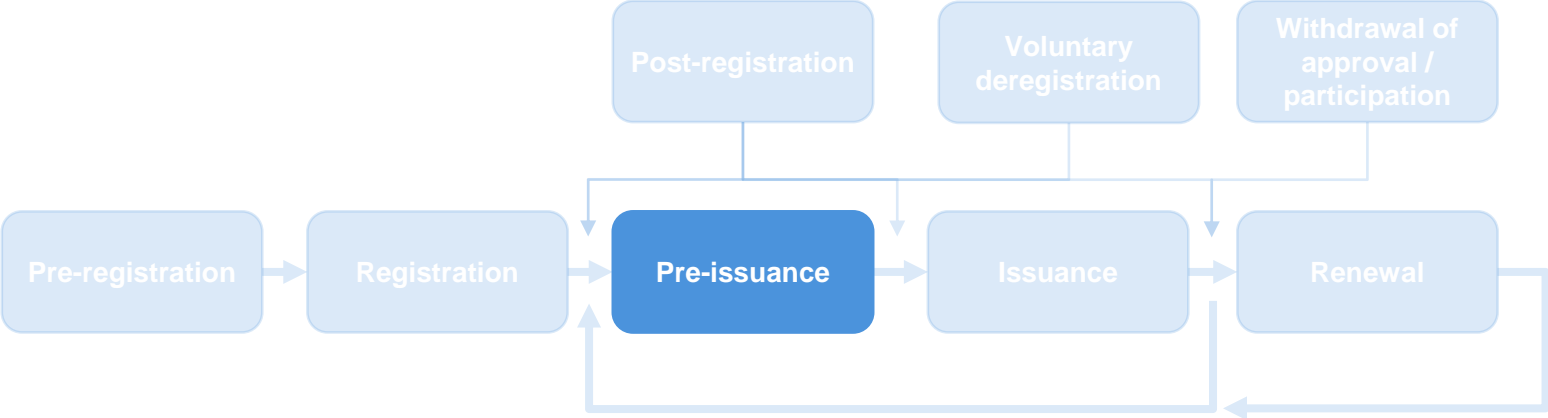
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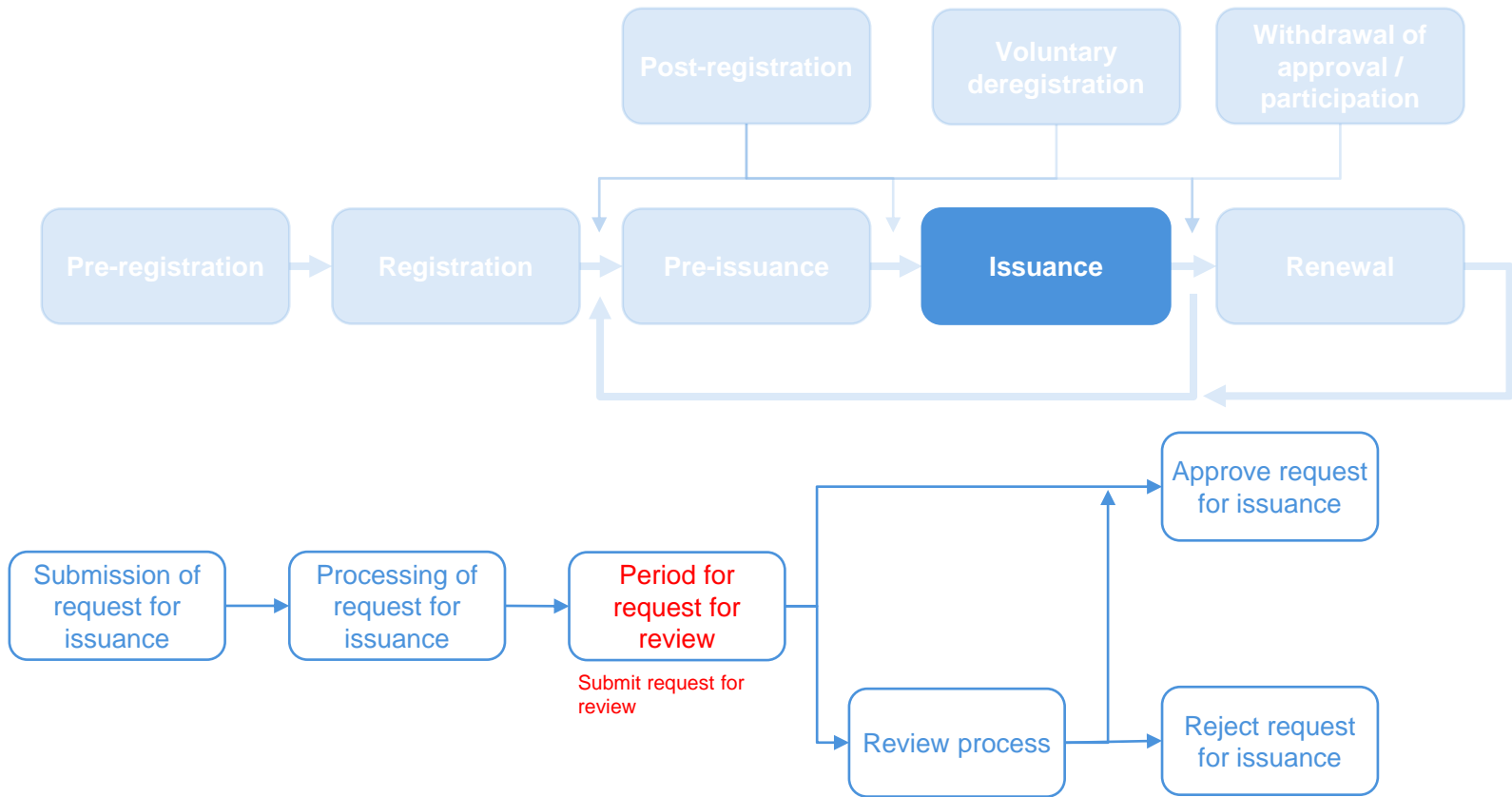
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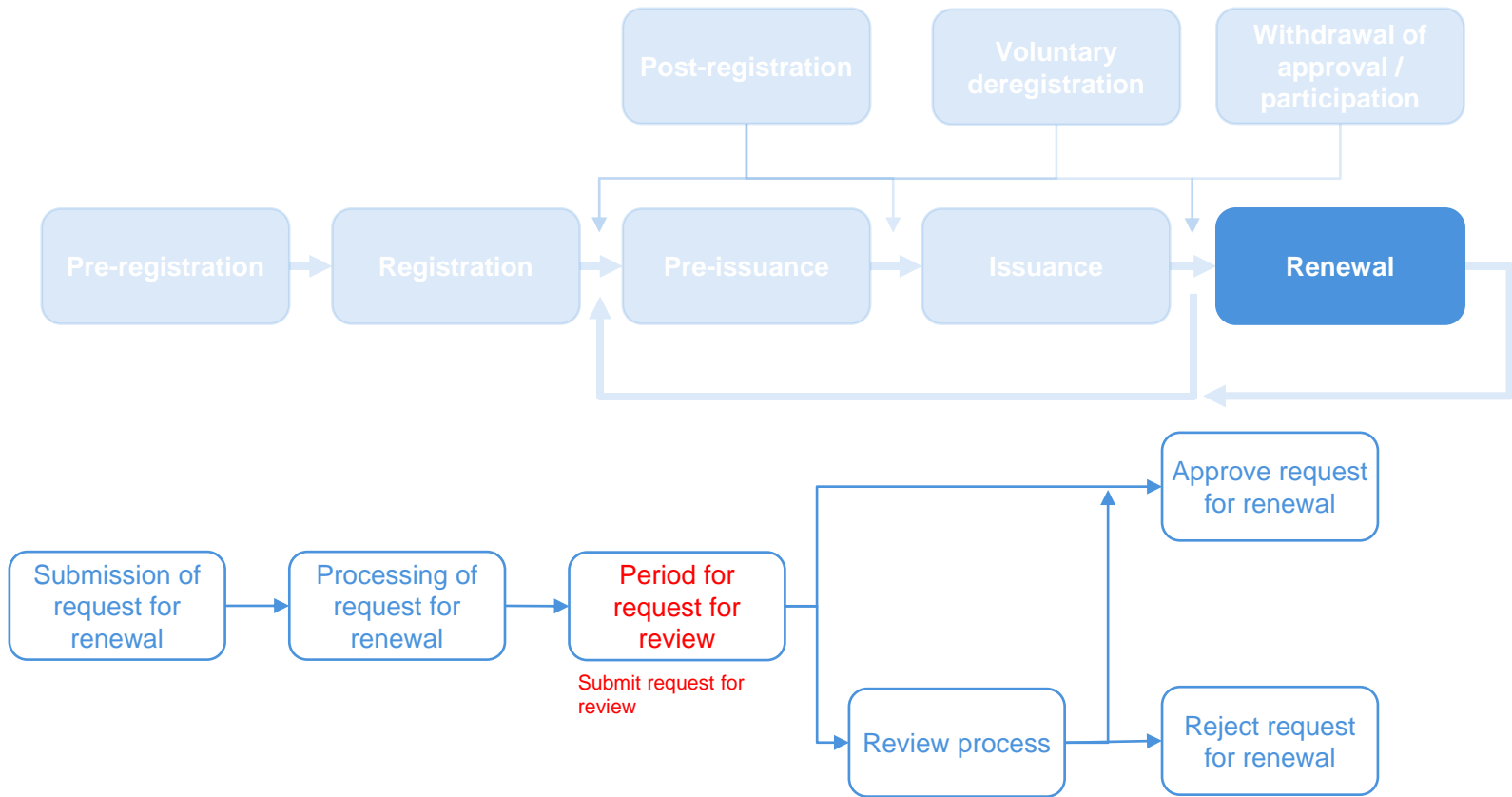
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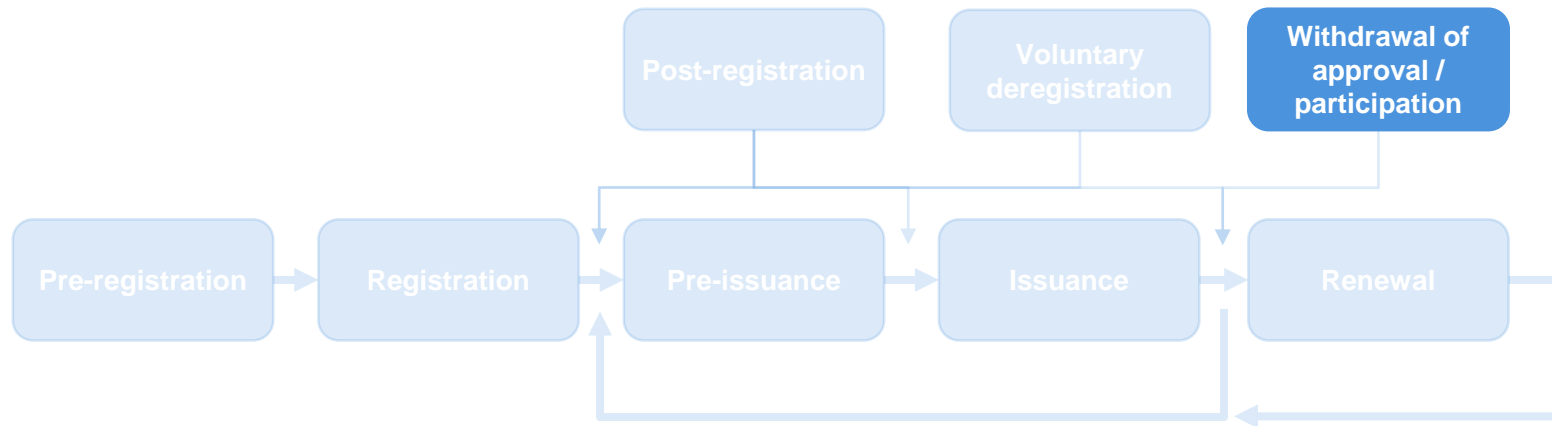
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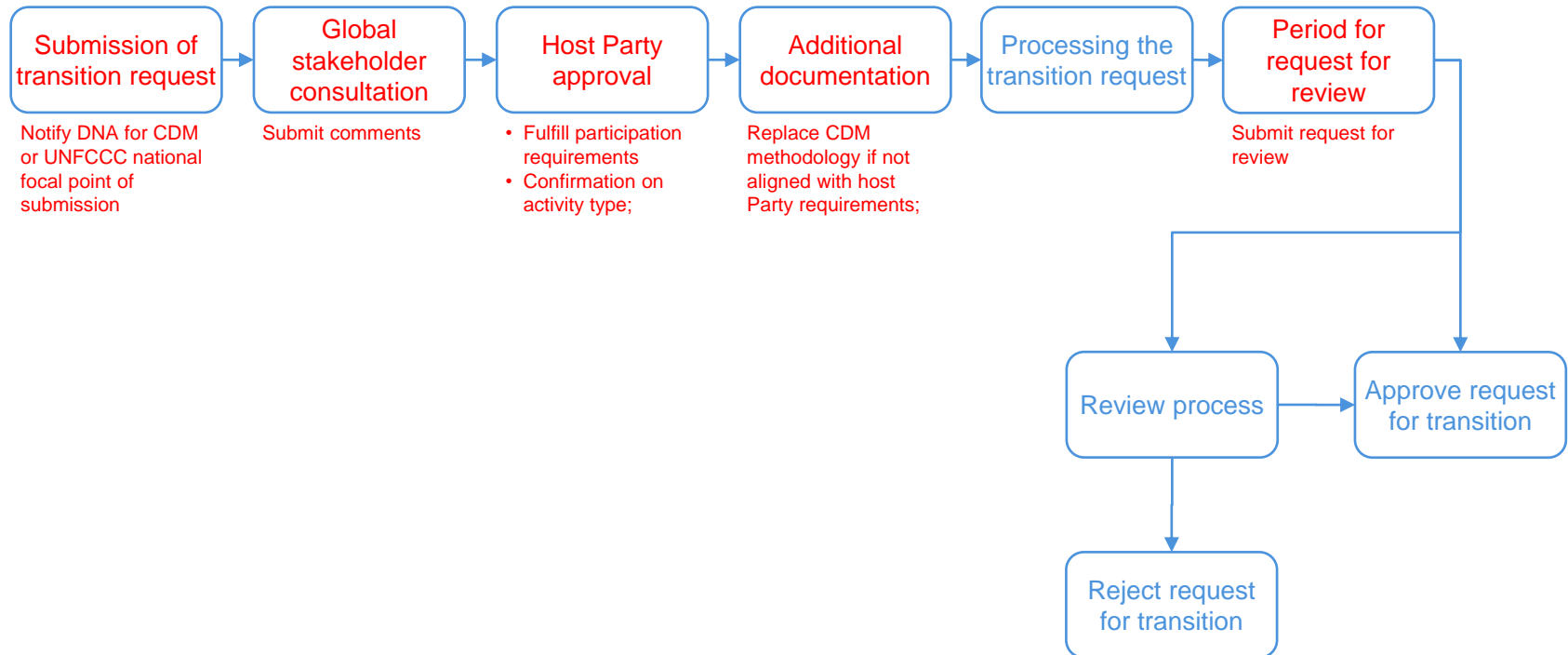
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Submit request for withdraw the approval or authorization



Procedure: Transition of CDM activities to the Article 6.4 mechanism



Procedure: Appeal and grievance processes under the Article 6.4 mechanism

- **Appeal can be filed by the DNA of a host Party or by the DNA of any participating Party:**
 - a) Approval or rejection of a **request for registration** of a project or a programme of activities (PoA), or for the **inclusion** of a component project (CP) in a PoA;
 - b) Approval or rejection of a **request for approval of a post-registration change** to a project, PoA or CP;
 - c) Approval or rejection of a **request for issuance**;
 - d) Approval or rejection of a **request for renewal** of the crediting period or PoA period, or for a **notification of renewal** of the crediting period of a CP
 - e) The **application of Party-specific elements of methodological products** that are applicable to that host Party.



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