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OpenMI

The OpenMI Association

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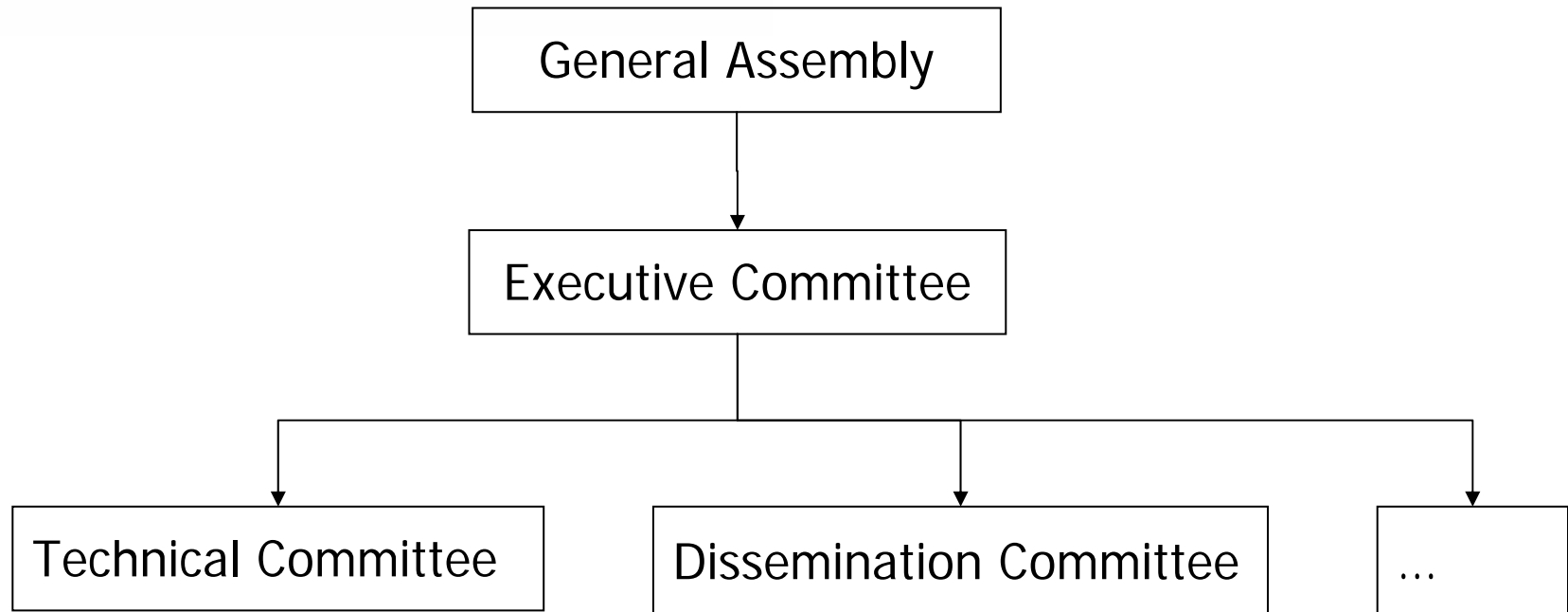
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- Key is *to continue the development of the OpenMI, promote its use and support its user community.*
- Formally stated as “the promotion of the development, use, management and maintenance of the Open Modelling Interface (OpenMI), a software standard for the exchange of data between computer software in environmental management”

TO BE ACHIEVED BY

- Exchanging information with regard to the OpenMI, e.g. by maintaining and up-to-date website
- Stimulating the maintenance and development of the OpenMI standard and supporting software and manage their release
- Stimulating the information provision and discussion on OpenMI in Europe and worldwide by the organisation of and/or participation in events

Organization



General Assembly

- Chooses the Executive Committee members
- Controls and approves budgets

Executive Committee

- Runs the organisation
- Maintains the register of members
- Manages the budgets
- Decides on strategic issues and significant changes to the OpenMI (non-backward compatible modifications to the OpenMI Standard and software releases)

- Technical Committee
 - provides support to OpenMI specific questions
 - addresses OpenMI change requests and improves OpenMI
 - proposes and manages new releases
- Dissemination Committee
 - keeps the website up to date
 - supports information exchange e.g. via exposure at events (e.g. convene conference sessions, stimulate conference presentations)

Legal Establishment

- Association (“vereniging”) under Dutch Law
- Date of establishment: hopefully June 2007
- Founding fathers:
 - Dutch Min.of Public Works/Rijkswaterstaat, NERC-CEH, WL Delft Hydraulics, DHI Water and Environment, Wallingford Software, NTUA

The OA Business Process

Outputs
Key activities
Stakeholders

