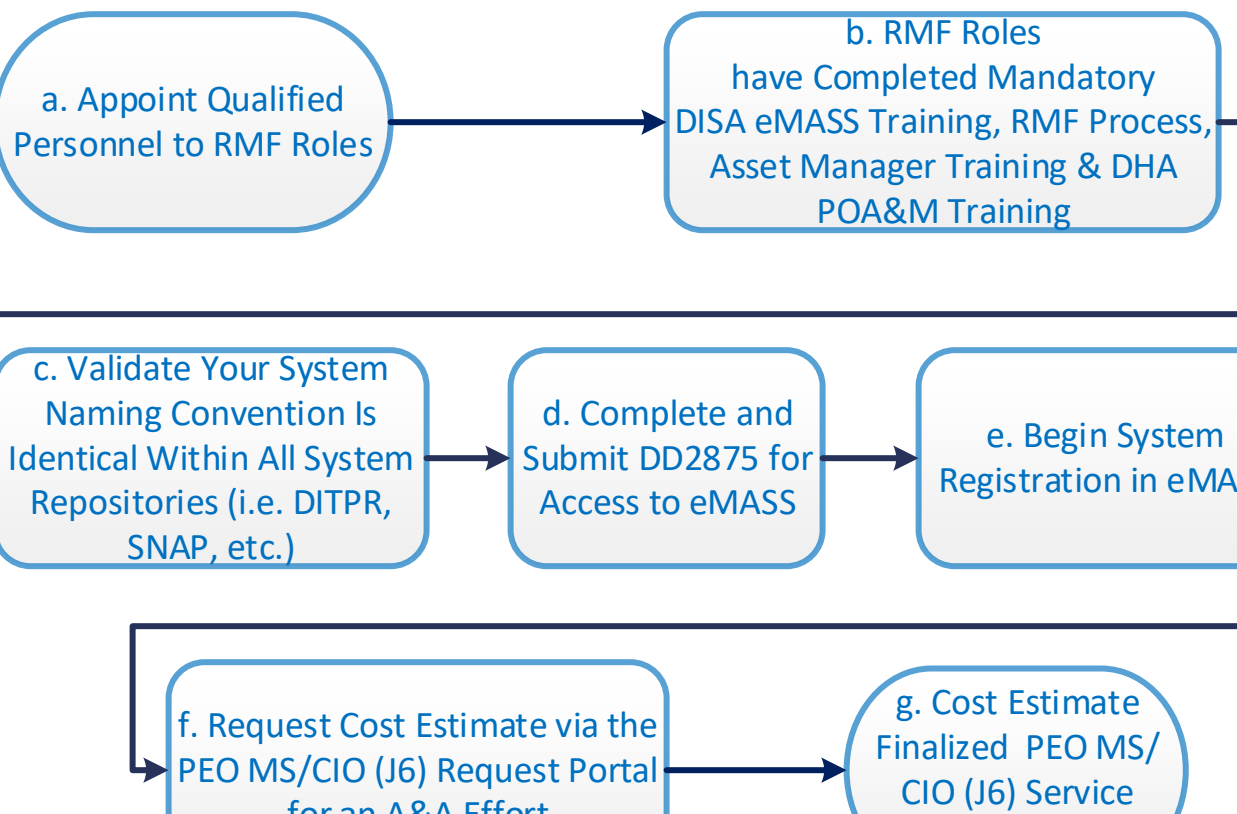


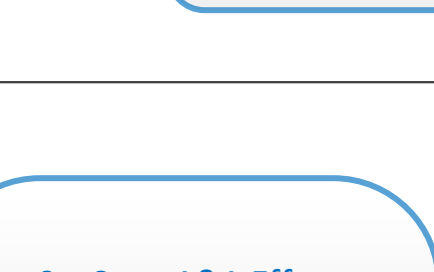
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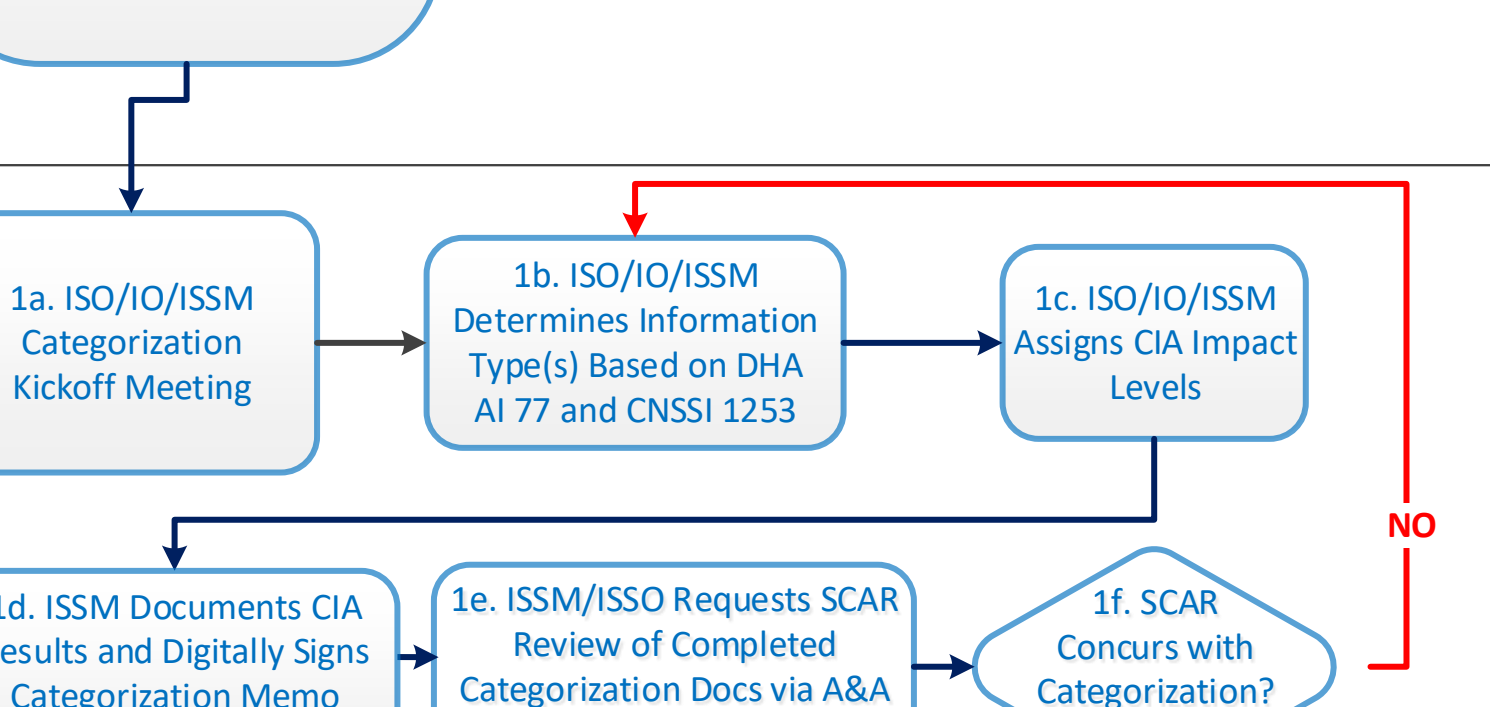
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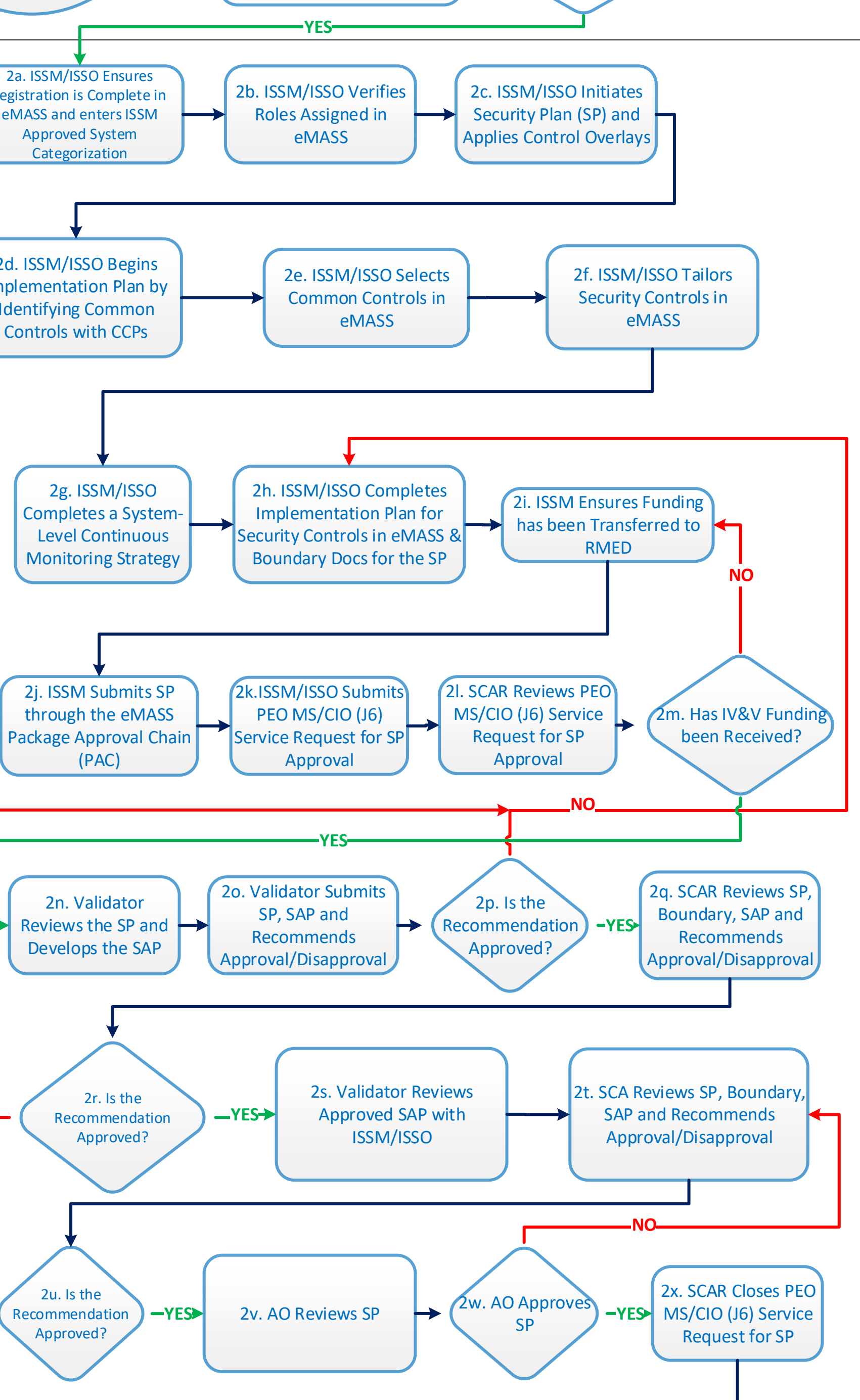
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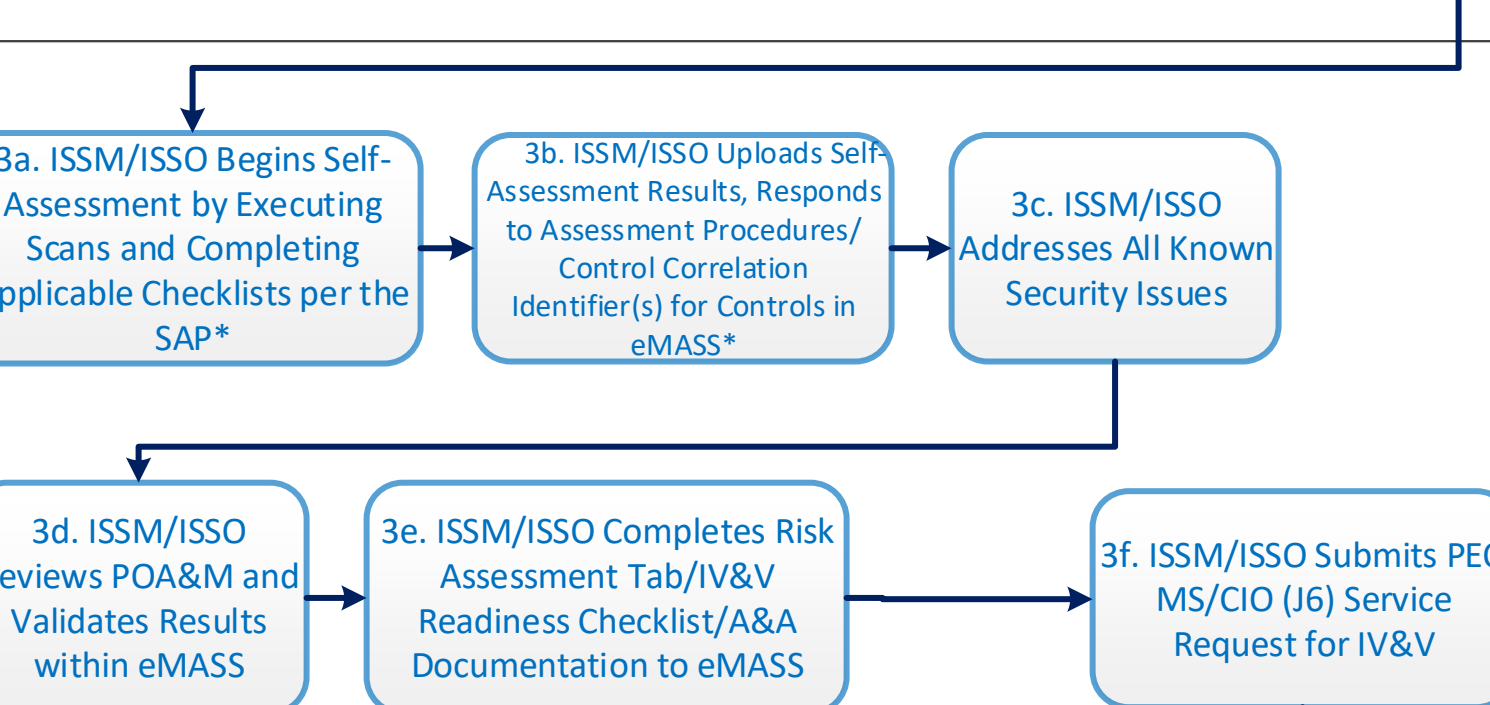
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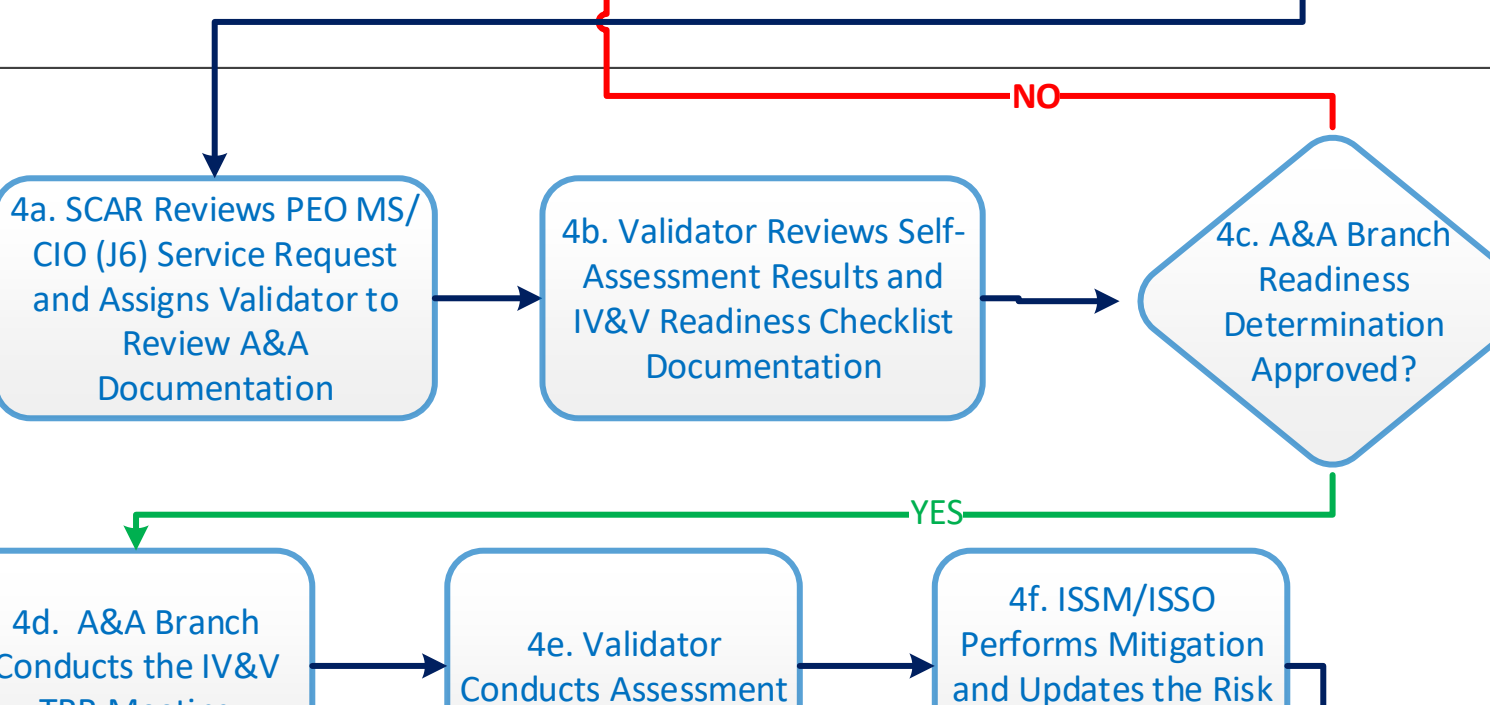
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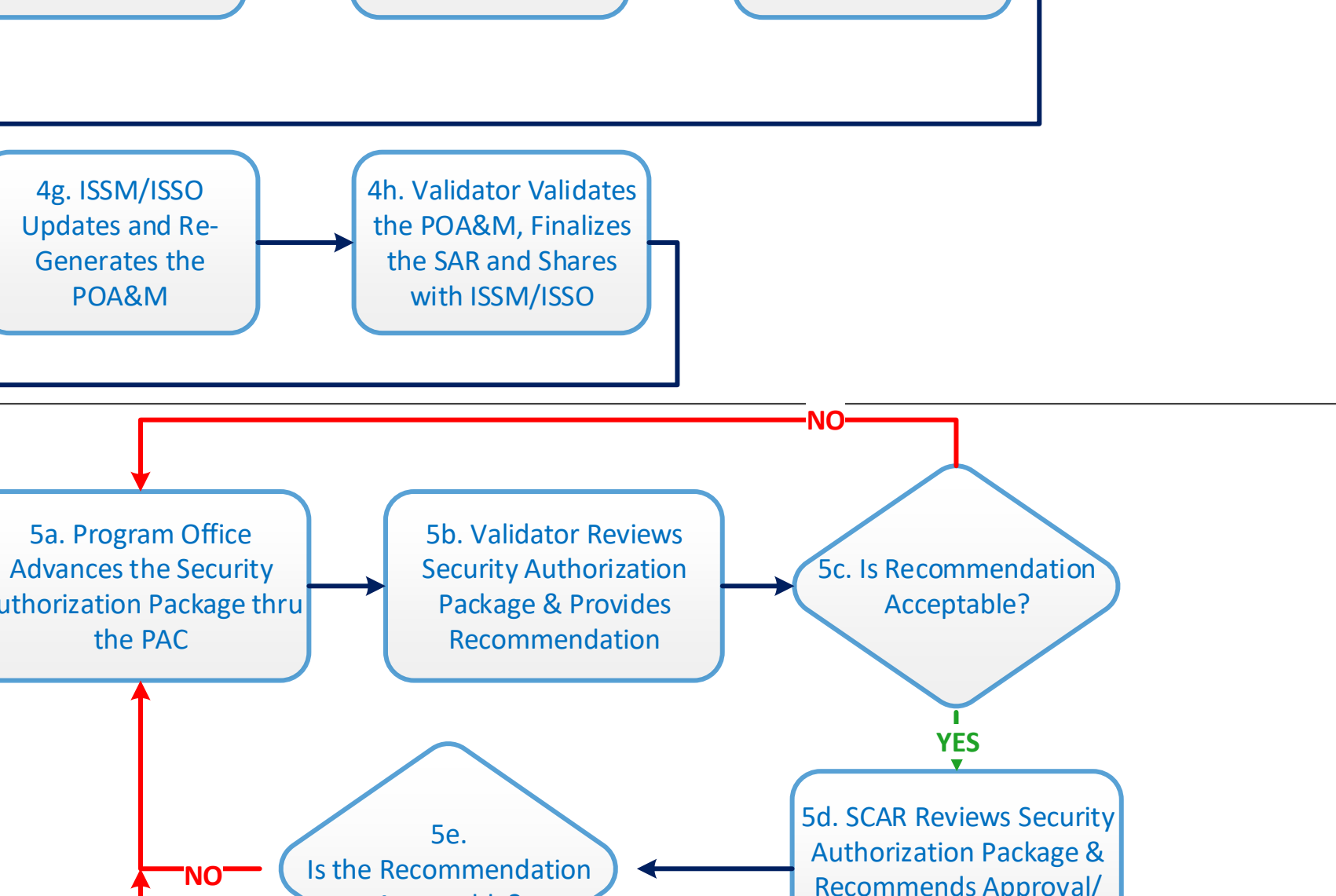
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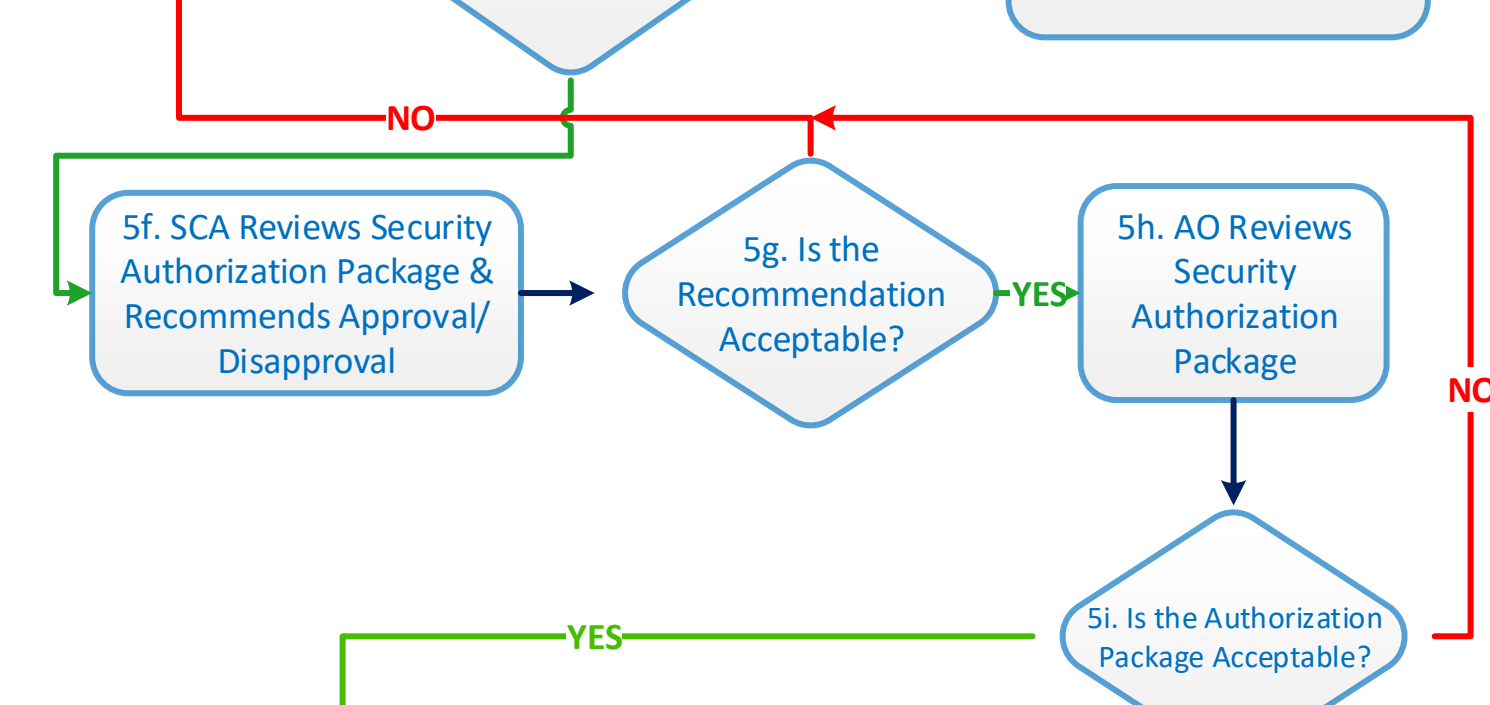
STEP 4: ASSESS



STEP 5: AUTHORIZE



STEP 6: MONITOR



Legend

- A&A:** Assessment & Authorization
- AO:** Authorizing Official
- CO:** Control Correlation Identifier
- CCP:** Common Control Provider
- CIA:** Confidentiality Integrity Availability
- CNSI:** Committee on National Security Systems Instruction
- eMASS:** Enterprise Mission Assurance Support Service
- ISO:** Information System Owner
- ISSE:** Information System Security Engineer
- ISSO:** Information System Security Officer
- ISSM:** Information System Security Manager
- IV&V:** Independent Verification & Validation
- PM:** Program Manager
- PMO:** Program Management Office
- POA&M:** Plan of Action & Milestone
- RMF:** Risk Management Framework
- SAP:** Security Assessment Plan
- SAR:** Security Assessment Report
- SCA:** Security Control Assessor
- SCAR:** Security Control Assessor Representative
- SISO:** Senior Information Security Officer
- SP:** Security Plan

* : More detail on Self-Assessments can be found in the DHA RMF Self-Assessment Guide
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