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ID Management and e-government : The Dutch Approach

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ADMINISTRATIVE IDENTITY AND e-GOVERNMENT

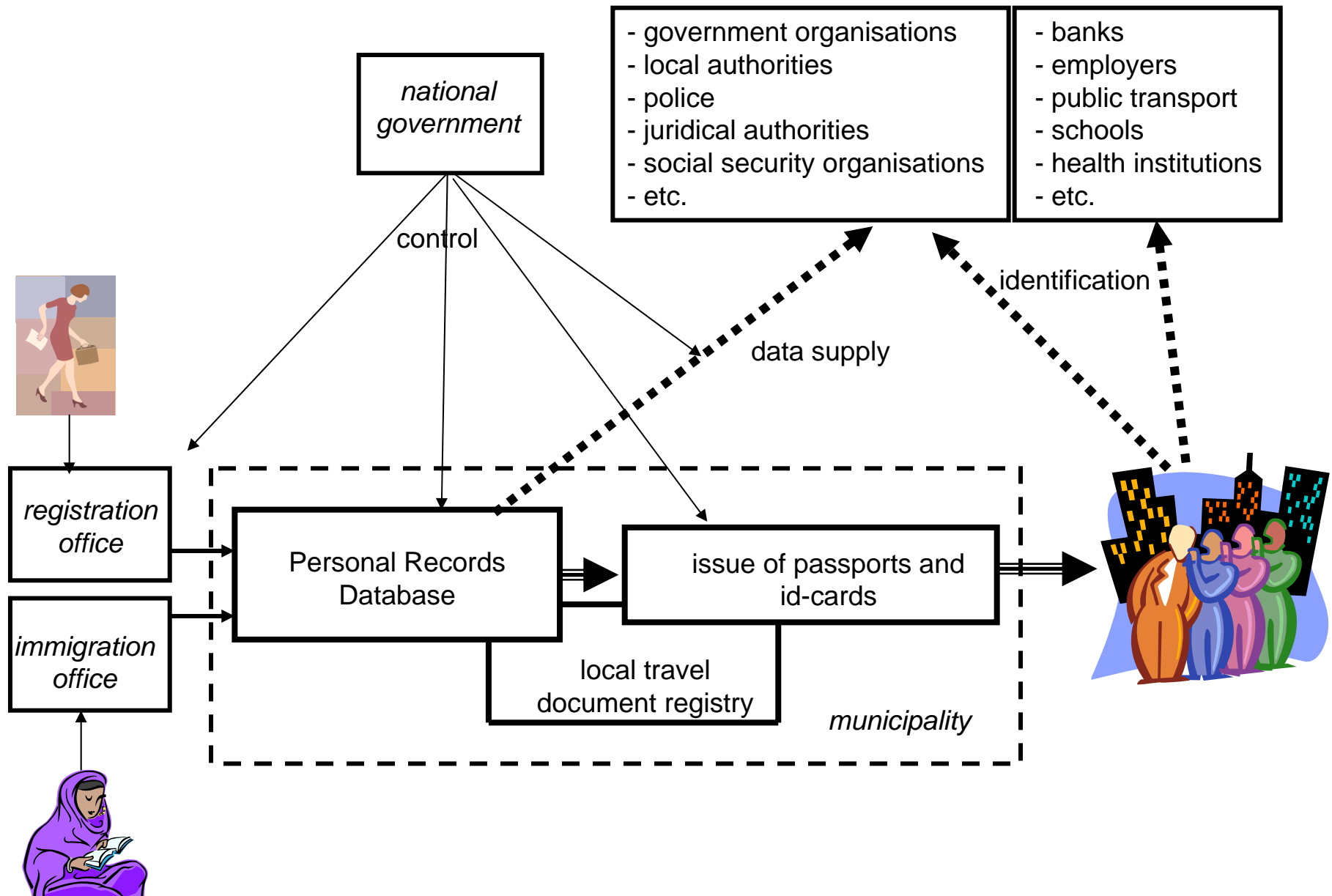
Administrative identity

consists of the set of data that are unique for one individual person and which set of data is inseparably connected to that particular person

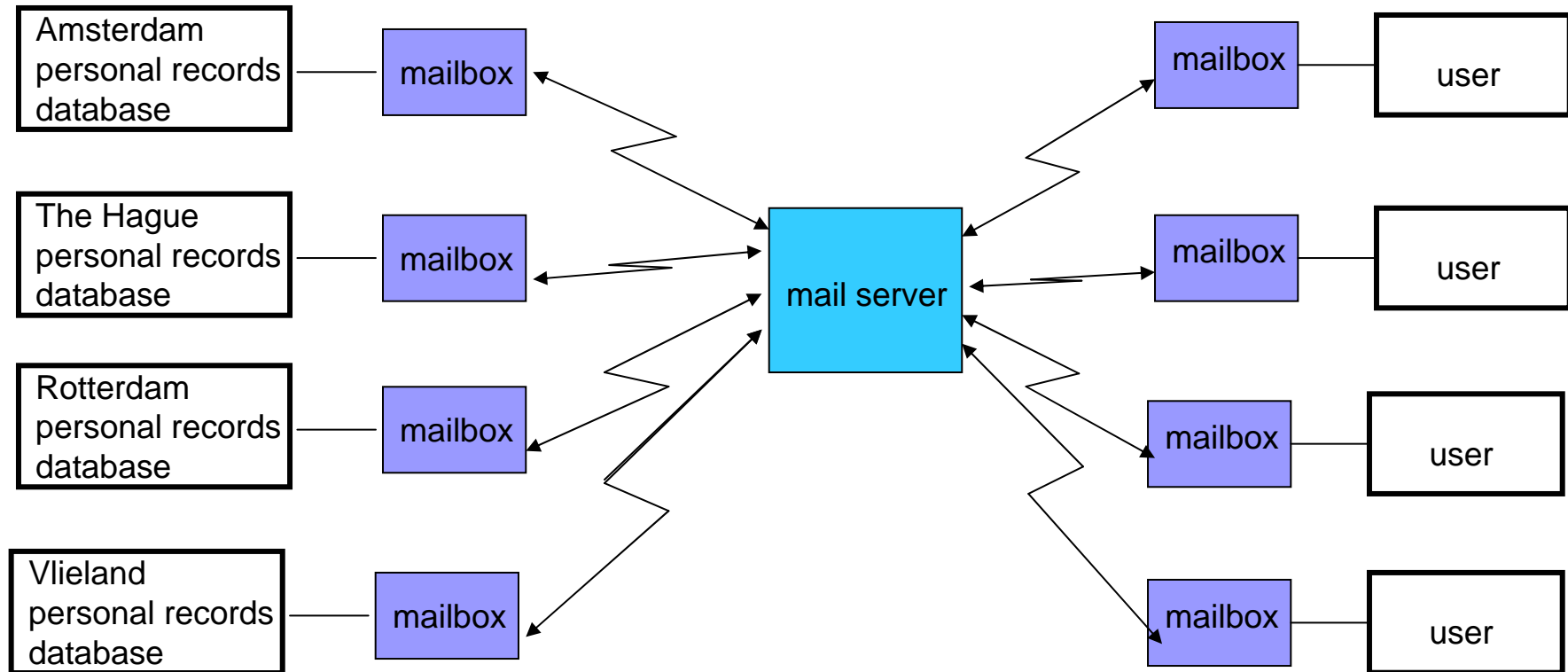
Main subjects

- Trust
- Infrastructure for id-management in the Netherlands
- ID-management and e-government: coinciding and conflicting interests
- The new approach
- The future

INFRASTRUCTURE



DATASUPPLY



Datasupply:

- spontaneous or by answering questions
- costs of supply are charged



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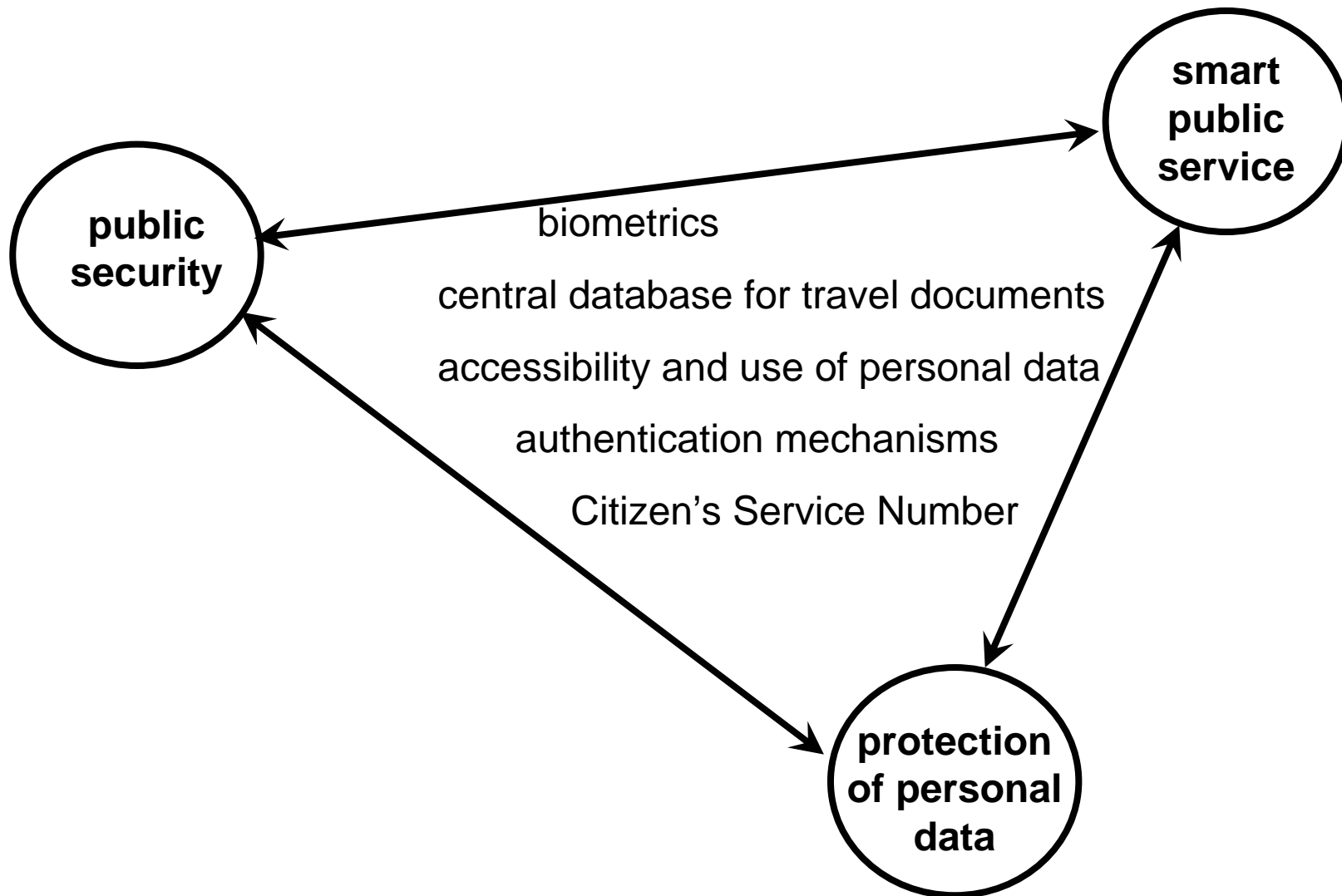
- ❑ use of official personal data is still voluntary

- ❑ increasing demand for government guaranteed personal data

- ❑ e-government services are not supported:
 - the system is slow
 - no electronic authentication mechanisms

- ❑ the system is vulnerable to fraud, especially:
 - false address information
 - use of “look alike” travel documents

COINCIDING AND CONFLICTING INTERESTS





BIOMETRICS

- ❑ main use: prevention of look alike fraud

- ❑ timetable and specifications according to EU-rules:
 - facial scan in august 2006
 - fingerprints probably late 2007

- ❑ some test results:
 - facial scan has a relatively high false rejection or false acceptance rate
 - fingerprint enrolment under 6 and over 60 is difficult
 - encrypting information is necessary
 - uncertainty about actual verification



CENTRAL STORAGE OF TRAVEL DOCUMENTS DATA

- ❑ from 595 local databases (municipalities, embassies) to one central database

- ❑ contents:
 - bearer's administrative data (name, d/p of birth, Citizen's Service Number)

 - bearer's biometric data (facial scan, fingerprints)

 - document data (number, place and date of issue, lost/stolen/in use etc)

- ❑ accessible for verification by 1:1 search

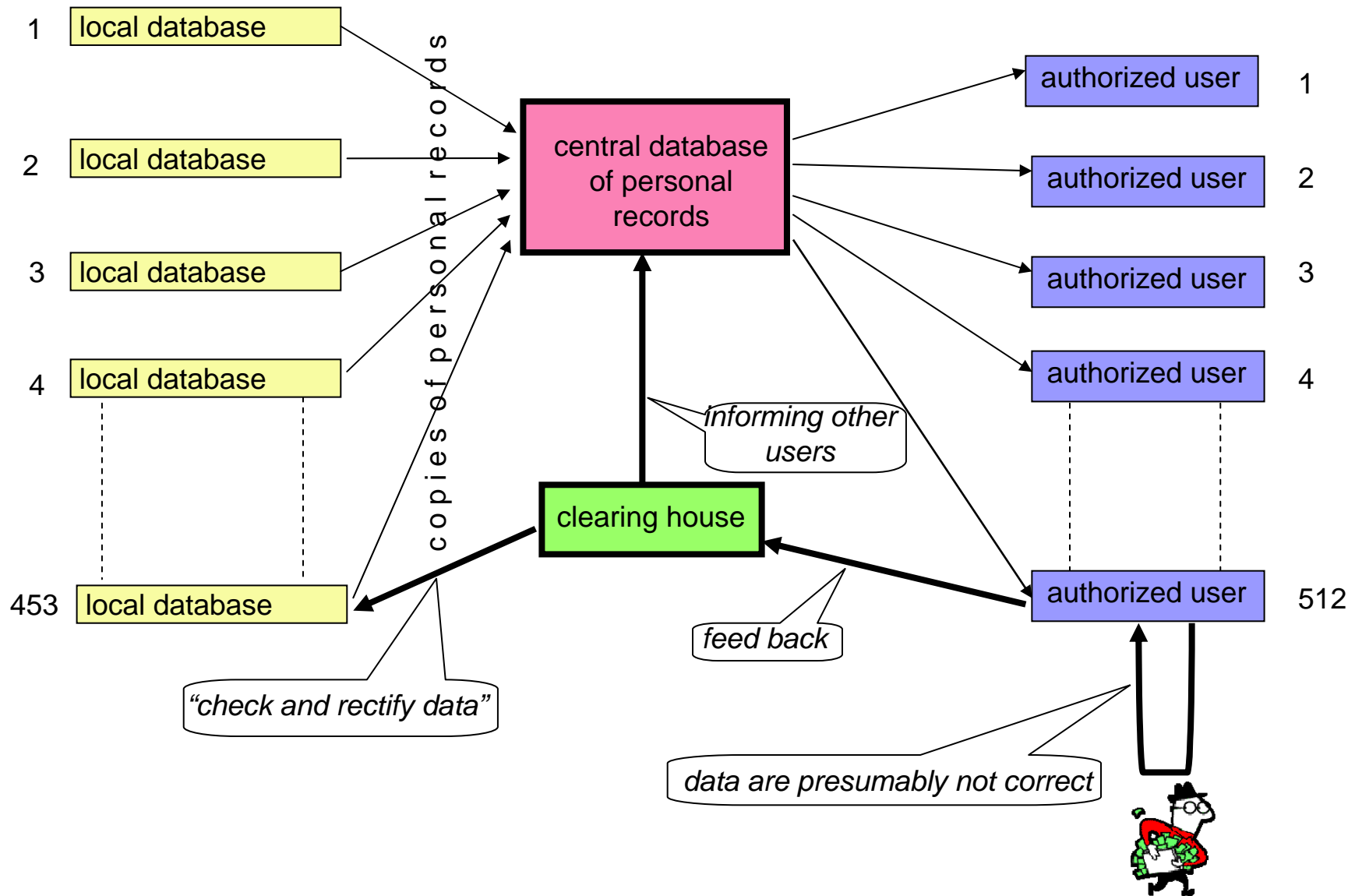
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ON LINE SUPPLY AND MANADATORY USE OF PERSONAL DATA

- predominance of official personal records over all other personal data
- mandatory use by all governmental and local authorities
- mandatory feed back on presumably incorrect data
- ban on asking citizens for known facts
- one central database for on line supply of data to users

SUPPLY OF AND FEED BACK ON PERSONAL DATA





AUTHENTICATION

- “DigiD” (as from 1-1-2006):
 - authentication by user id and password
 - data guaranteed by the central personal records database
 - data traffic secured on basis of SSL

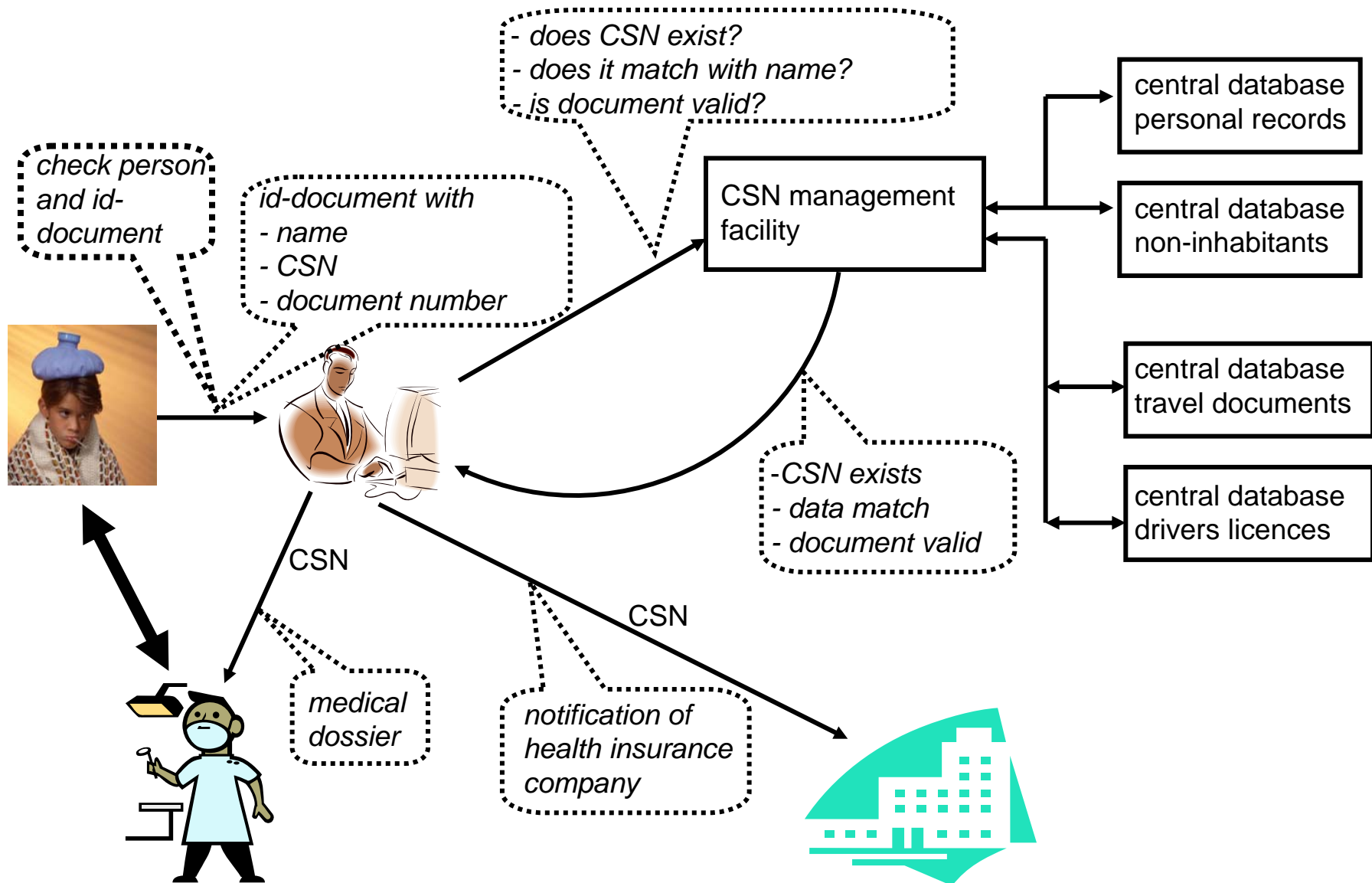
- introduction of e-ID-card (early 2007)
 - authentication of identity by DigiD and pincode (eventually biometrics?)
 - authentication by digital signature
 - data traffic secured on basis of government guaranteed PKI



CITIZEN'S SERVICE NUMBER

- ❑ each citizen has one personal number in governmental and local administration
- ❑ CSN is a reliable, government issued carrier of personal data between sectors and between institutions
- ❑ social security, finance, health care, education, insurance, etc.
- ❑ each user can verify a limited number of personal data on a 1:1 basis (name, CSN, id-document number)

NEW FACILITIES COOPERATING





THE FUTURE

no documents needed?

(verification only by use of central database)

subcutaneous chip ?

(our dog has one!)

who will be big brother?

(security authorities? privacy watch dog? e-government itself?)