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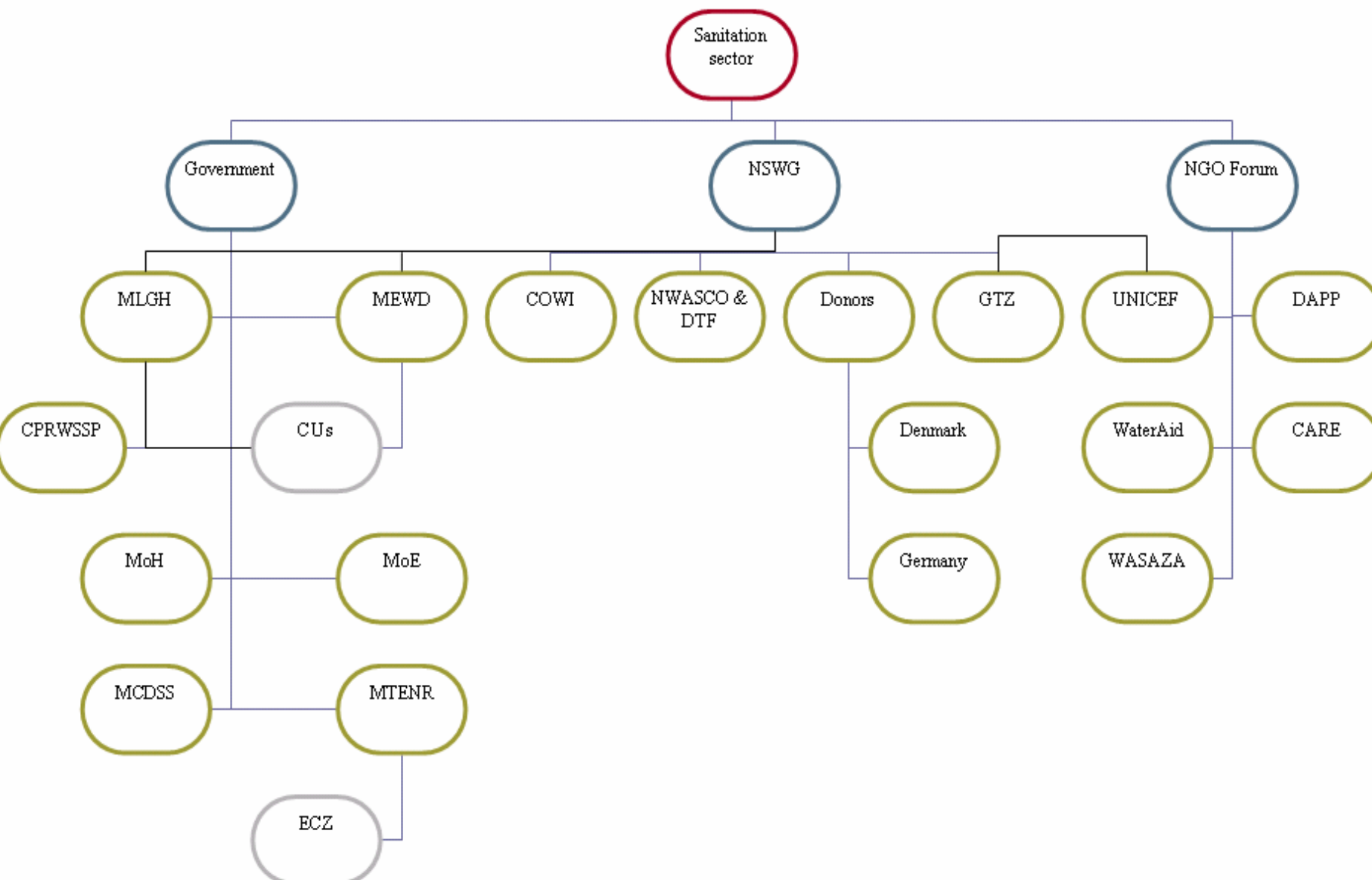
The challenges of sanitation sector in Zambia.

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Current situation in Zambia

- Decentralisation since 2004
 - Dividing responsibility from the ministries to the districts
- Renewing water supply and sanitation policies
 - Including NGOs, donors and consultants in the working groups
- Integrating sanitation to all policies
 - Cooperation between ministries, NGOs, donors and commercial utilities

Sanitation sector in Zambia



The main challenges

- Governance problems
 - Implementation of decentralisation
- Institutional constraints
 - Responsibility and capacity
 - Education
- Financial constraints
 - Subsidies
- Technical challenges
 - Infrastructure, rural and peri-urban settlements

Recommendations

- Recognising the importance of sanitation and the problems at hand
- Completing the decentralisation process
- Increased cooperation between all the actors
 - Involving other sectors such as health, environment and education
- Increasing participation
 - Community based total sanitation (UNICEF)
 - NGO projects

Thank you for your attention!

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