

# Regional Single Window and Project on UN Recommendation

36 –

## SW Interoperability (SWI)



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Single Window Interoperability

# AGENDA

• **Current trend of Regional Single Window**

**Why Single Window interoperates?**

**The way forward**

**About UN/CEFACT Rec 36 - SWI Project**



# Current Trend



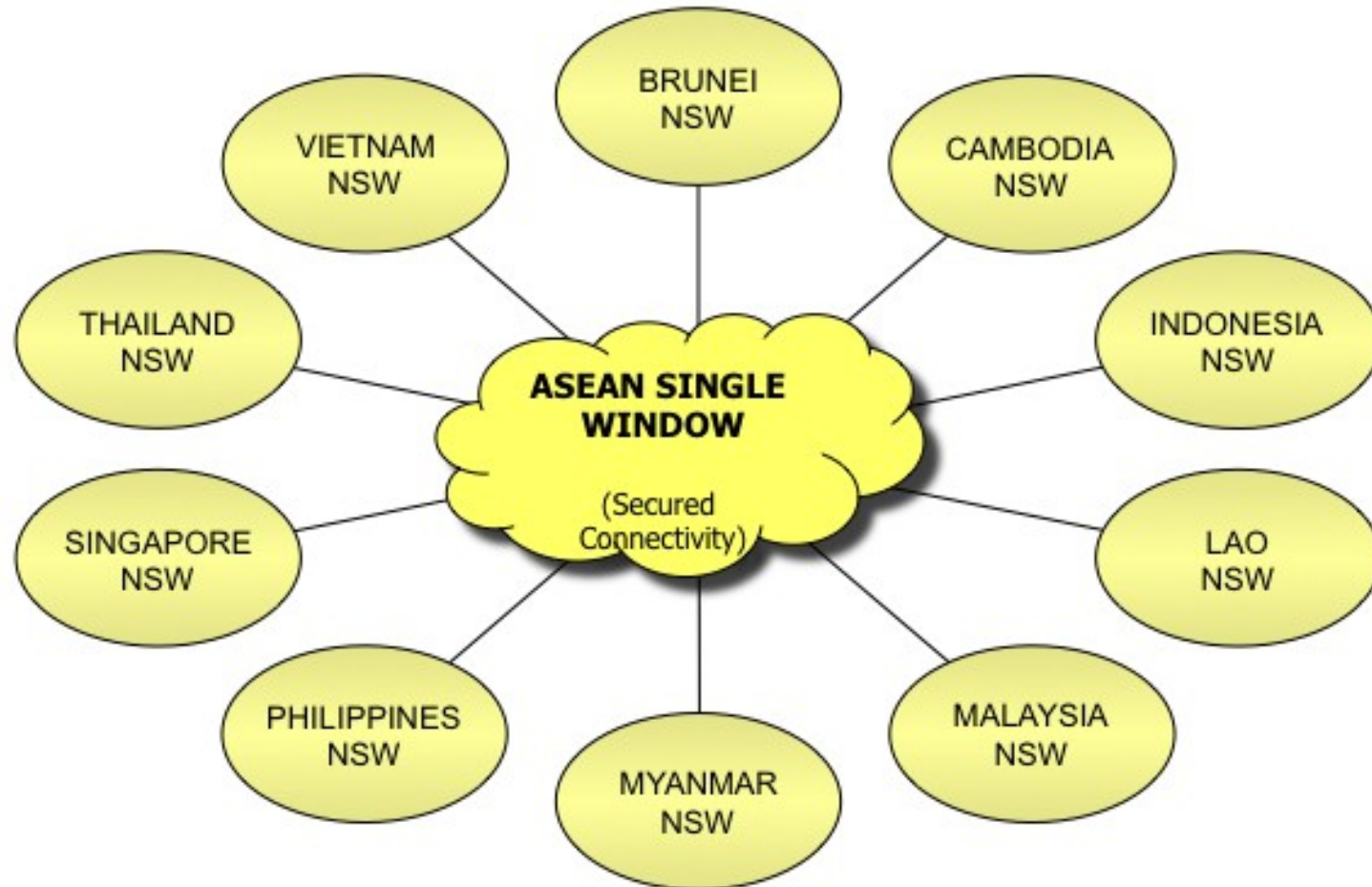
# Cross-Border Exchange Initiatives



- WCO Single Window Initiative
- ASEAN Single Window (ASW)
- Pan-Asian eCommerce Alliance (PAA)
- Asia-Europe Alliance for Paperless Trade (ASEAL)
- Africa Alliance for E-Commerce (AAEC)
- Senegal-Malaysia-UK Project
- The eMaritime Single Window initiative



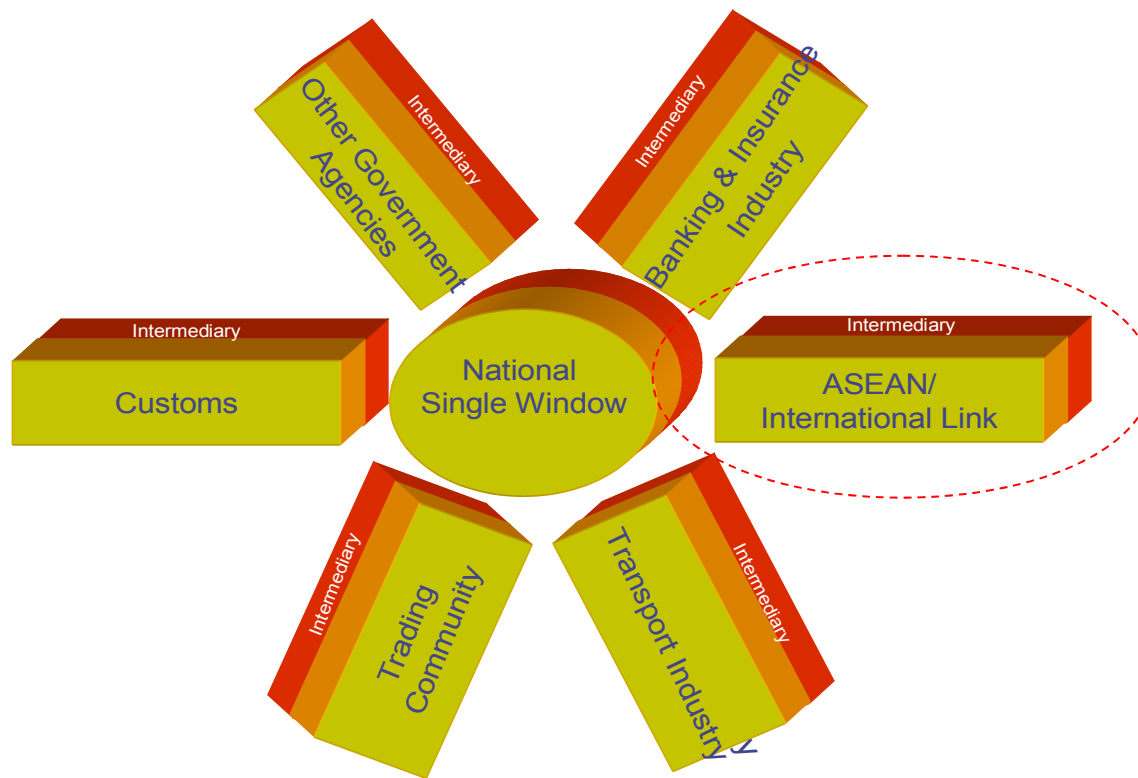
# ASEAN Single Window Concept



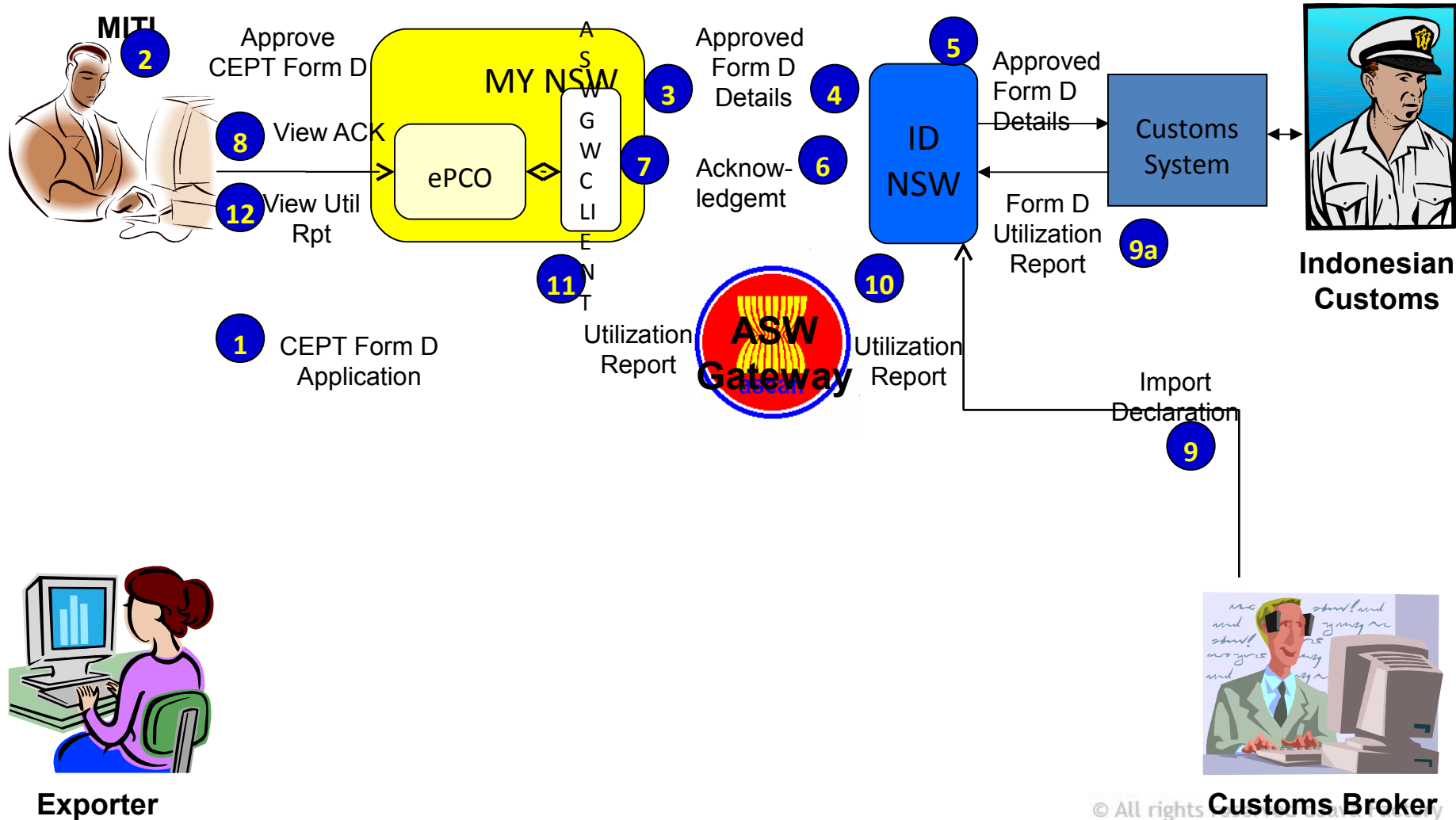
# ASW's NSW (Individually)



ASW = 10 National Single Windows



# MY-ID ePCO Feasibility Project



Exporter

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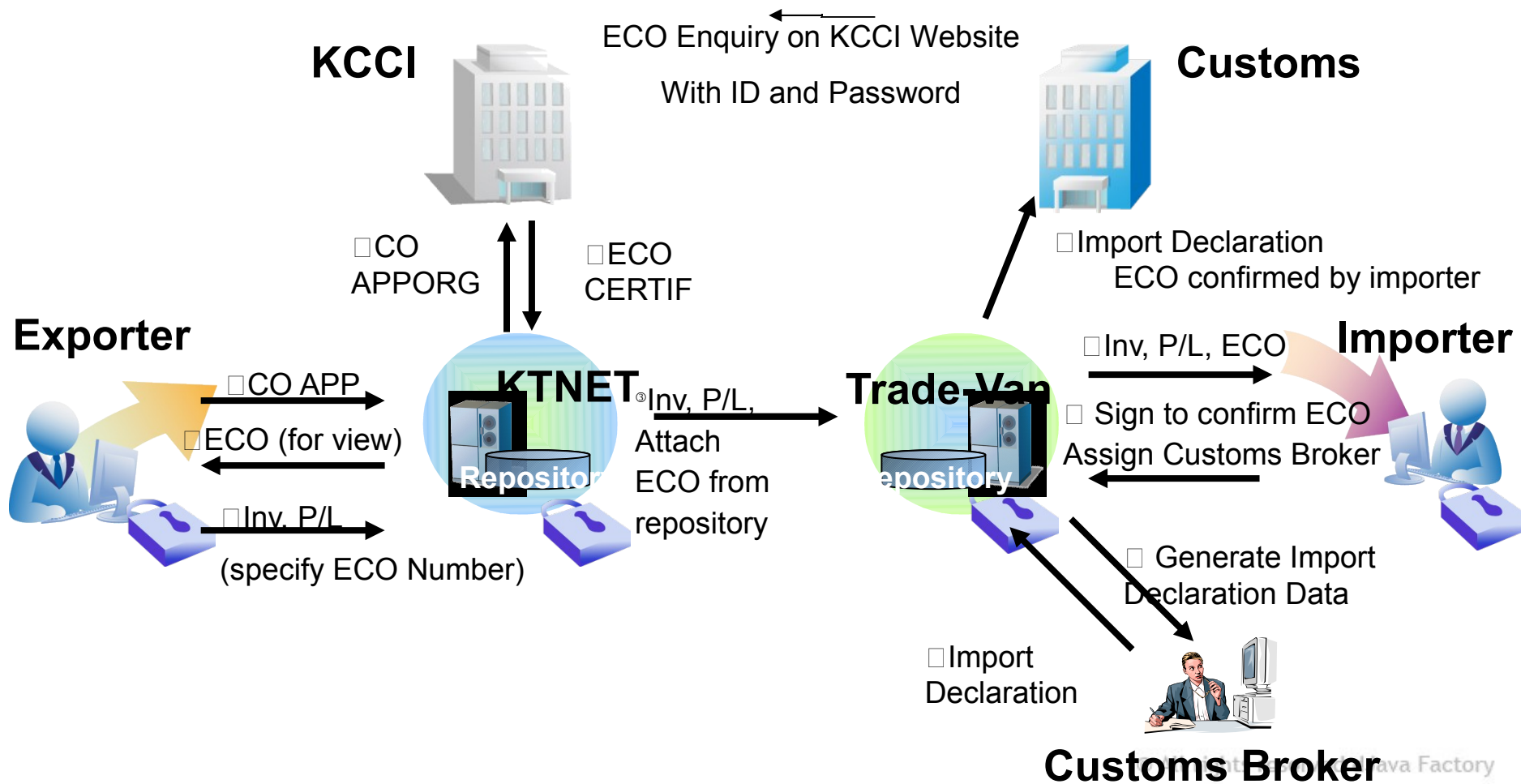
# PAA – Single Window, Asia Connection



**PAA Scenario**



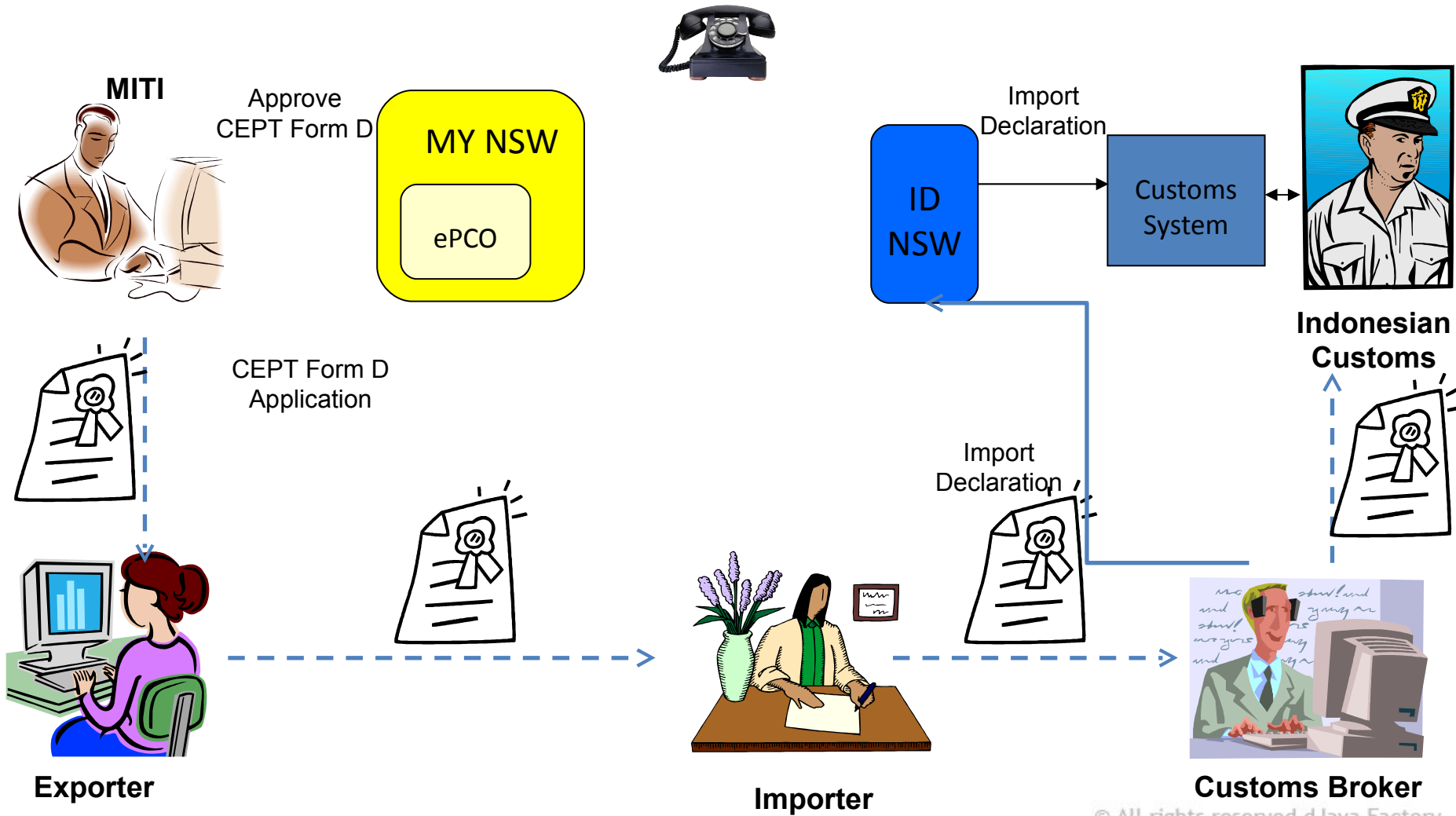
# eCO Case Study



# Why Single Window Interoperates?



# Why SWI?





# The Benefits

- Streamlining and standardization of cross-border trade processes
- Maximize the benefit of national SW implementation
- Simplification of customs procedures
- Increase efficiency and effectiveness of international trade transactions



# The way forward



# The way forward for SWI



- Standardization and harmonization
- Capacity building
- Best practices

# Standardization and Harmonization



- Technical standards
  - Messaging
  - Communication
  - Security
- Business processes
  - Revised Kyoto Convention (RKC)
  - WTO TF Agreement
  - International Chamber of Commerce (ICC)
- Data and information
  - WCO Data Model
  - UN/CCL
  - UNTDED
- Legal Framework
  - UNCITRAL recommendations
  - Regional or bilateral agreement

# Capacity building



- Conferences
  - Global Single Window Conferences
- Expert Groups
  - UNNEXT
  - eBusiness Asia Committee
  - ASW Working Groups
- Workshops & Awareness programs



# Best Practices



- Existing
  - UN Suite of recommendations for SW
    - UN Rec 33 – Recommendations and Guidelines on Establishing a Single Window
    - UN Rec 34 – Data Simplification and Standardization for International Trade
    - UN Rec 35 – Establishing a Legal Framework for an International Trade Single Window
  - ASW Technical Guide
- New

# About UN/CEFACT Project on Rec 36 - Single Window Interoperability



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# SWI Project Timeline



- 30 April 2011
  - Complete ODP1 Project Proposal and Team

ODP Steps	2011									2012		
	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
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Complete ODP3 Internal Review Development

- 30 November 2011

- Complete ODP4 Internal Review



# Rec 36-SWI Outlines

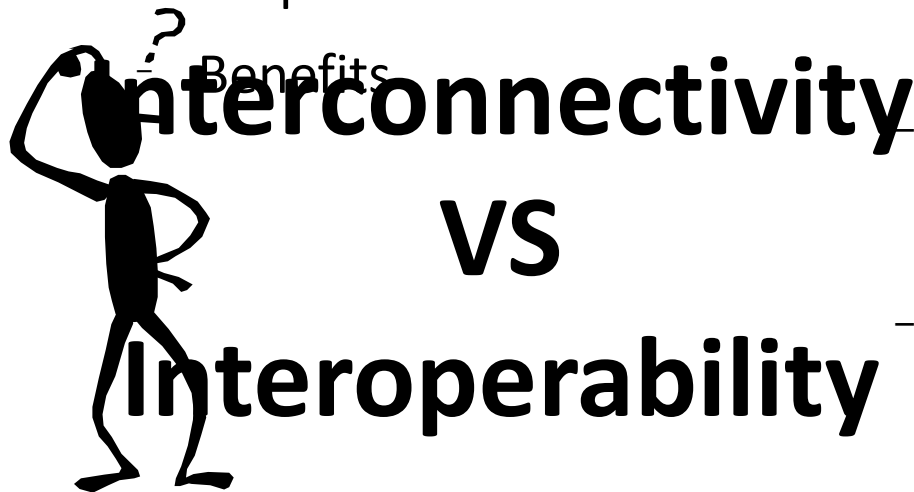


- Recommendations

- Introduction
- Purpose
- Objectives
- Recommendations
- Scope

- Guidelines

- Definitions
- Prerequisites for interoperability
- SWI types/modality/scope/Operational model and requirement
- Technical/interconnectivity requirement
- Political and legal



# Snapshot of draft Rec 36 - SWI





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