



CIRA's IoT Registry Remote eSIM Provisioning

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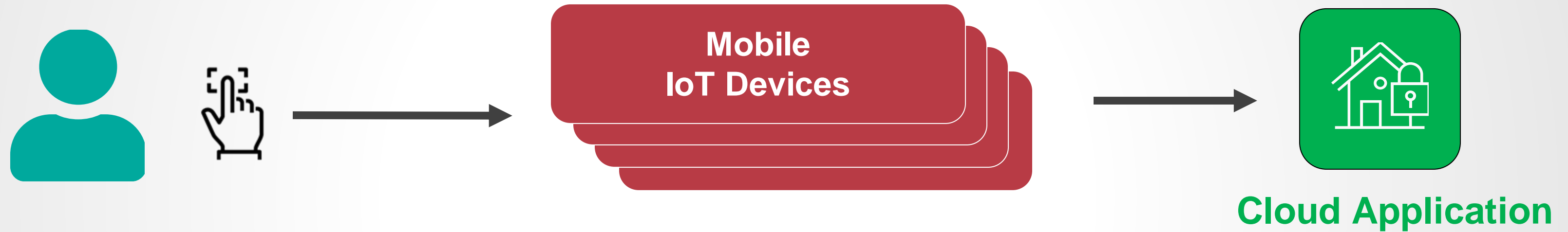
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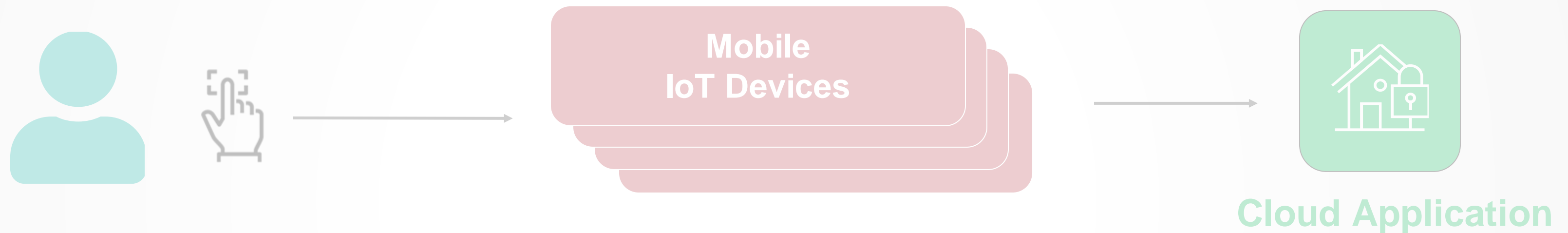
IoT Turning Point: Hardcoded vs. Zero Touch

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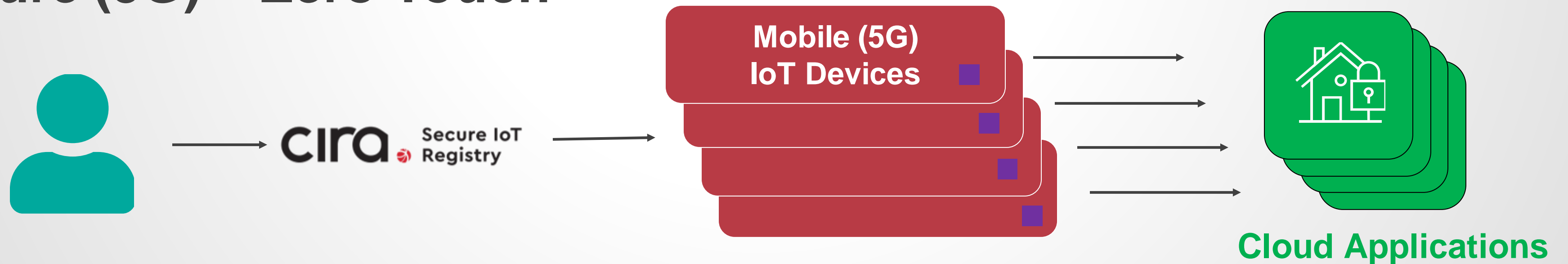


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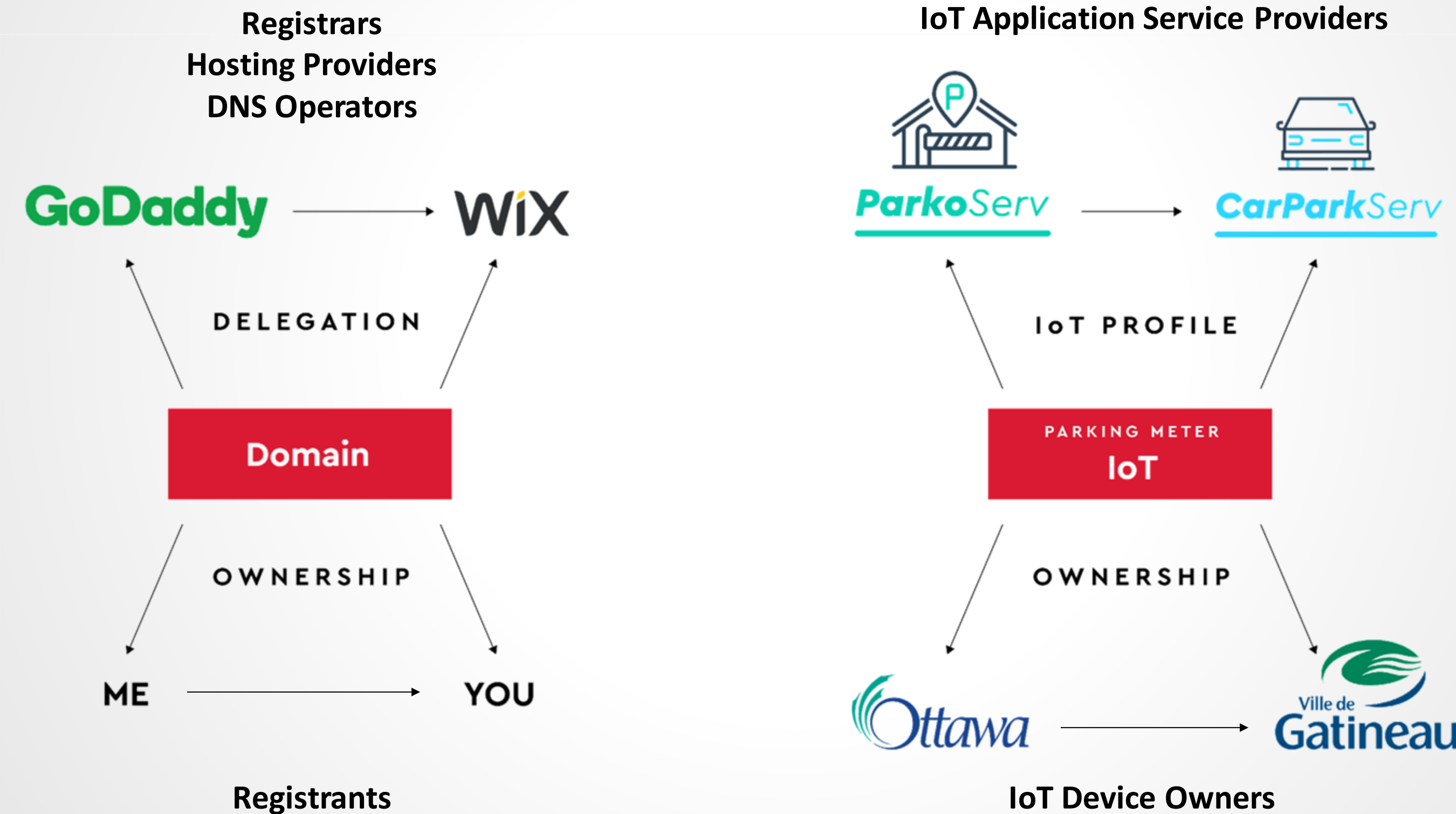
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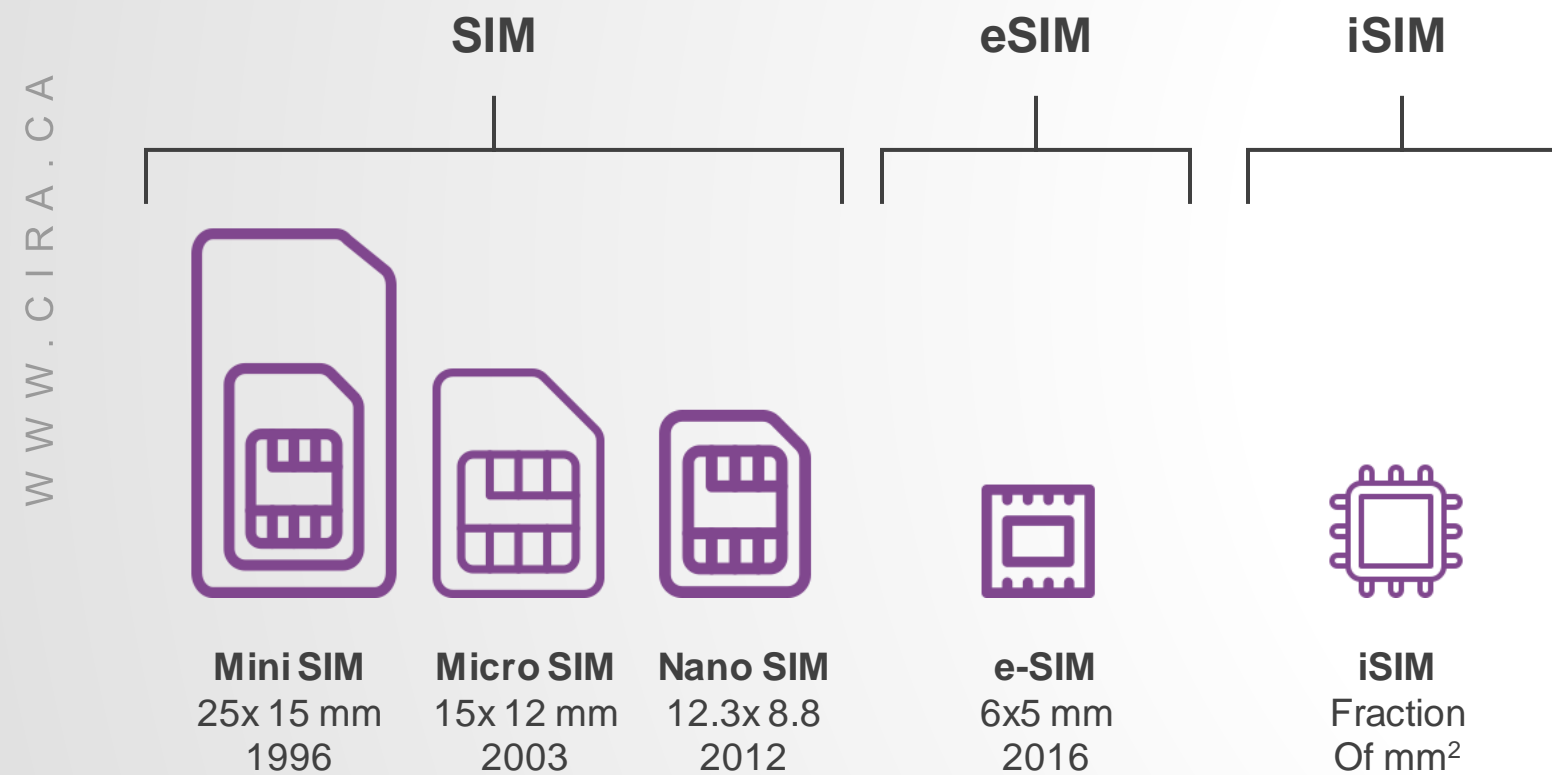
Future (5G) – Zero Touch



Domain Names & IoT Devices are similar



Physical SIM vs eSIM (digital SIM)



SIM

- Have a set of secure credentials stored digitally
- They have to be installed and activated in-store
- **Plastic card - easy to break/lose**
- Needs space for physical installation
- Have to change SIM cards when changing providers

eSIM

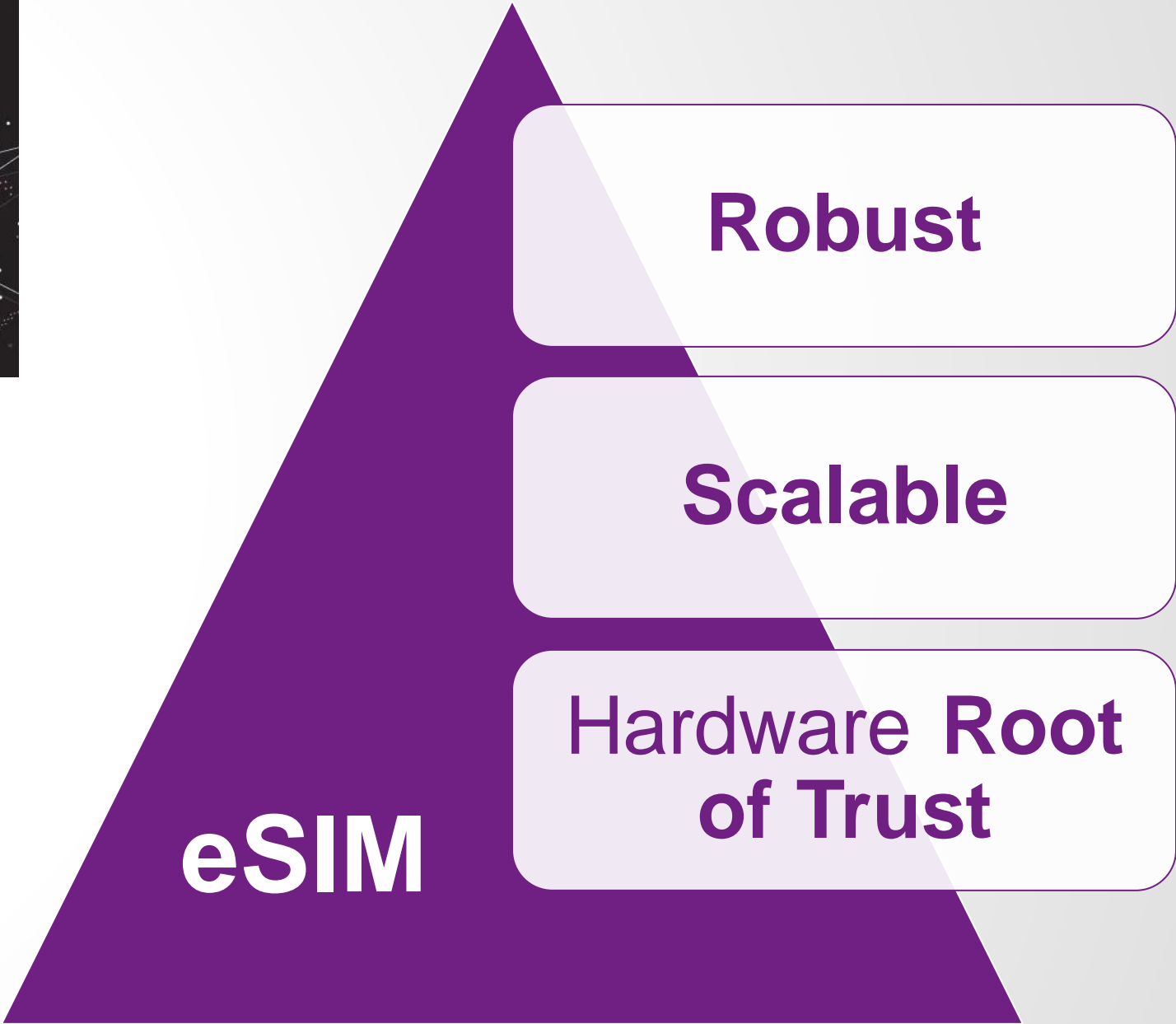
- Can be **remotely provisioning over the air**
- Can't be lost and no in-store visit needed
- Save on space as it's embedded on the device
- Reduction of mechanical failures
- Change MNO providers remotely
- Multiple profiles on one device



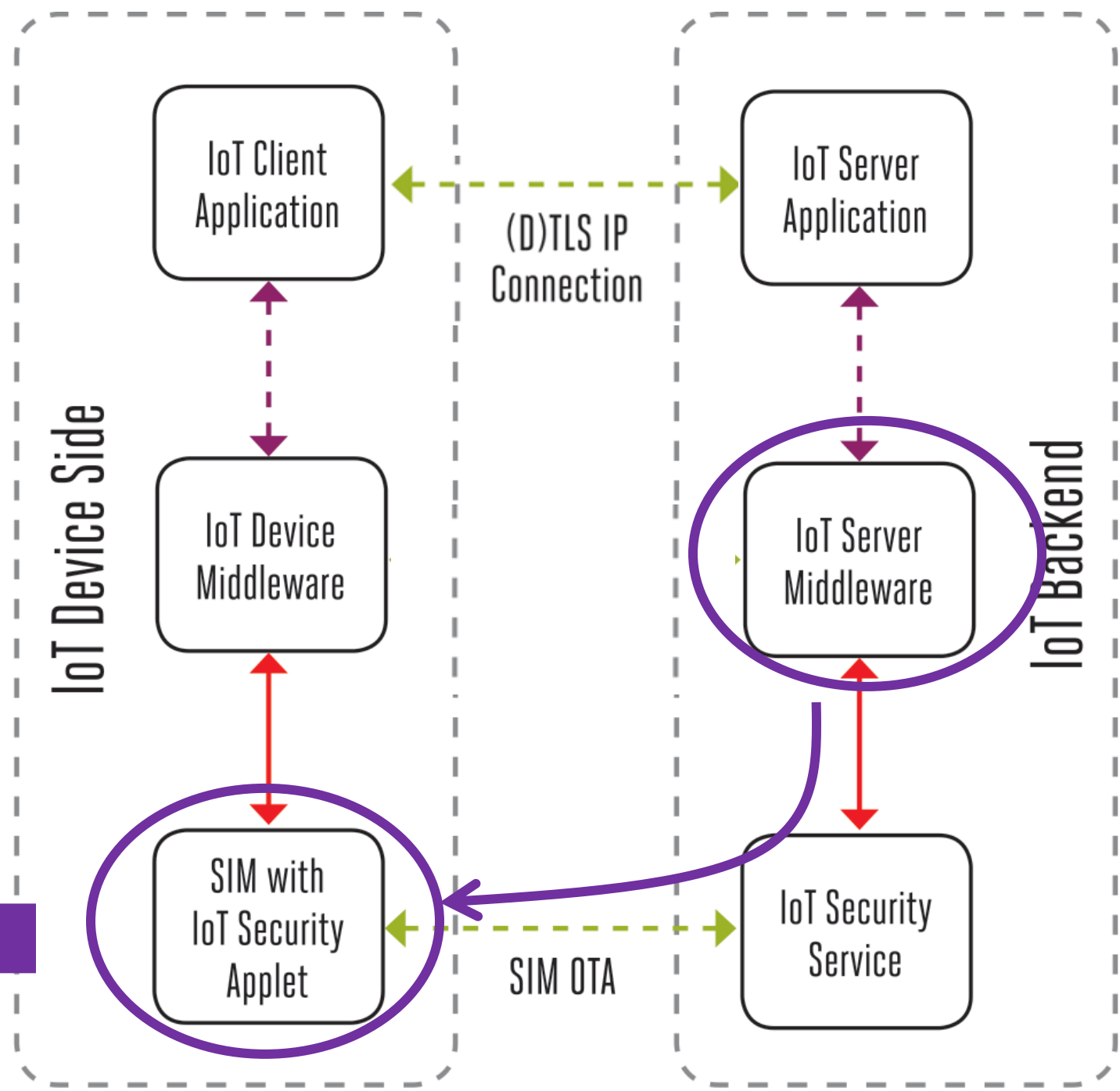
Standards Body to Enable



Device manufacturers
Service providers



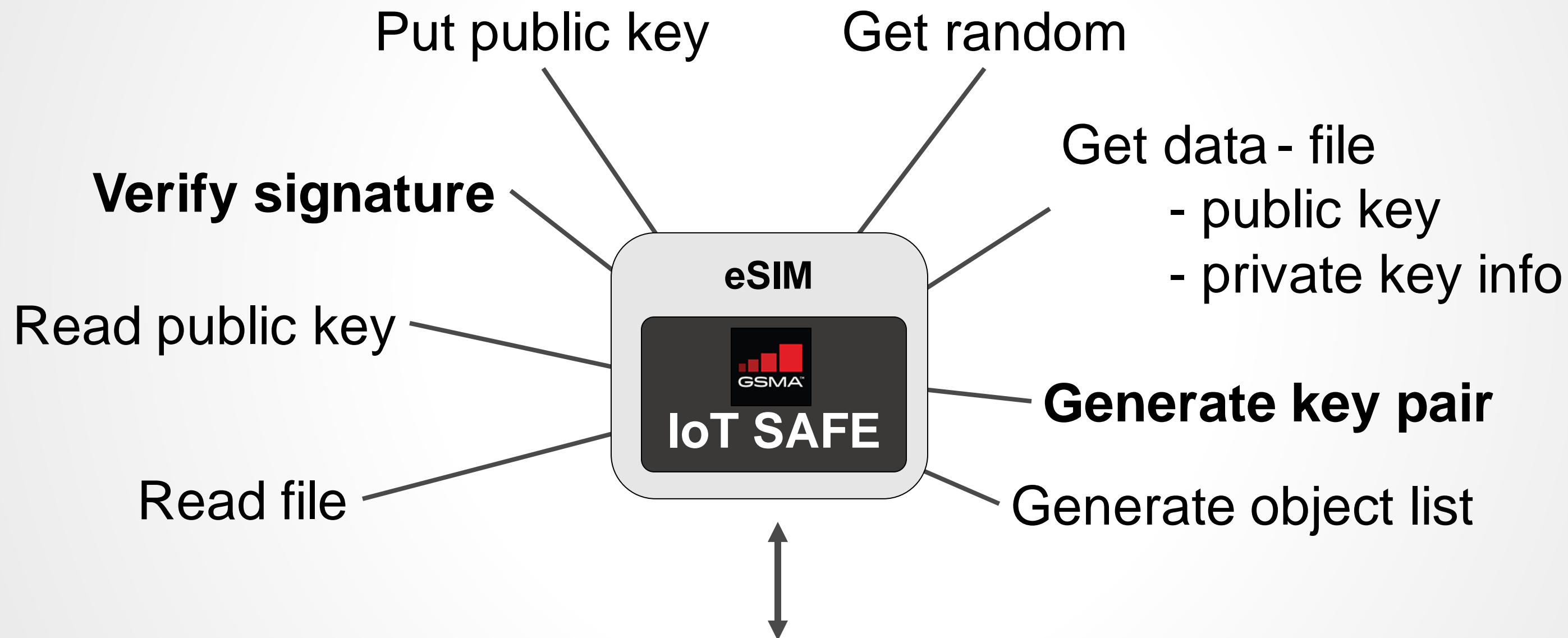
Zero Touch, Remote eSIM Provisioning by MNO



- API defined by GSMA
- API already standardised
- De-facto APIs already exist

The IoT SAFE eSIM can:

**eSIM are mini
HSM like TPM!**



Compute signature → to enable bidirectional TLS Handshake

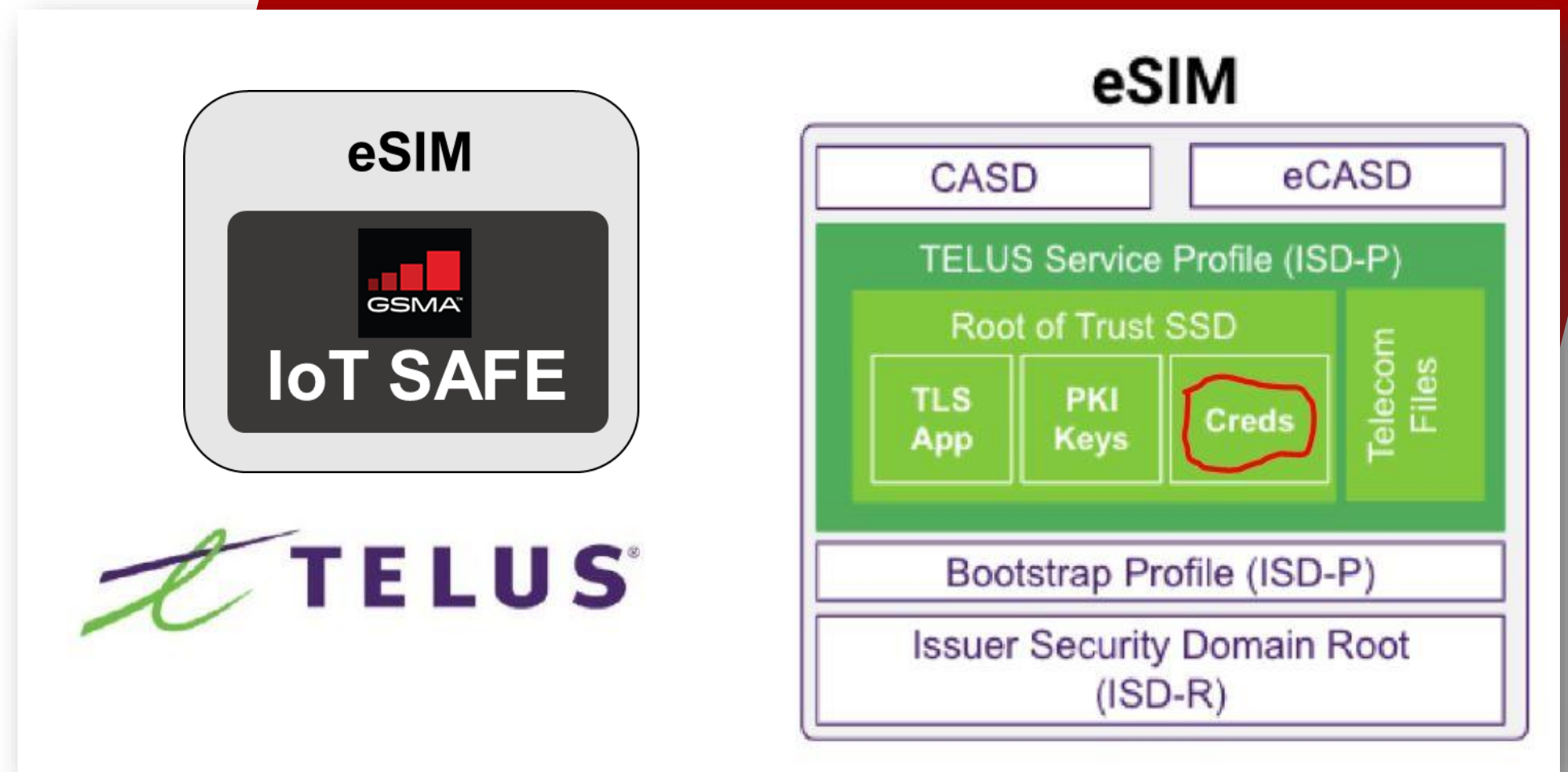
ENABLING IoT CONNECTIVITY

By downloading the Registry Payload to the eSIM

Registry Payload

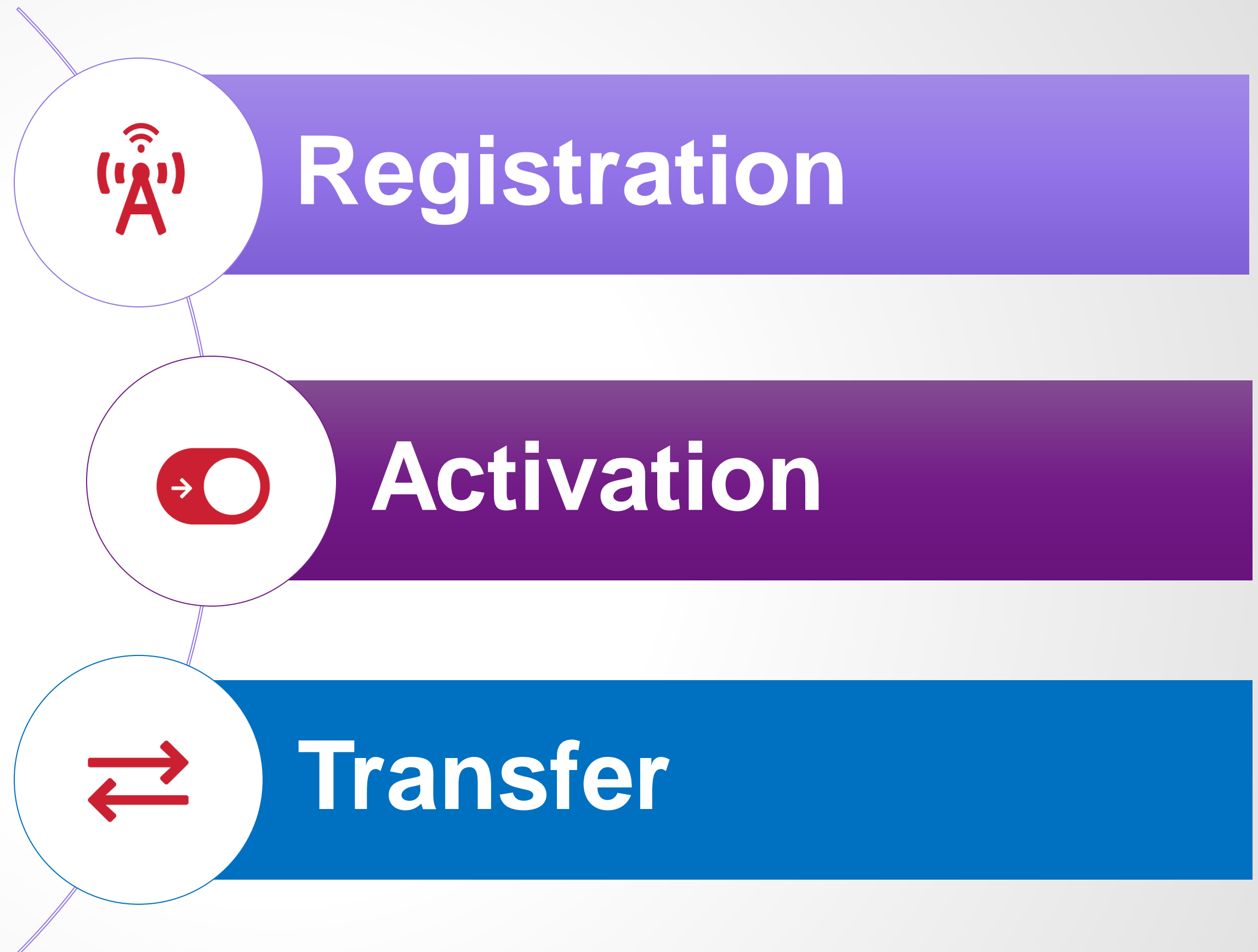
Application/Cloud Service Provider

- ASP CERTS
- Domain name / URL / FQDN
- Port Number
- IoT, ASP & other Certificates
- SSID credentials



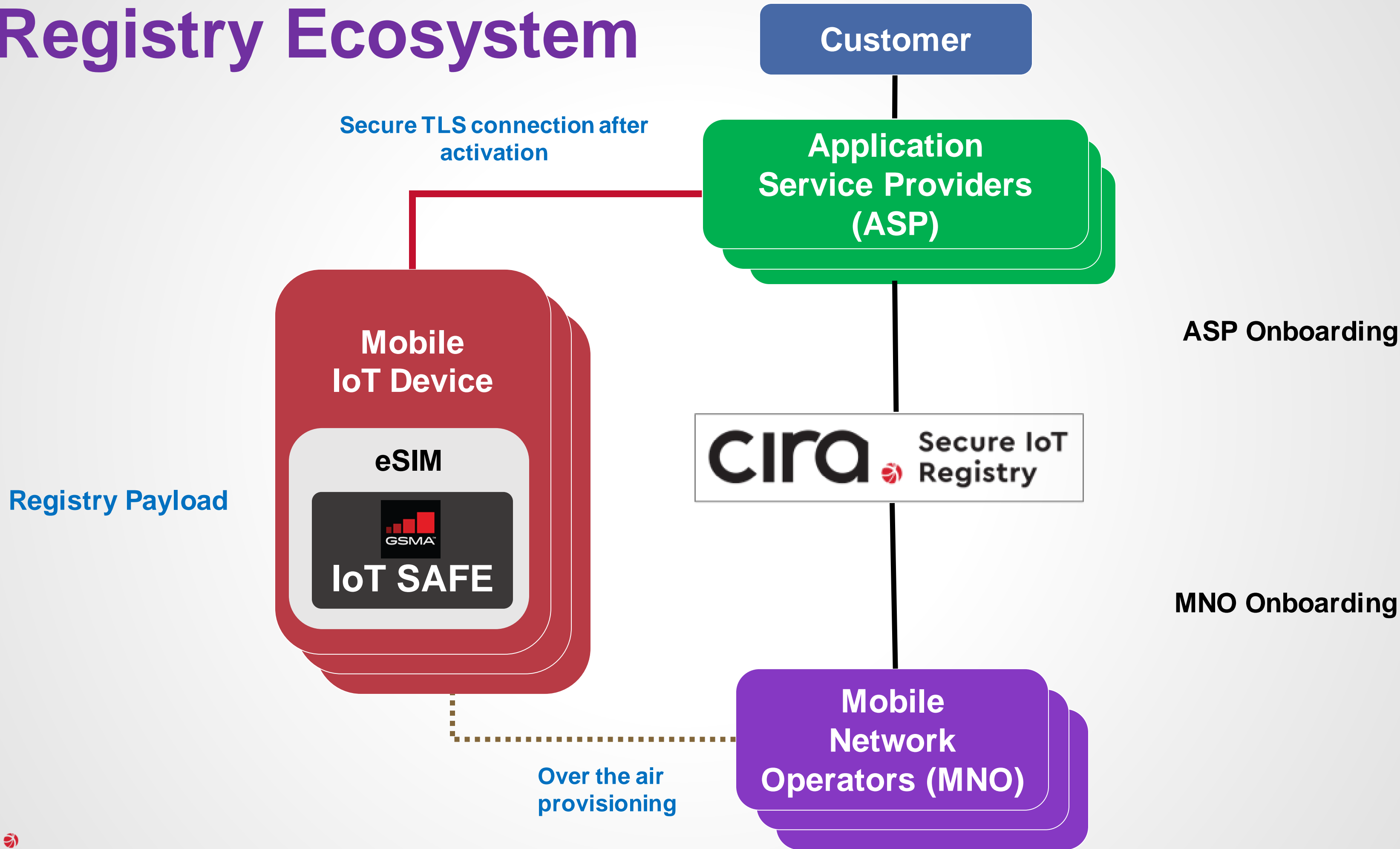
Zero Touch

cira Secure IoT
Registry



IoT Registry Ecosystem

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IoT Registry Onboarding

ASP/Cloud Onboarding (like Registrar onboarding)

- We need to know what their end point config is.
 - URL, port, ASP CERT, etc...
- We provide the IoT Registry root cert, DNS information



Enough information the IoT device to connect with the ASP

IoT Registry Onboarding

MNO Onboarding (new)

- Setup trusted connection
- Provide CIRA root certs
- Enough info to send a Registry Payload to the IoT device



Enough information the IoT device to connect with the ASP

Zero Touch



Registration

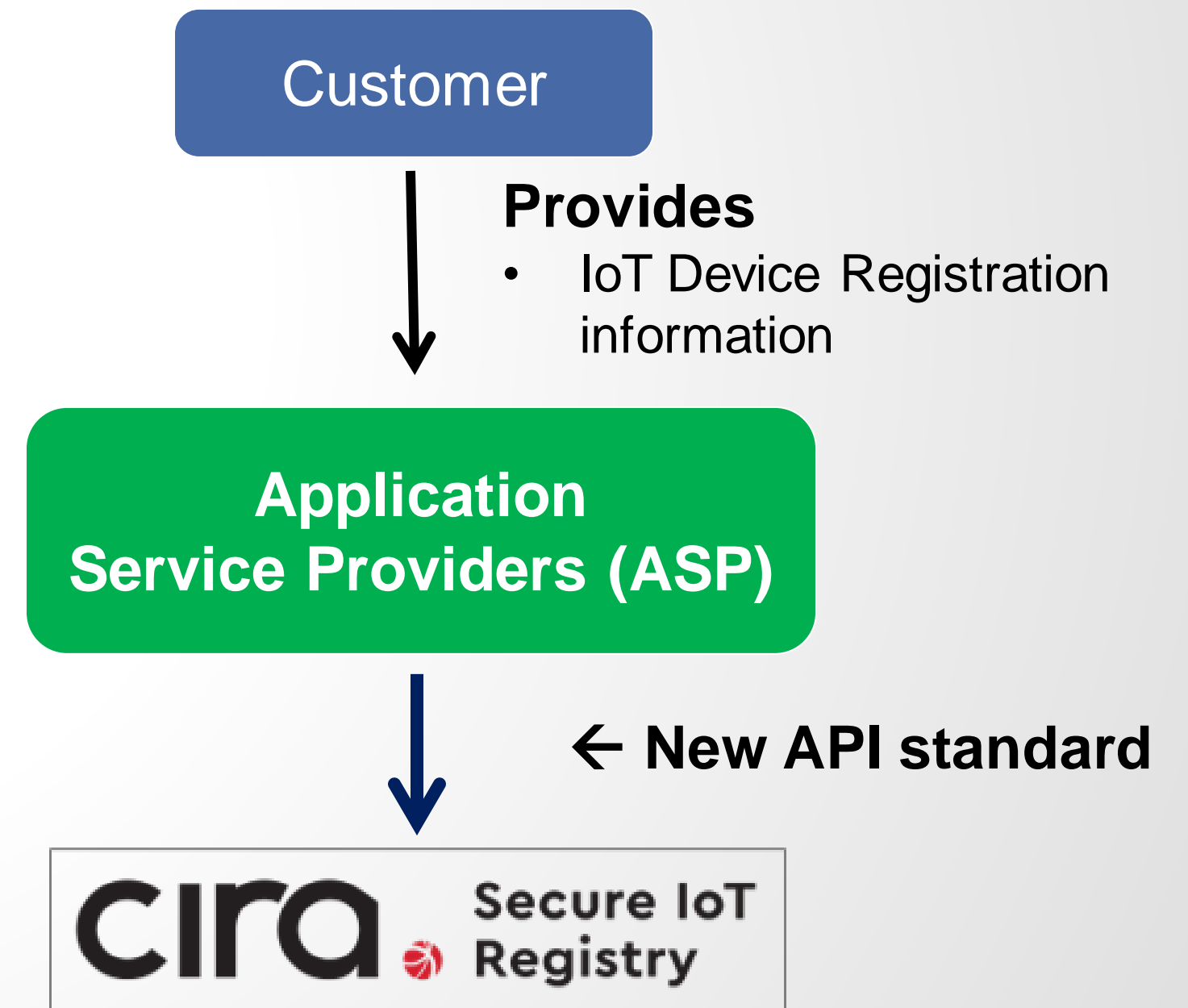
Activation

Transfer

Registration

IoT Device Registration with IoT Registry

- Customer adds a new device with IoT ASP
- EPP like API between ASP and IoT Registry
 - Create, activate IoT device
 - Remove, update IoT device
 - Check status
 - Push IoT public CERT to ASP
 - Etc...
- Need to develop IETF Standard for the API



Zero Touch

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IoT Device Activation when “live” on MNO mobile network

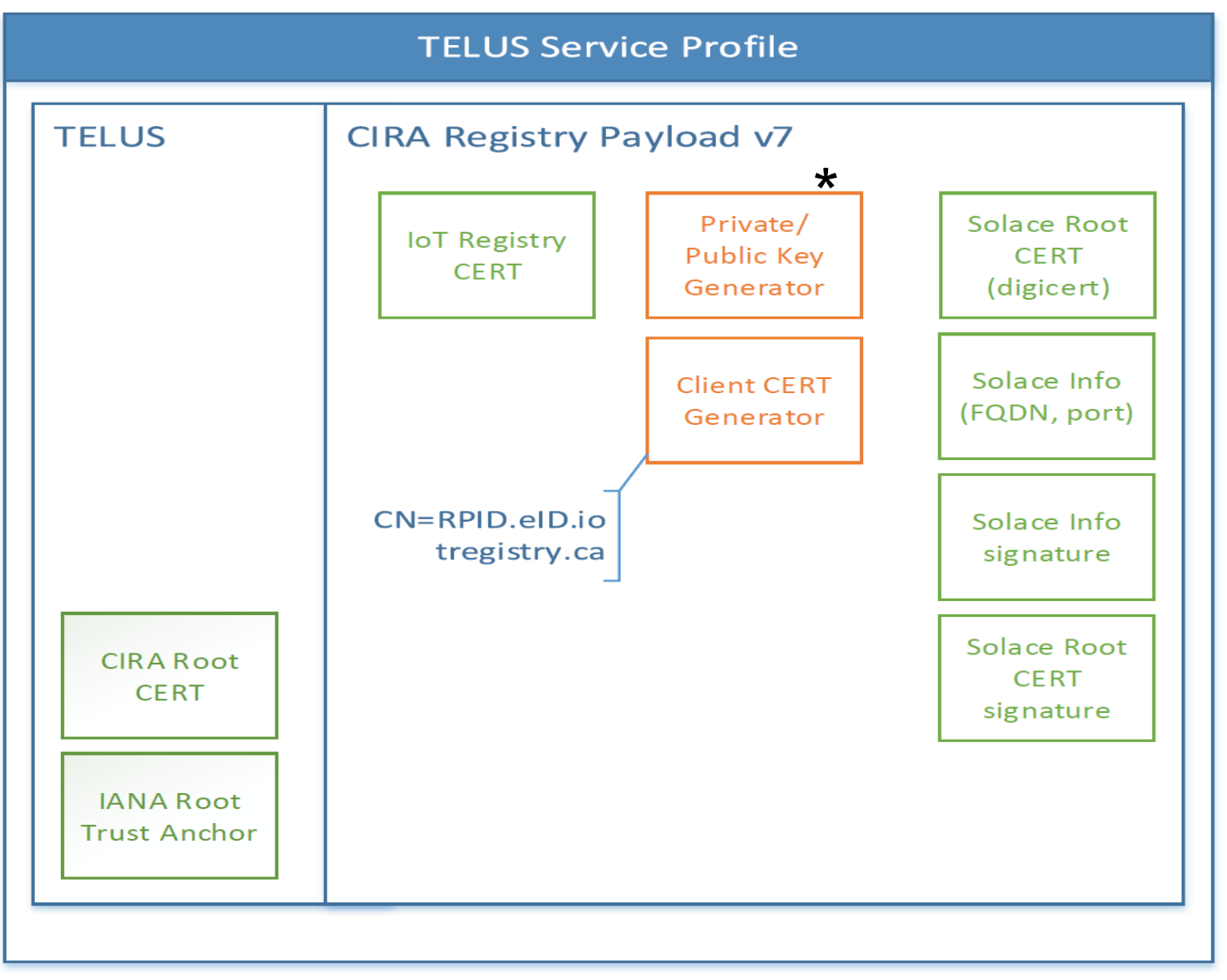
- Once IoT device is live on MNO Network
 - we ask the IoT device via MNO to create a new key pair (public/private)
 - the MNO sends the IoT device CSR the IoT registry to sign
 - The IoT Registry returns a signed CERT to the MNO and ASP
 - The MNO sends the signed CERT on the IoT eSIM
 - The IoT Registry published a hash of the CERT in DNS w/DNSSEC
- The authenticity/identification of the IoT device can be verified with the signed CERT and via DNSSEC

This is when we push the Registry Payload to the IoT Device

Activation

Registry Payload – enabling a new root of trust leveraging DNSSEC

- IoT registry CIRA profile
- IoT Registry related CERTs
- CIRA DoT Trusted Recursive CERT
- IANA root trust anchor
- CN – Unique value per SIM linked with eUICCID (unique eSIM ID)



Pre-provisioned at SIM activation

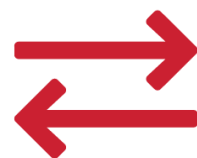
Downloaded over-the-air

* Private / Public Key pair generated on-board

Zero Touch

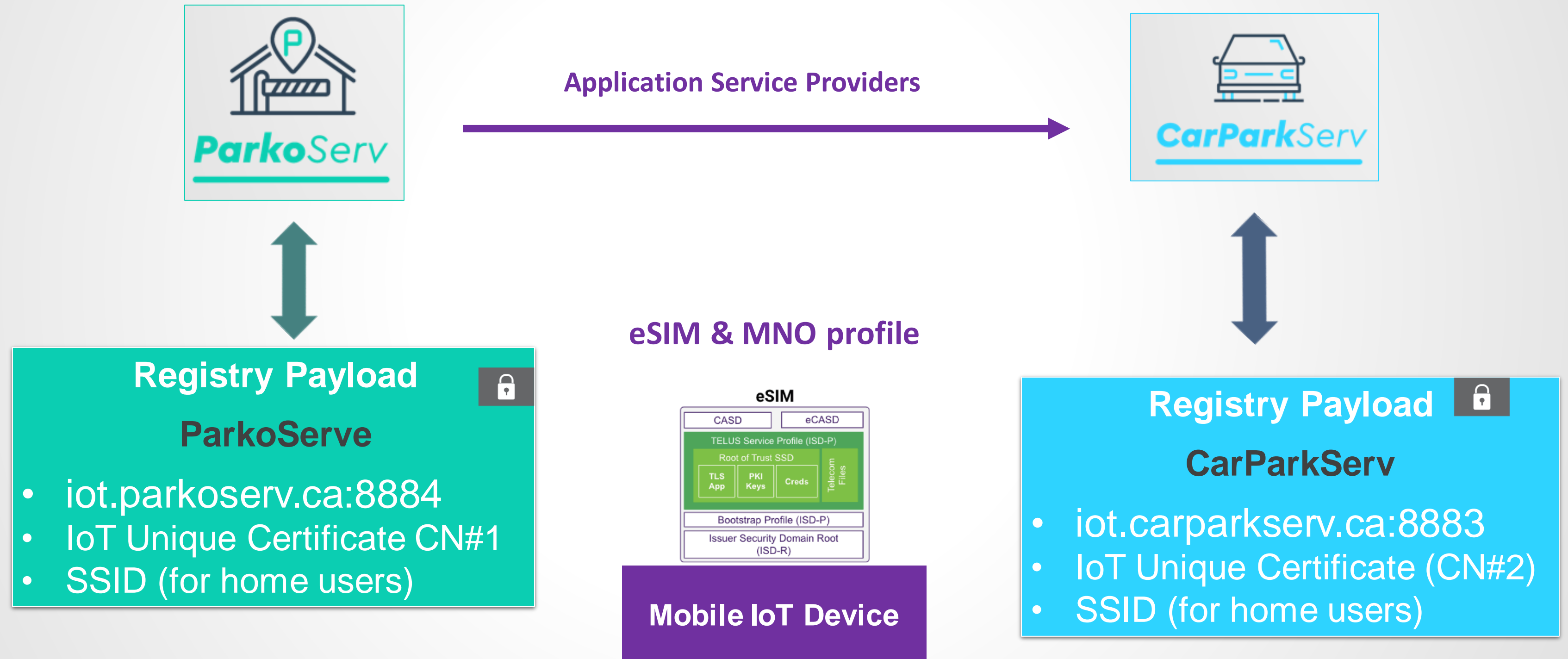
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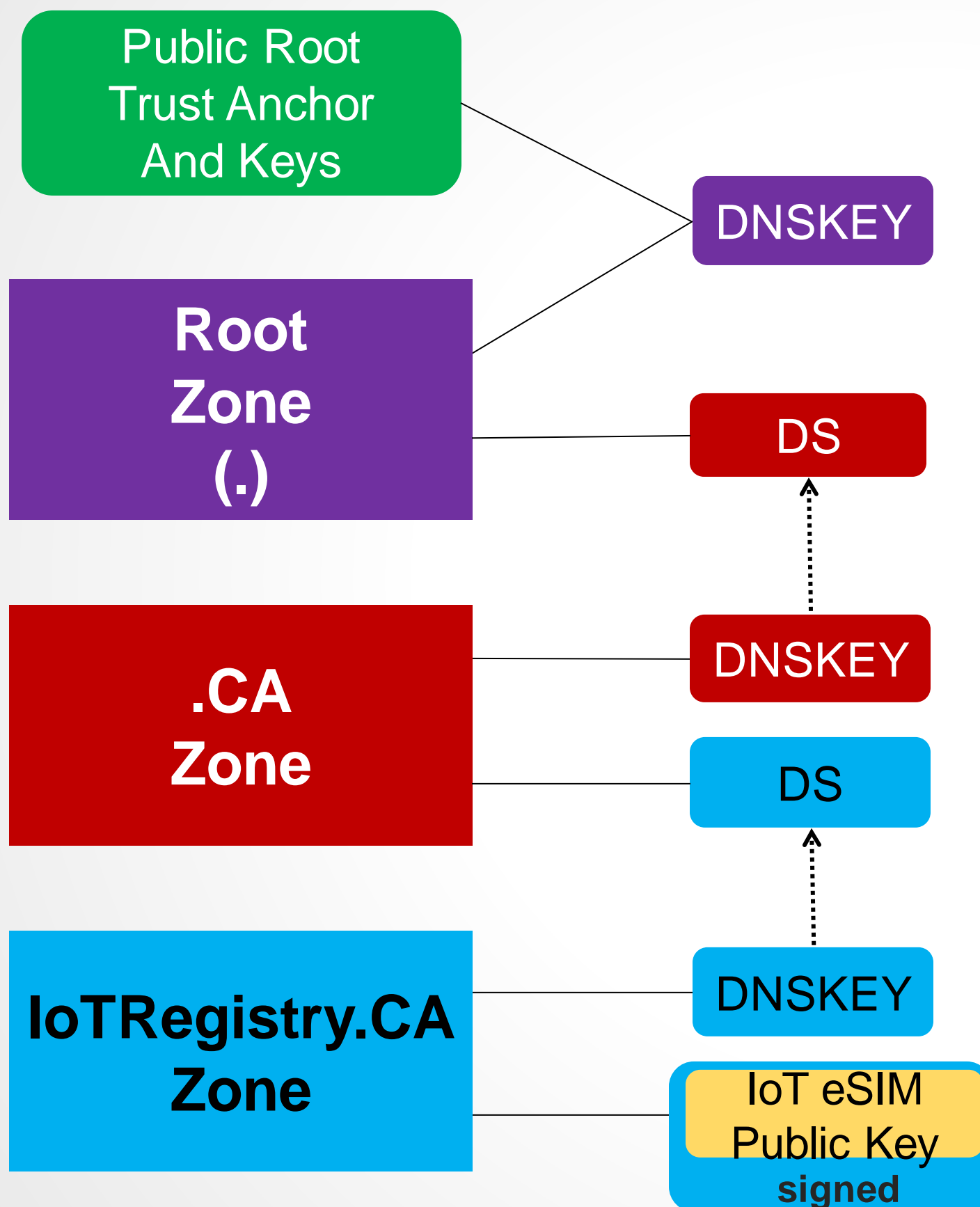
Activation



Transfer

Transfer between entities





✓ DNS ✓

A New Root of Trust – DNSSEC

Leveraging the public DNS & DNSSEC to validate the authenticity of

- eSIM
- IoT security applets
- cloud service providers public keys



A few digs ☺

DNSSEC as the new root of trust for IoT devices and it works!

- `kdig +tls 1.8912230200031010008f.iotregistry.ca cert @dot.ciralabs.ca +dnssec`

```
jacques@CIRA-20180025:~$ kdig +tls 1.8912230200031010008f.iotregistry.ca cert @dot.ciralabs.ca +dnssec +short
1 1 0 MqXTUYwvzhzjVEHT/g0PZooWyUBWsb0oaRWgkZhafV8=
CERT 13 4 3600 20201022000000 20201001000000 43891 iotregistry.ca. 7WfAq071EzZy6yRpiEUSme0M3fDzwj8nM4DyYh5AVWJz+
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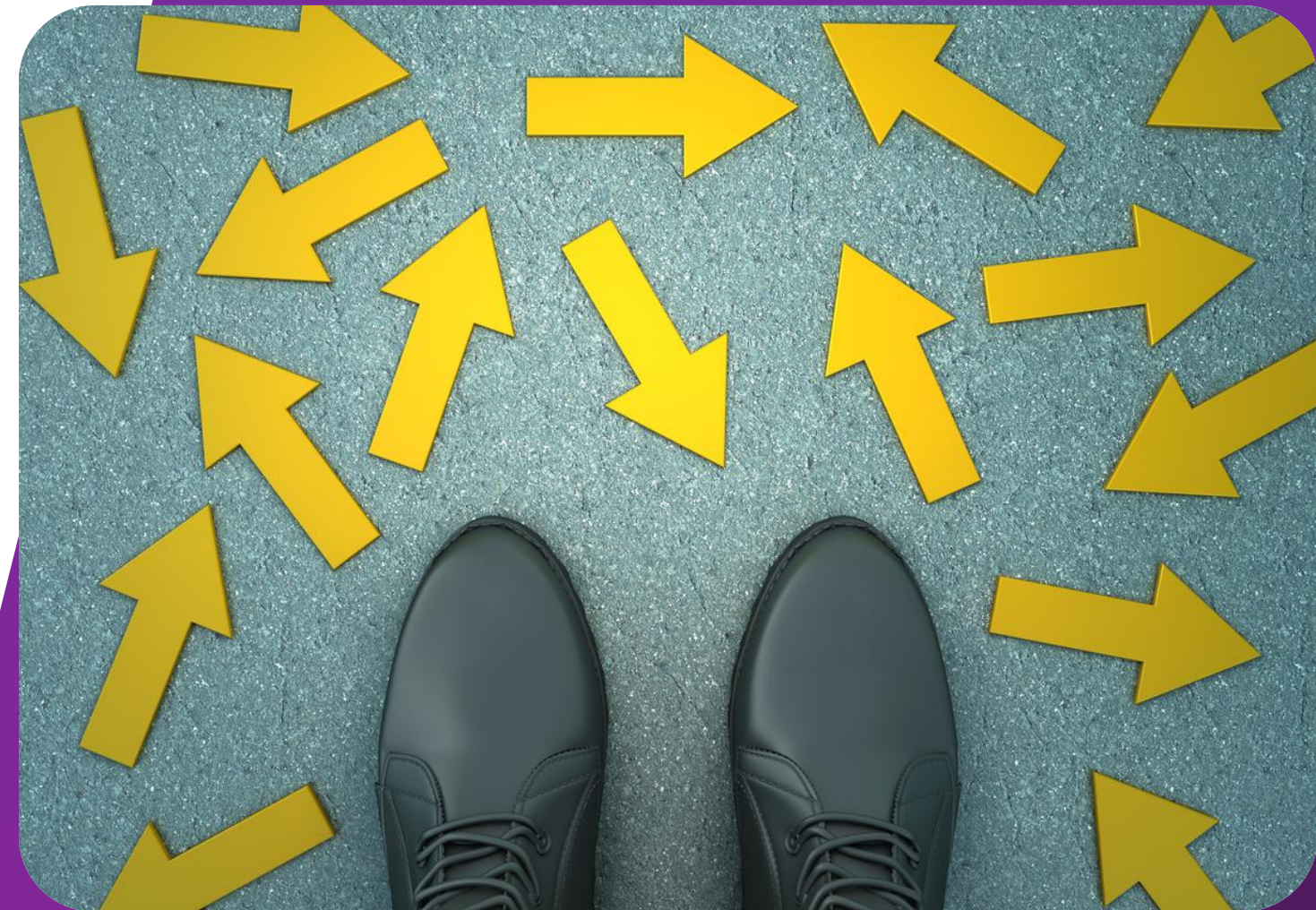
- The IoT Registry has a real time publicly available, trusted and verifiable Certificate Revoke List (CRL) function in the DNS with NSEC

- `kdig +tls 2.8912230200031010008f.iotregistry.ca cert @dot.ciralabs.ca +dnssec`

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;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
iotregistry.ca. 3447 IN SOA ns01.iotregistry.ca. host
1.8912230200031010008f.iotregistry.ca. 3447 IN NSEC 1.8912230
1.1.iotregistry.ca. 3447 IN NSEC 1.8912230200031010008f.i
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One IoT Registry per country, per ccTLD ?!?!?!?

- We need your help to take this concept to the next level
- We tried to fast fail this concept for the last year & it's growing
 - <https://github.com/CIRALabs/CIRA-Secure-IoT-Registry>
 - <https://cira.ca/IoT>
- CIRA implementing and contributing to GSMA IoT SAFE standard development





Thank You



Questions?