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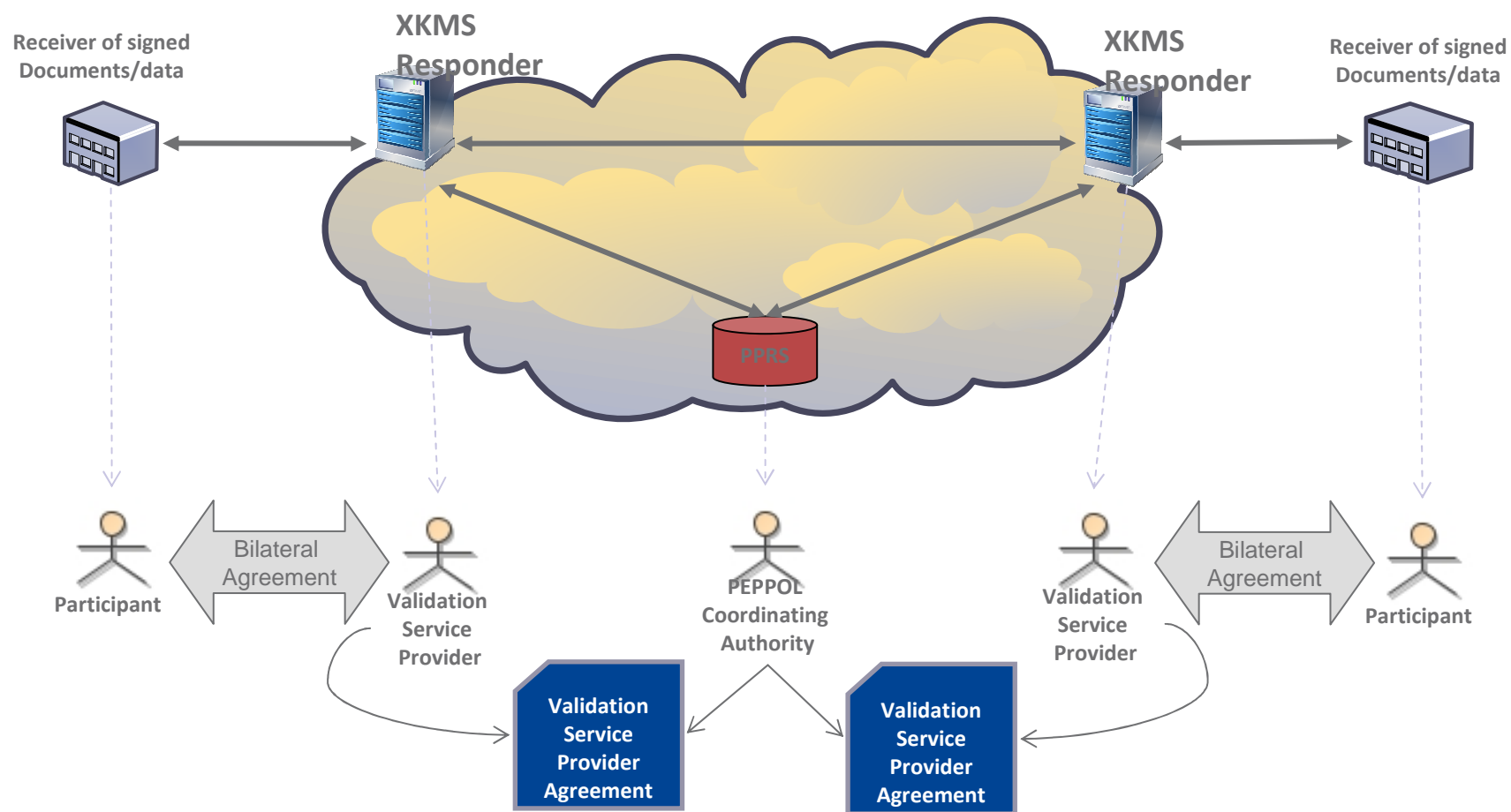
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- ▶▶ To become a validation service provider in the PEPPOL validation infrastructure, the respective service needs an entry in the PEPPOL Public Registry Service (PPRS).
- ▶▶ The PPRS is under control of the PEPPOL Coordinating Authority.
- ▶▶ The PEPPOL Coordinating Authority enters into the VIA with the participating validation service providers to ensure
 - ▶▶ Definition of the responsibilities of the actors in the PEPPOL validation infrastructure,
 - ▶▶ to set the valid versions of the applying technical and legal specifications and
 - ▶▶ a common set of minimum service levels for the infrastructure.

*VIA: Validation Infrastructure Agreements

VIA Framework



- ▶▶ PEPPOL Coordinating Authority
 - ▶▶ Holds the Agreements with the PEPPOL Validation Service Providers
 - ▶▶ Provides and maintains the PPRS
- ▶▶ PEPPOL Validation Service Provider
 - ▶▶ Provides a validation service in compliance with the technical and legal requirements of the VIA

Agreements

The VIA consists of the following documents

- ▶▶ PEPPOL Validation Service Provider Agreement (Template Document)
- ▶▶ Annex 1: Contact Points
- ▶▶ Annex 2: Definitions
- ▶▶ Annex 3: Service Levels
- ▶▶ Annex 4: Technical Standards

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