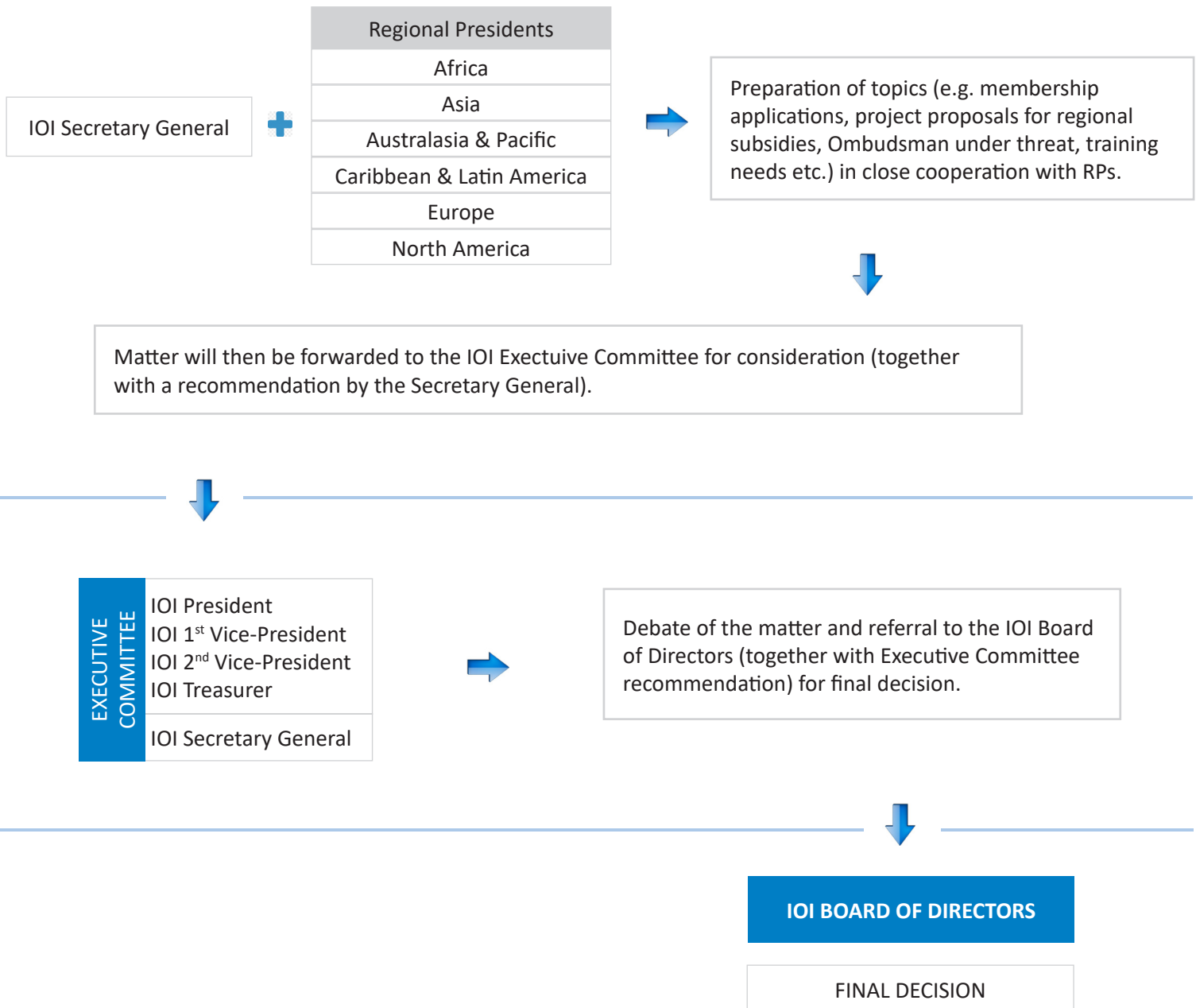


IOI Decision-Making Process



GENERAL ASSEMBLY (Voting Members)

Some matters cannot be decided by the Board and must be put to vote before the IOI General Assembly (i.e. the Voting members in good standing) for approval/adoption:

- determine membership fees (Art. 9.1)
- membership applicants who are not satisfied with the Board's decision, may lodge an appeal to the General Assembly (Art. 7.3)
- enactment, repeal or amendment of the IOI By-laws (Art. 28)
- dissolution of the IOI (Art. 29)