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## eInvoicing Ireland

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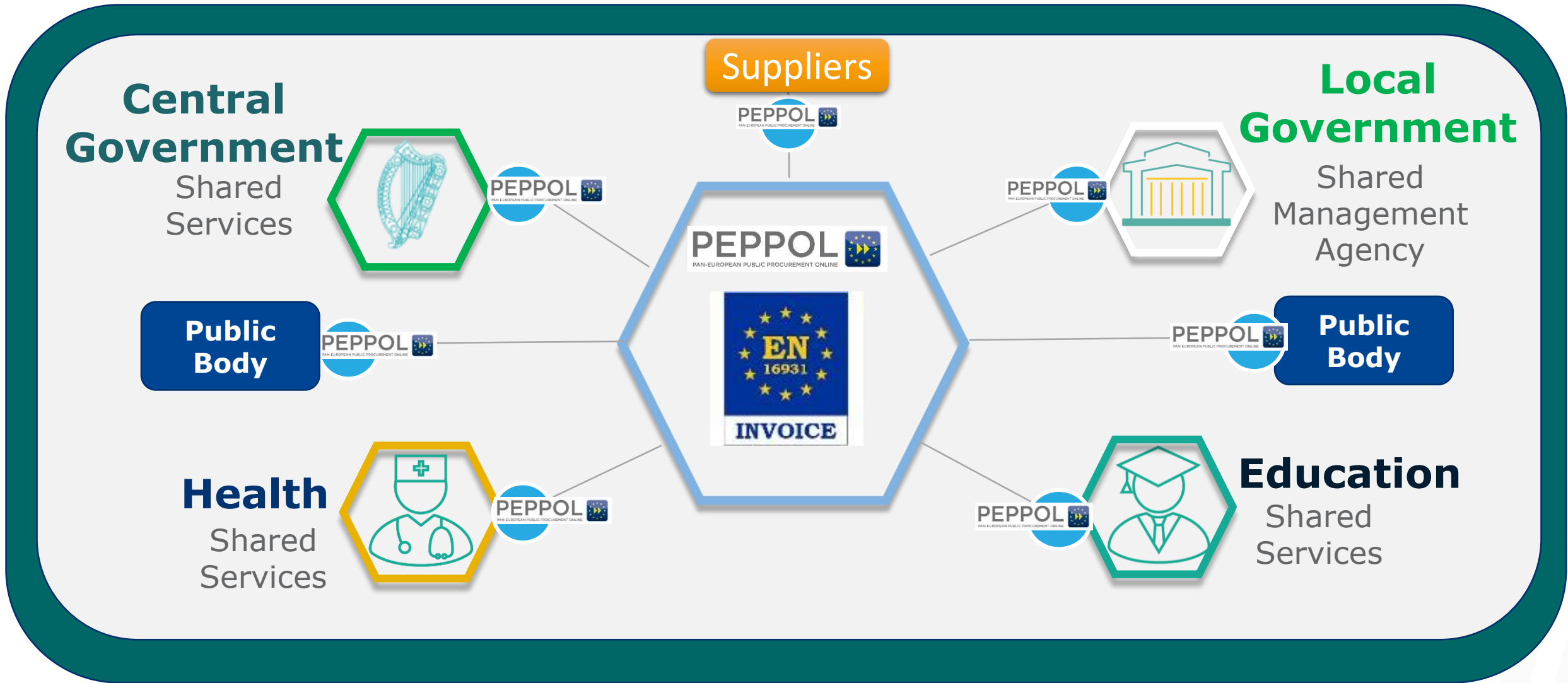
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# eInvoicing Ireland – The National Implementation Model



# eInvoicing Ireland – Regional/ Local Challenges

## CHALLENGES

- > 8,000 diverse public bodies
- Limited Shared Services for invoice processing / variety of Finance systems
- Dependency on 3<sup>rd</sup> party IT providers
- Difficult to understand implications for their FMS/ERP systems and workflow
- Cost concerns for small suppliers
- > 4million paper invoices annually  
(>1½ times the height of Eiffel Tower)
- And.... **there is an Appetite to achieve** benefits beyond compliance

## OUR APPROACH

- De-centralised approach allows for diversity
- Standards-based national model provides consistency across implementations
- National Agreement with selected vendors simplifies procurement of **compliant** solutions for Local public bodies
- Engage with FMS/ERP IT providers early to understand processes & workflows
- Cohesive approach @ Local Gov level reduces costs for suppliers
- Communicate! Communicate! Communicate!
- Greater opportunity to innovate at Local and Regional level (Pilot-Prove-Rollout)