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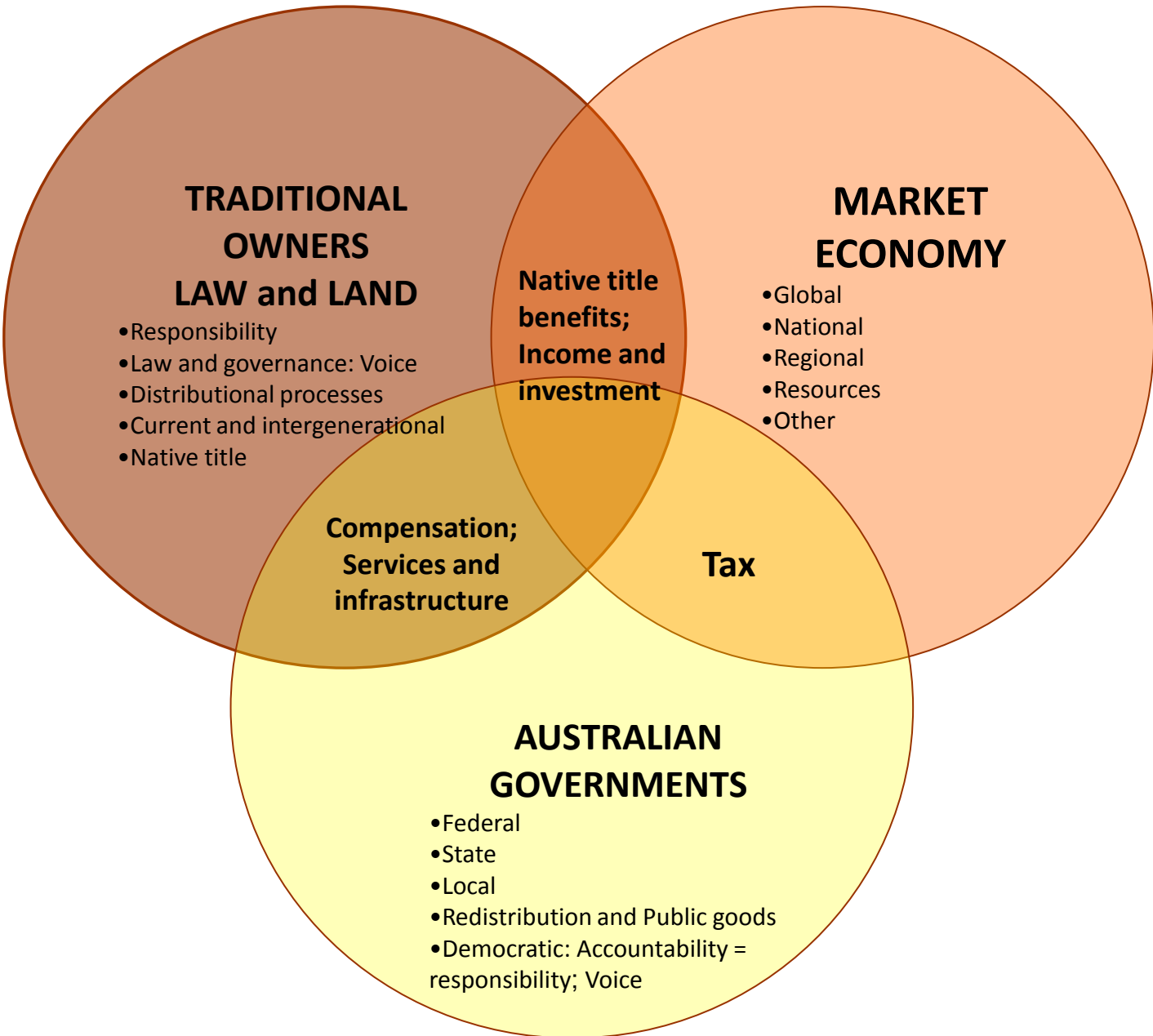
# Tax Reforms and the Implications for Self-Government by Indigenous Communities

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The Agreements, Treaties and Negotiated  
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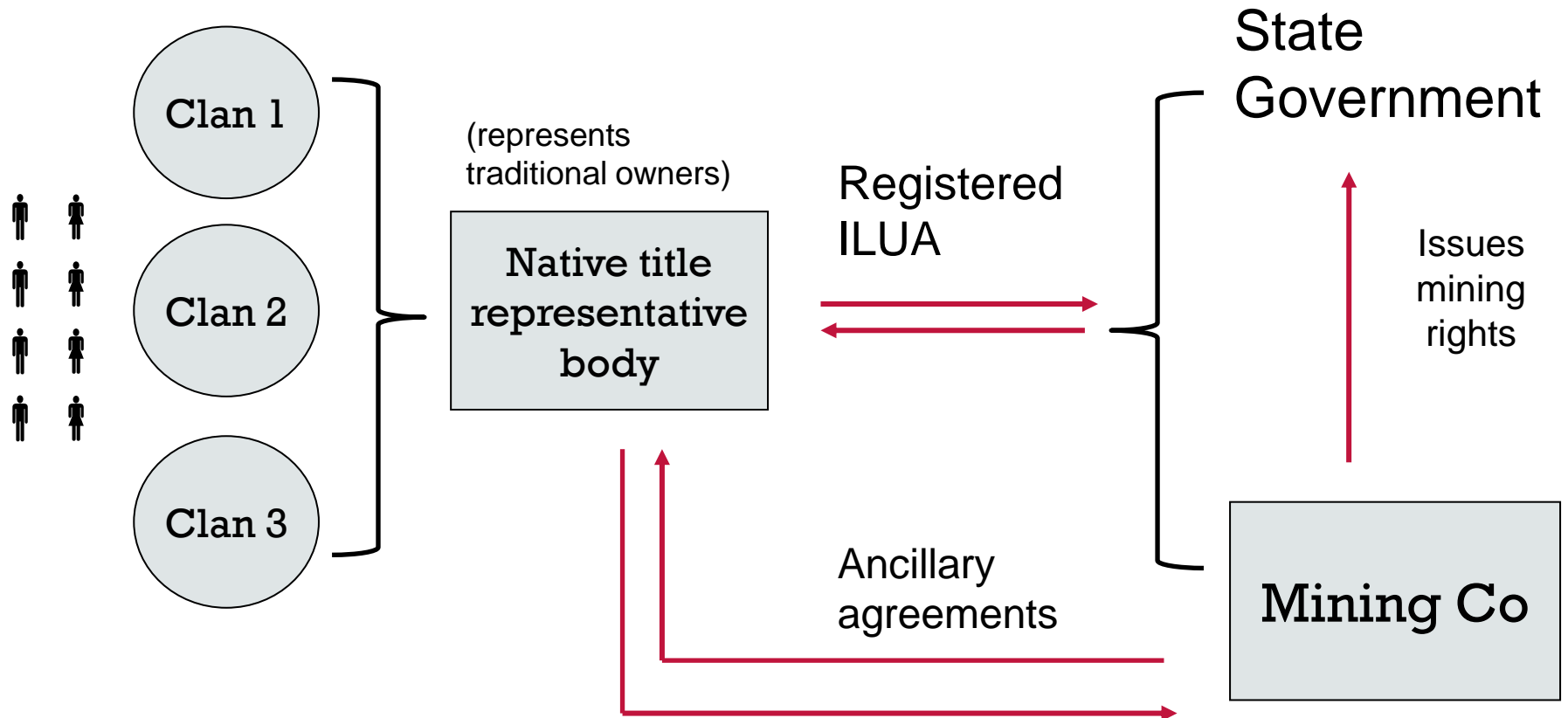
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- Tax reform
- Compensatory framework
- Commercial framework (private)
- Self-government by agreement and by PBC (public?)



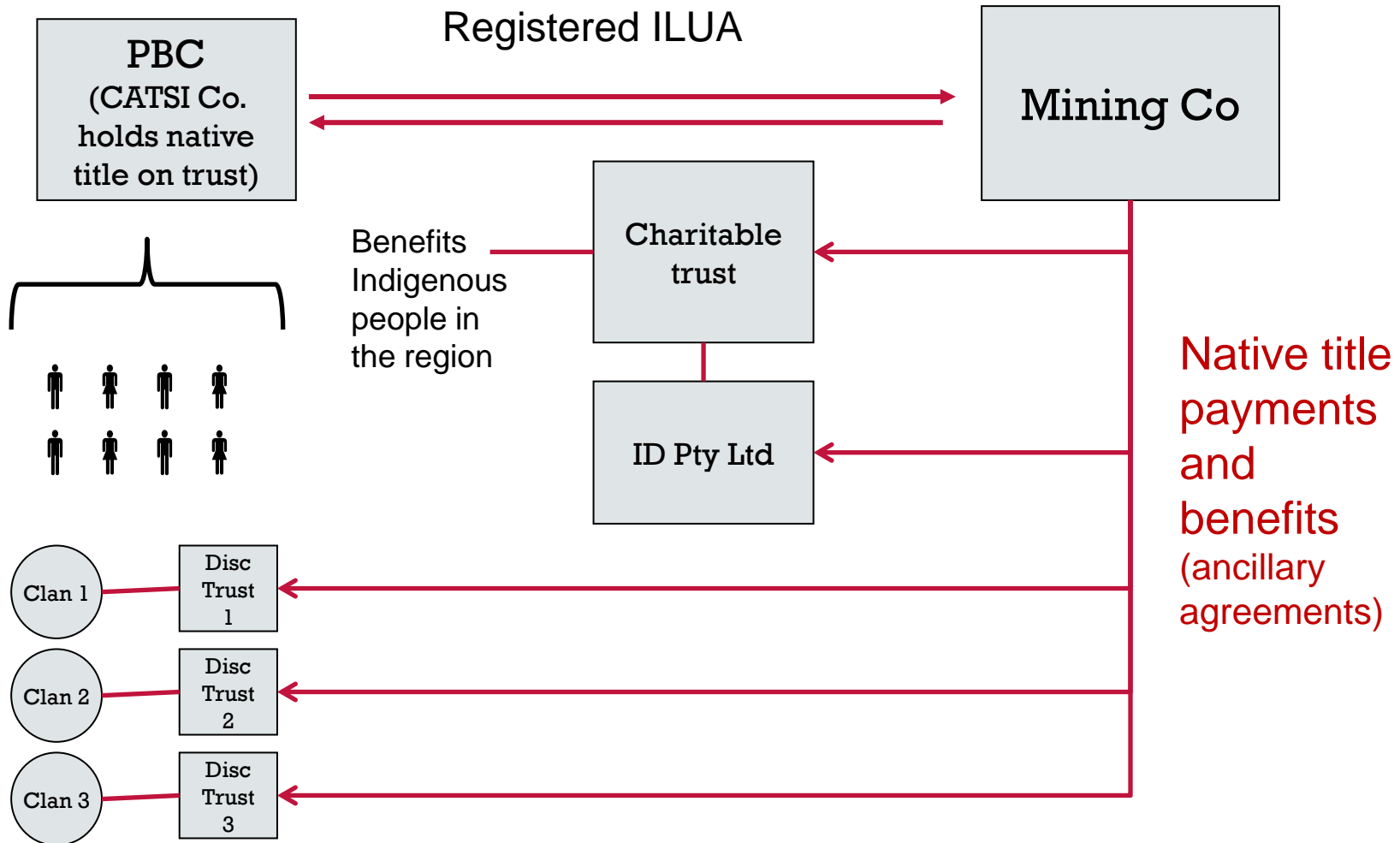
# Case study - Agreements

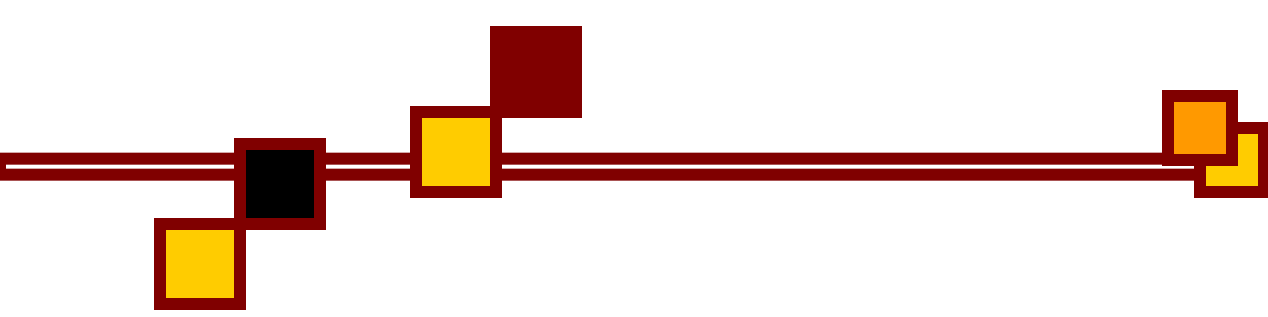
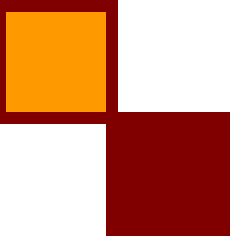
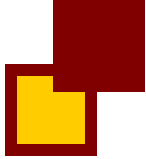
- *Negotiations under the NTA*



# Case study – Entities and payments

- Entity structure post-agreement and native title claim determination



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- To tax, or not, is political
  - The layering of government in the federation
  - Self-government
    - Community (who?)
    - Locality or geography
    - Resources
    - Representation and legitimacy
    - Flexibility or rigidity
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