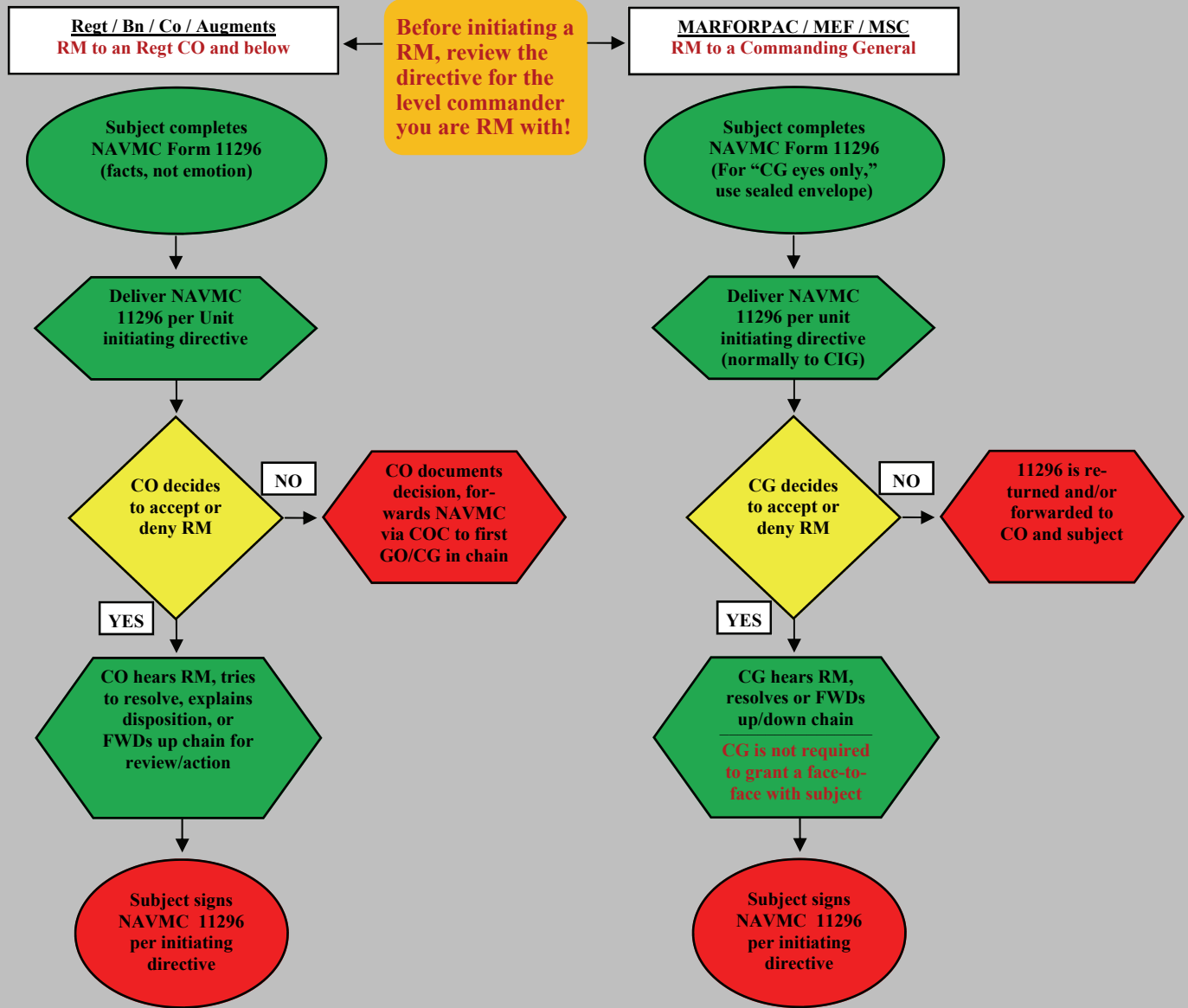




Request Mast

The Request Mast (RM) policy is a means for Marines and Sailors of MARFORPAC to communicate a grievance to their Commanding Officer. In order to completely understand the RM policy, one should reference MCO 1700.23F and NAVMC DIR 1700.23F. However, even with an understanding of the process, the flow of the RM can be confusing. Below are a couple flow charts to help simplify the process.



"A Commander may deny a Request Mast application if there is another specific avenue of redress."

Reference: NAVMC 1700.23F, p. 2-1

"Although a Marine may be granted the privilege of forwarding an application for Request Mast to higher commanders, there is no vested right to Request Mast with such higher commander."

Reference: NAVMC 1700.23F, p. 2-3

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