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**Transparency and free information as main market inputs**

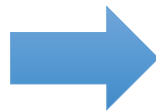
During 2013 and 2014, Mexico enacted legal reforms...

Constitutional amendments

9 new laws

12 amended laws

+100 New regulations



Removes entry barriers to energy markets

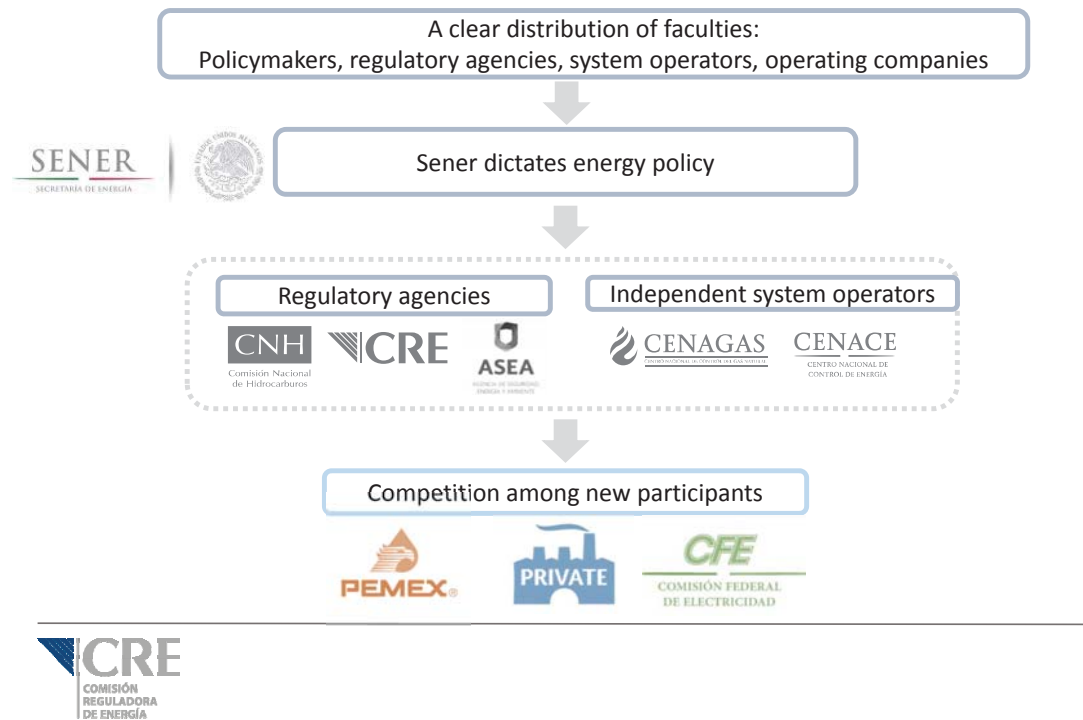
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Promotes investment on a leveled playfield

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Fosters transparency

...which created new institutional structures...



...along with new regulatory authority for the energy markets



- Constitutional Powers and Authority
- Independence from central government (budgetary independence)
- Government board consists on 7 Commissioners proposed by the President and appointed by the Senate.
- Staggered board with an appointment of 7 years for each Commissioner.
- Every act and decision is subject to the principle of maximum transparency.
- Subject to strict contact and transparency rules.

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