

Methodological guide

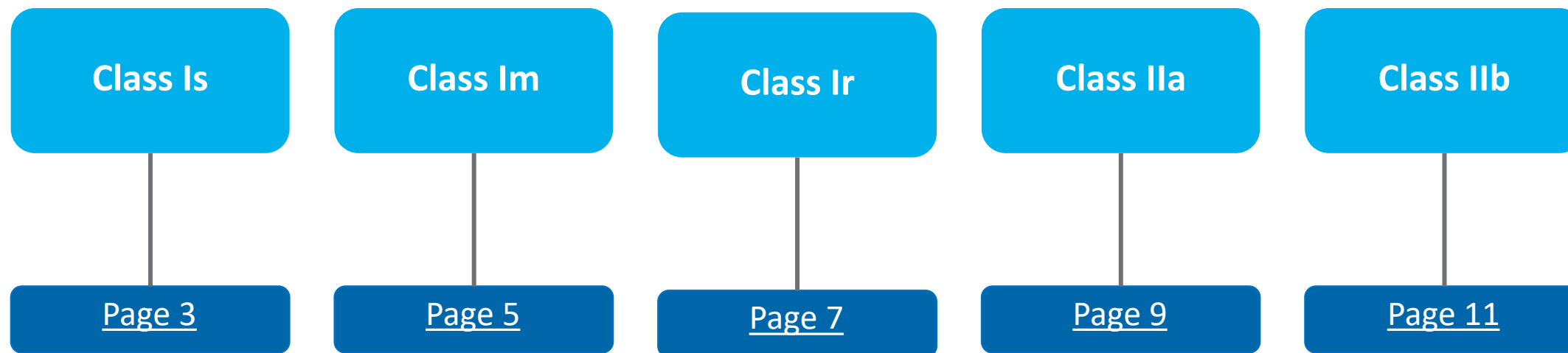
RULES FOR THE SELECTION OF CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE

This methodological guide serves only as an aid to orientation in the issue of conformity assessment procedures for medical devices. We recommend using Article 52 of the MDR to determine the appropriate conformity assessment procedure for your medical device.

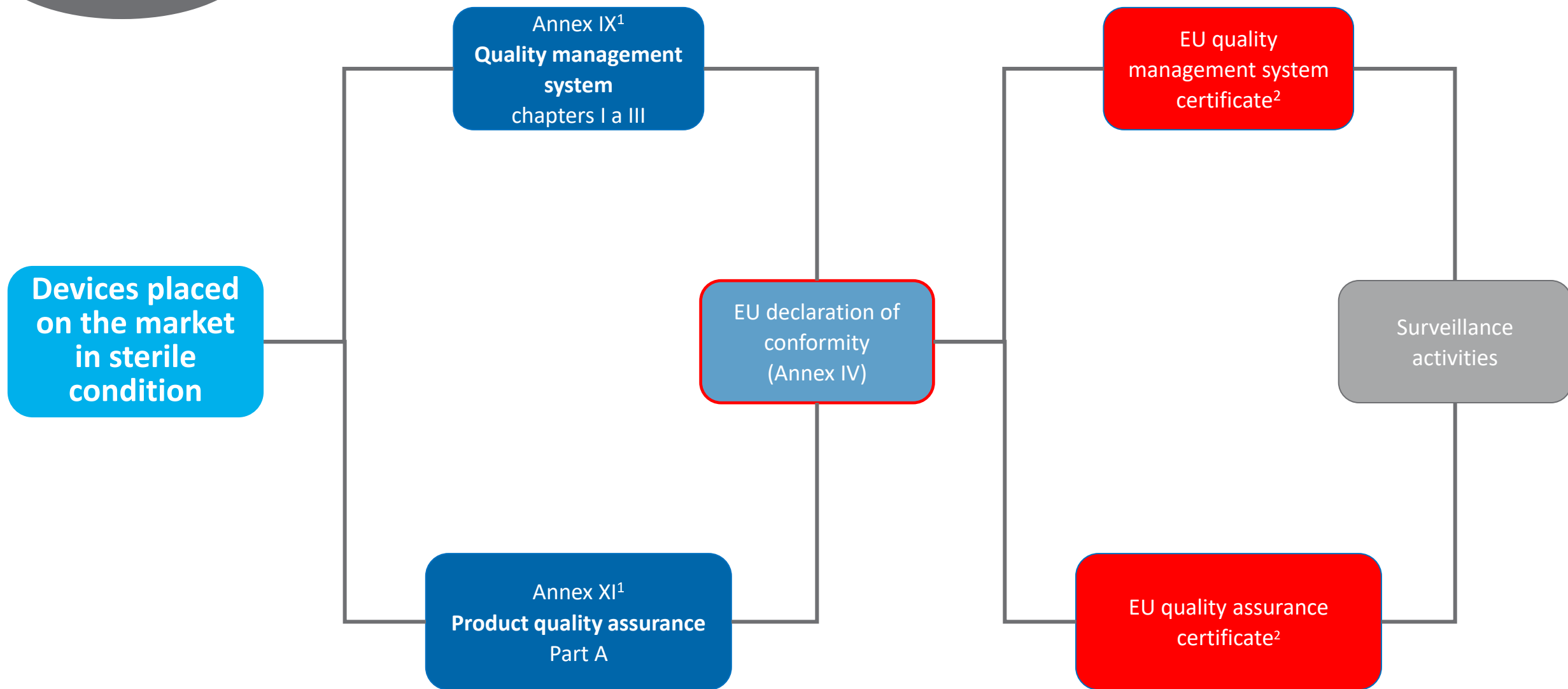
According to the MDR, five conformity assessment procedures can be used to carry out the medical device conformity assessment.

Article 52 of the MDR defines the possible variations and combinations of the application of conformity assessment procedures for each class of medical devices. The guide below provides an overview of the procedures that can be used for conformity assessment of medical devices if the services of the Czech Metrology Institute (within the scope of its notification) are used.

By following the link you can easily find out which of the listed procedures can be used for your medical device.



Class Is



¹The powers of the notified body are limited to the assessment and audit of sterility-related aspects

²Certificates are limited to the quality management system or quality assurance related to sterility aspects

**Devices placed on
the market in
sterile condition**

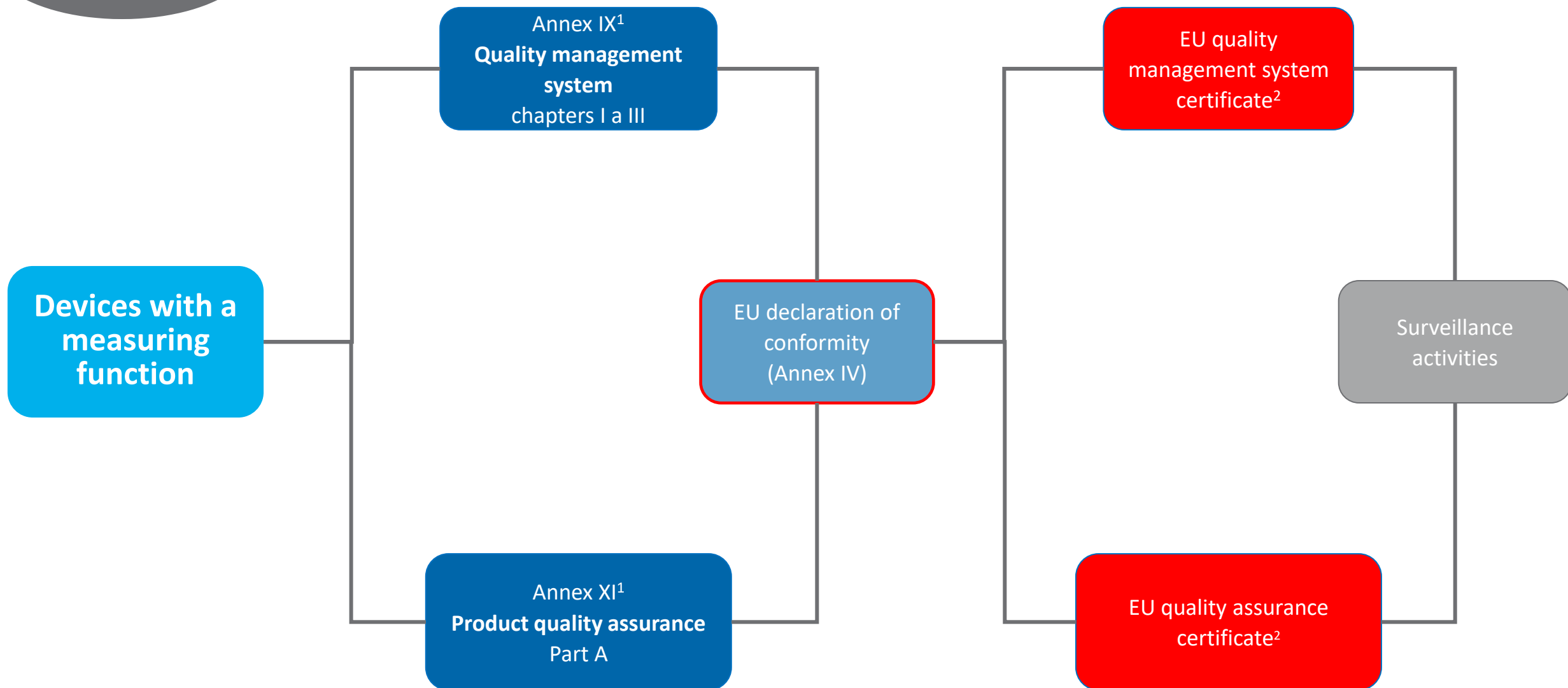
Article 52, Section 7 (a)

The manufacturer shall apply the procedures set out in Chapters I and III of Annex IX of the MDR, or in Part A of Annex XI of the MDR.

CMI focuses its conformity assessment on aspects related to the creation, assurance and maintenance of sterile conditions.

**Application for
Assessment of Quality
Management System**

Class Im



¹ The powers of the notified body are limited to the assessment and audit of aspects related to metrology

² Certificates are limited to the quality management system or quality assurance related to metrology aspects

Class Im

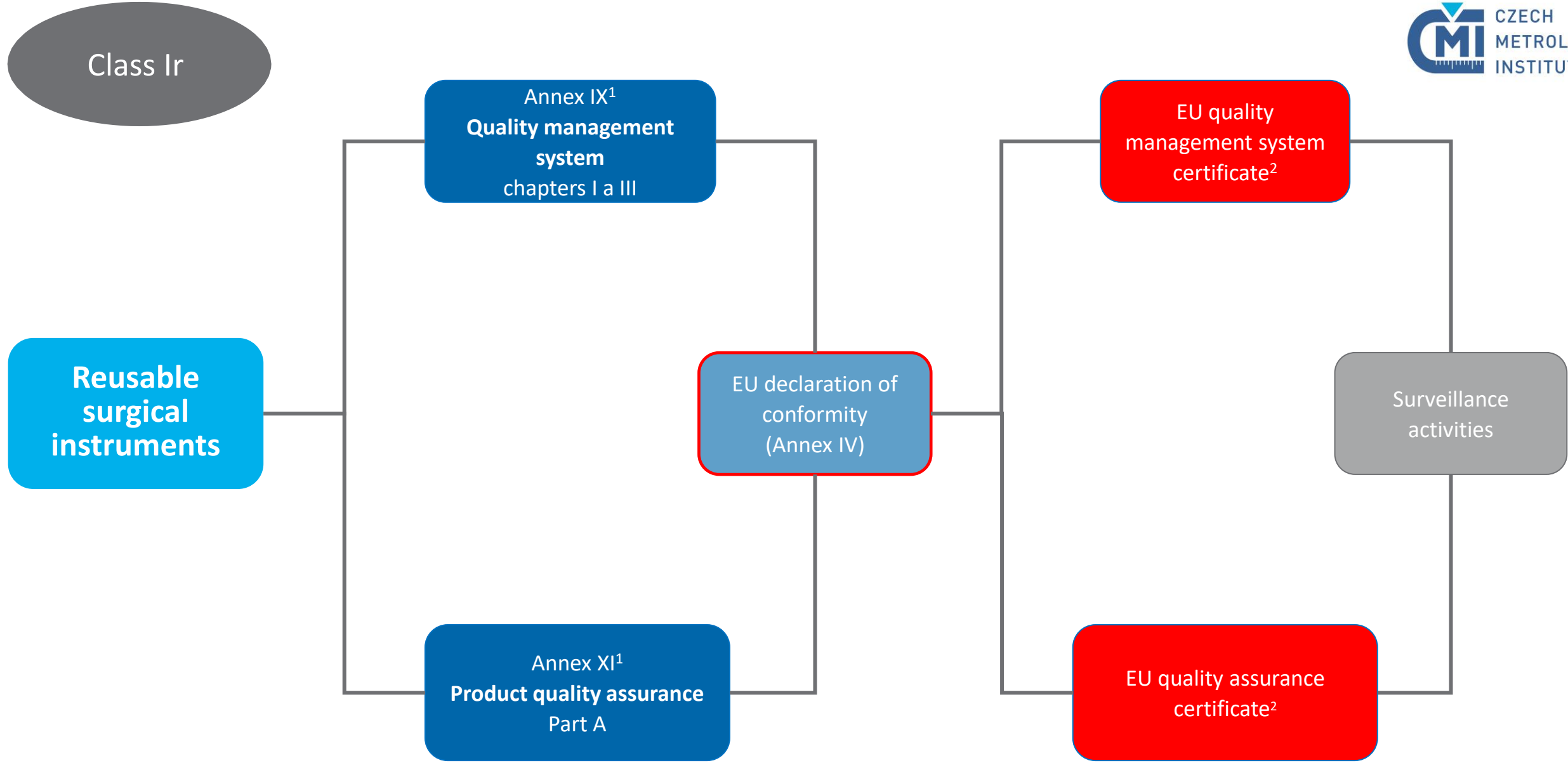
**Devices with a
measuring
function**

Article 52, Section 7 (b)

The manufacturer shall apply the procedures set out in Chapters I and III of Annex IX of the MDR, or in Part A of Annex XI of the MDR.

CMI focuses its conformity assessment on aspects related to the compliance of devices with metrological requirements.

**Application for
Assessment of Quality
Management System**



¹ The powers of the notified body are limited to the assessment and audit of aspects related to the reusability of surgical instruments (cleaning, sterilisation)

² Certificates are limited to quality management system or quality assurance related to the reusability of surgical instruments aspects

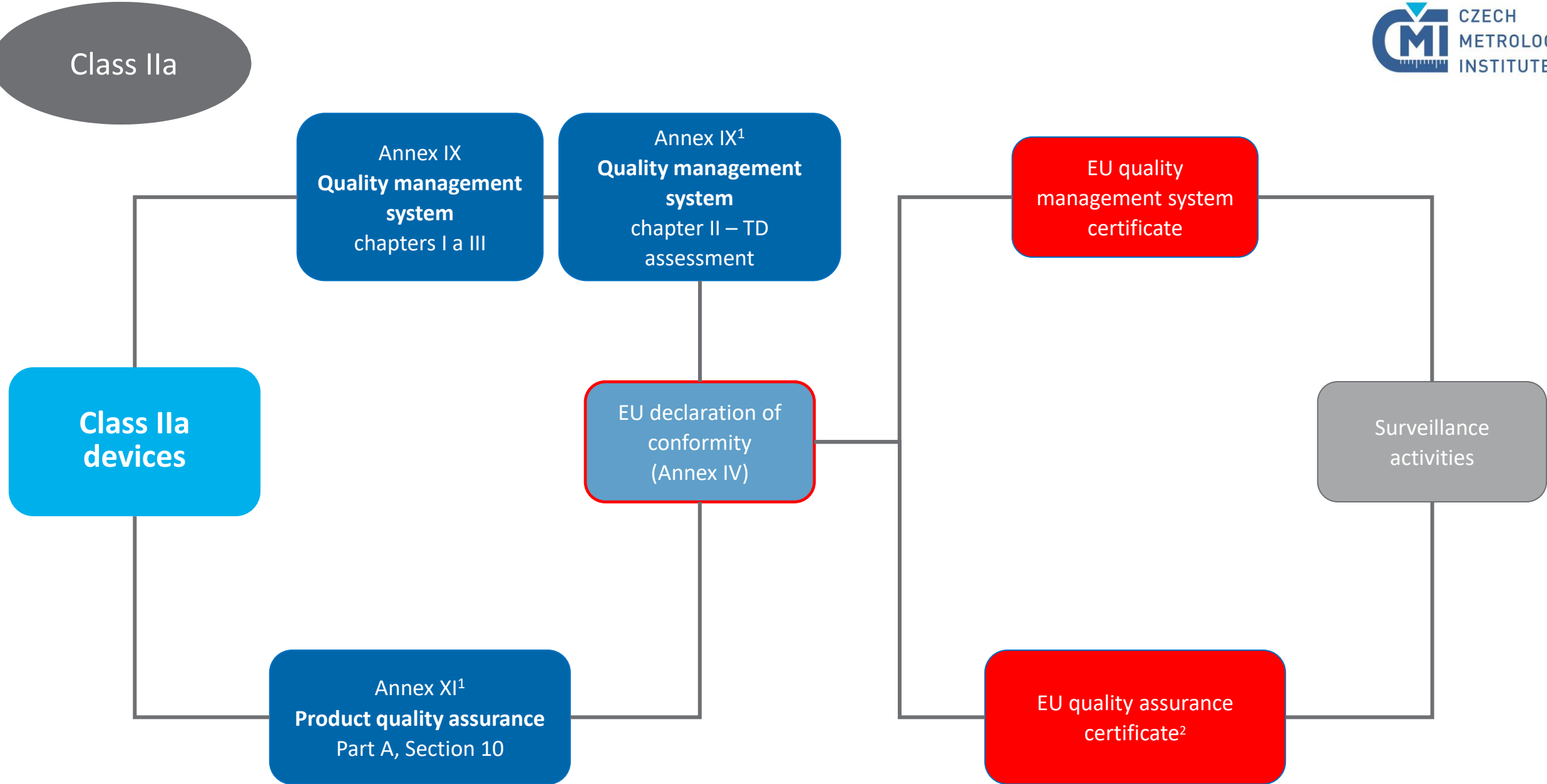
**Reusable surgical
instruments**

Article 52, Section 7 (c)

The manufacturer shall apply the procedures set out in Chapters I and III of Annex IX of the MDR, or in Part A of Annex XI of the MDR.

CMI focuses its conformity assessment on aspects related to the reusability of the device, such as in particular cleaning, disinfection, sterilisation, maintenance and control activities and related instructions for use.

**Application for
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¹The assessment of the technical documentation shall apply for at least one representative device for each category of devices

Class IIa devices

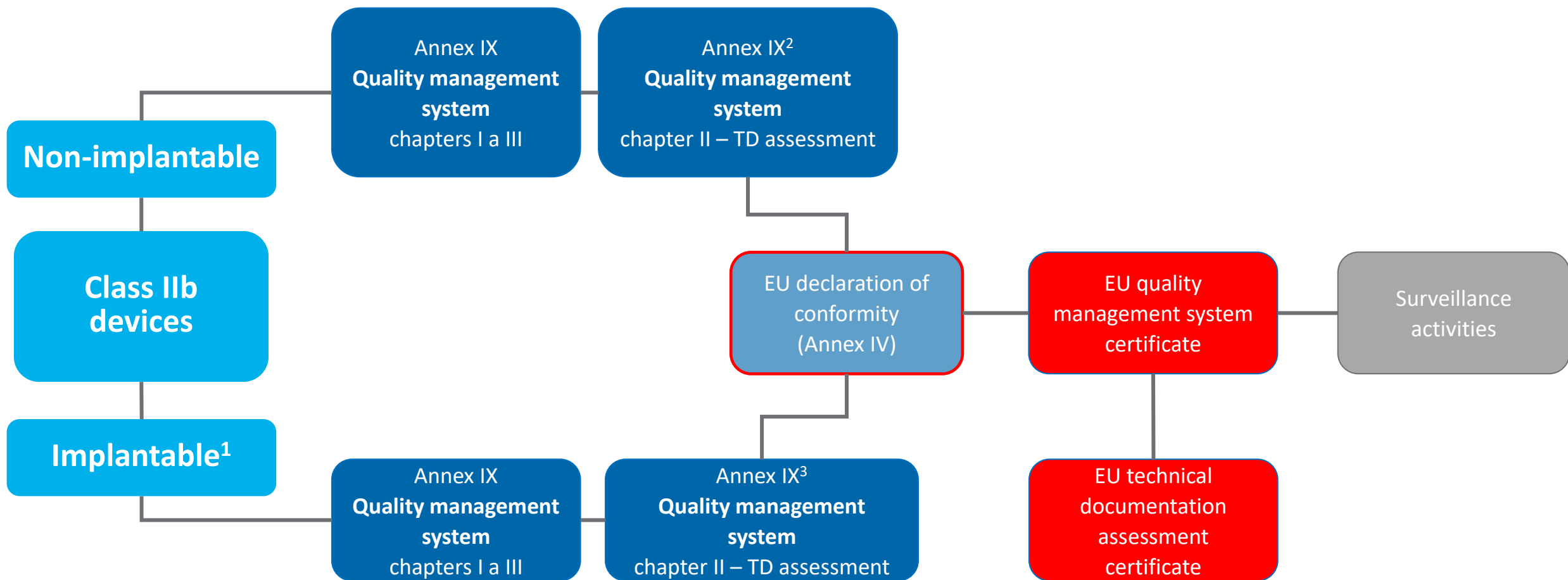
Article 52, Section 6

The manufacturer shall be subject to a conformity assessment as specified in Chapters I and III of Annex IX of the MDR, and including an assessment of the technical documentation as specified in Section 4 of the Annex of at least one representative device for each category of devices.

The manufacturer may choose to draw up the technical documentation coupled with a conformity assessment as specified in Section 10 of Annex XI of the MDR.

**Application for
Assessment of Quality
Management System**

Class IIb



¹Does not apply for class IIb implantable devices in well-established technologies, namely sutures, staples, dental fillings, dental braces, tooth crowns, screws, wedges, plates, wires, pins, clips and connectors (according to Article 52, Section 4)

²The assessment of the technical documentation shall apply for at least one representative device for each category of devices

³Assessment of the technical documentation will be carried out for each device

