

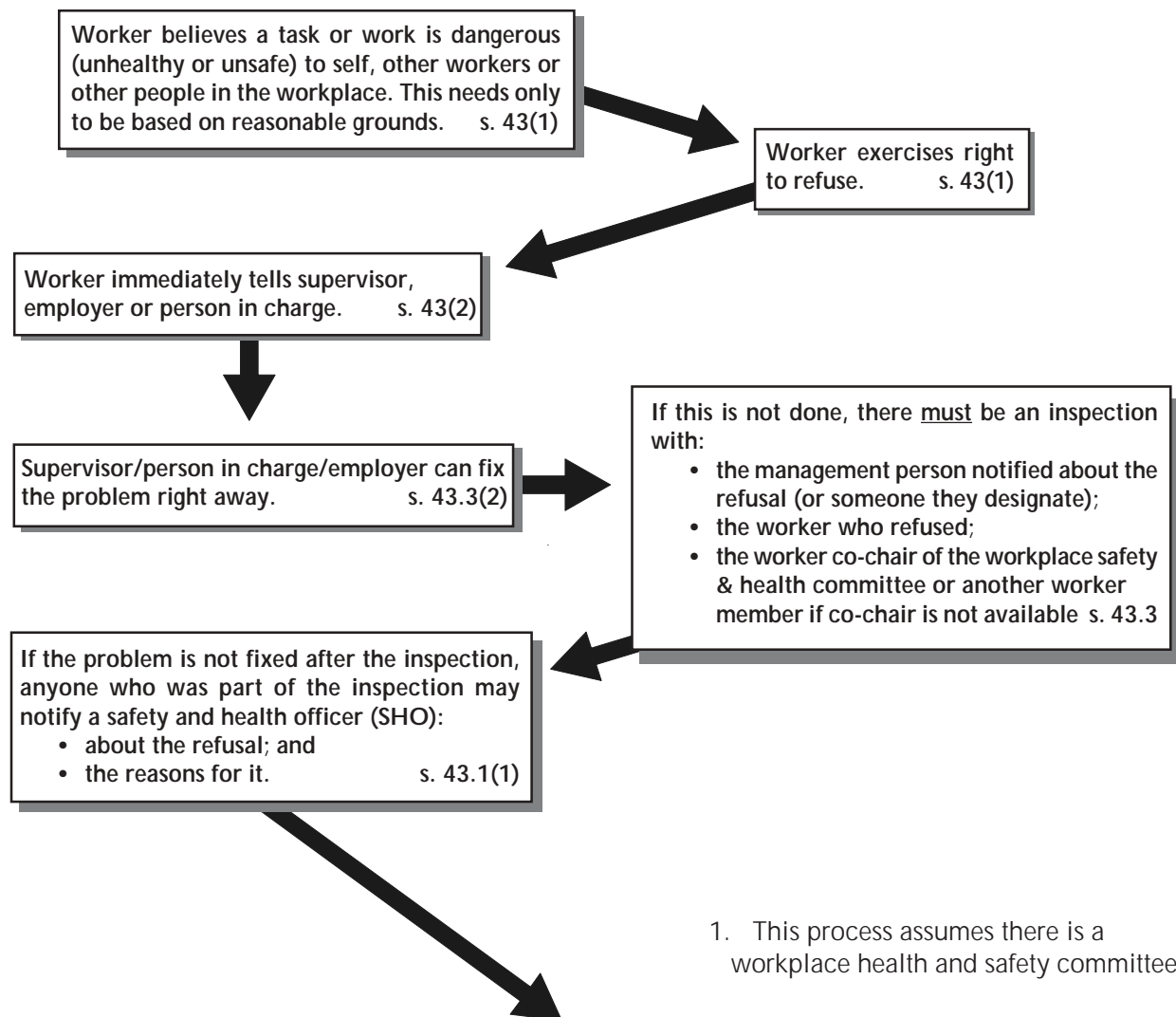
Refusing "dangerous work"

One of the most important rights workers have is refusing work that they think might hurt themselves or someone else. Here's a summary of who has to do what when someone "exercises" or uses their right to refuse dangerous work.

Exercising the right to refuse unsafe or unhealthy work under the Workplace Safety and Health Act, sections 43(1) to 43.3(2)¹

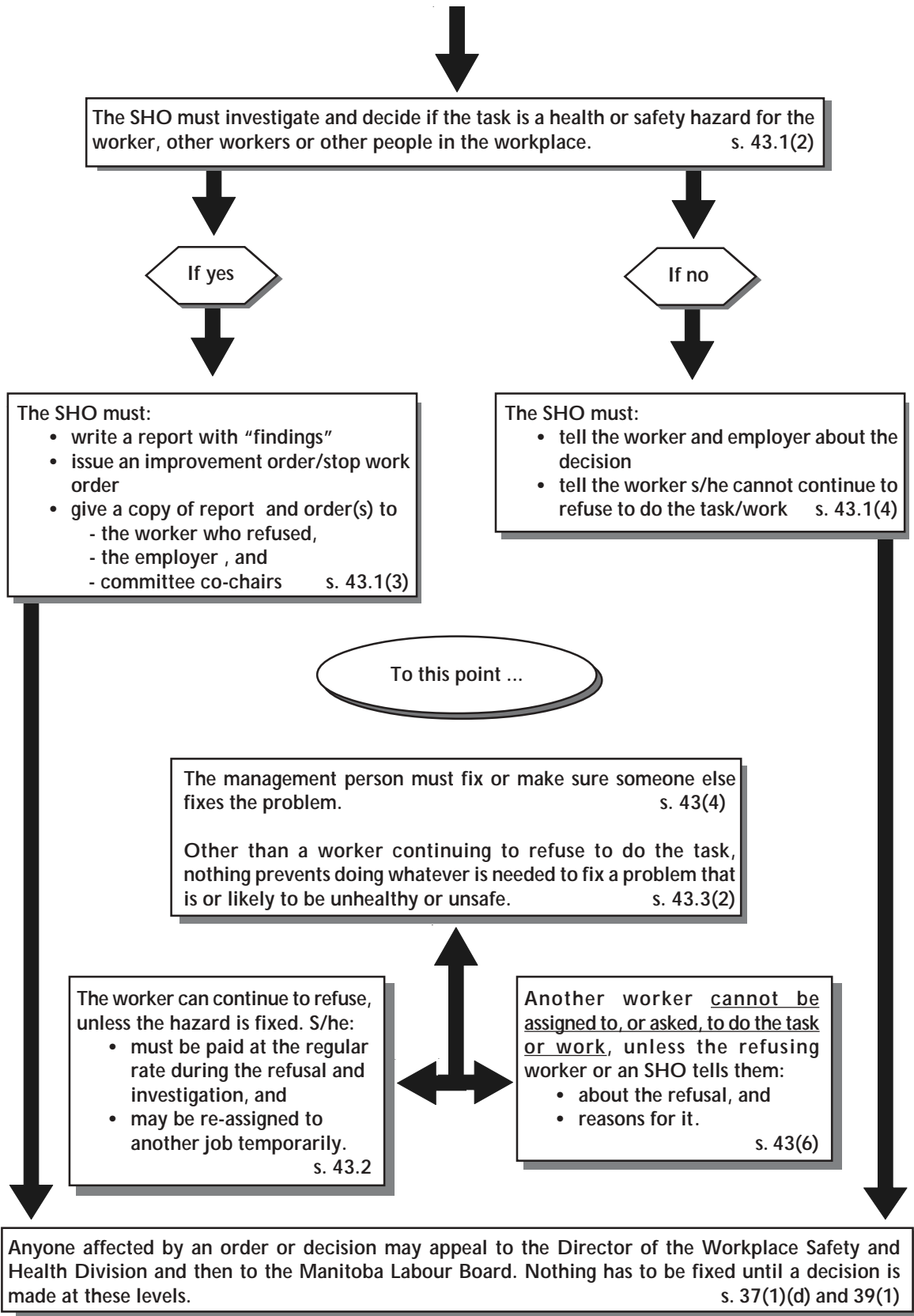
The context:

The employer (including supervisors, agents or other representatives) must not make or allow a worker to do something the employer knows (or ought to know) is dangerous to a worker's health and/or safety. s. 43.3(1)



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