Figure 2: Streamlining government

## Policymaking and coordination

#### Tiers of government

### Representation

#### **National Government**

Delivery and coordination of national level services, such as defense and macroeconomic policy, and services where national consistency is crucial, such as health

# Strategic Authorities

Coordination of levers relating to local growth and issues crossing council boundaries, such as infrastructure planning, transport, and spatial planning, while convening partners for public service reform

Combined Authorities

Combined County Authorities

Greater London Authority

Mayoral and Enhanced SAs are represented through the Council of **Nations and** 

**Regions** and the

Mayoral Council

**Principal Authorities** Delivery of local public

services, place shaping and local public service reform

**Unitary Councils** 

County Councils District Councils

Local authorities are represented through the

**Leaders Council** 

across larger geographical areas to collaborate on inter-regional issues, like energy and water

Mayors may also

come together

Principal authorities come together to form Strategic **Authorities** (outside of London)