

# Regarding Surveys Conducted By the Ministry of the Environment Based on the Marine Renewable Energy Development Act (Amended Marine Renewable Energy Utilization Act)



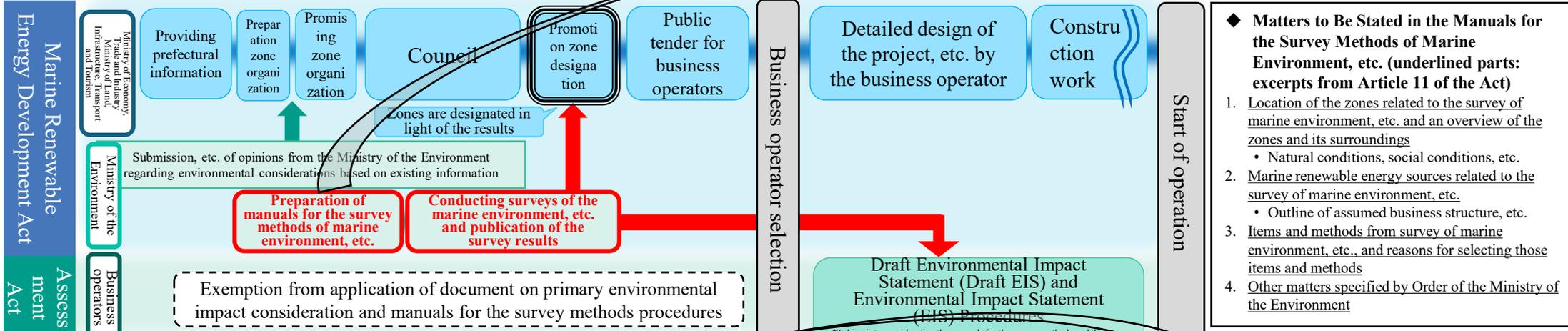
◆ Regarding offshore wind power generation, in order to achieve the project formation target\* of 10 million kW by 2030 and 30 million to 45 million kW by 2040, **“the Act on Promoting the Utilization of Sea Areas for the Development of Marine Renewable Energy Power Generation Facilities in Territorial Sea and Internal Waters” (Renewable Energy Sea Area Utilization Act) was amended** in June 2025.

\* Seventh Basic Energy Plan

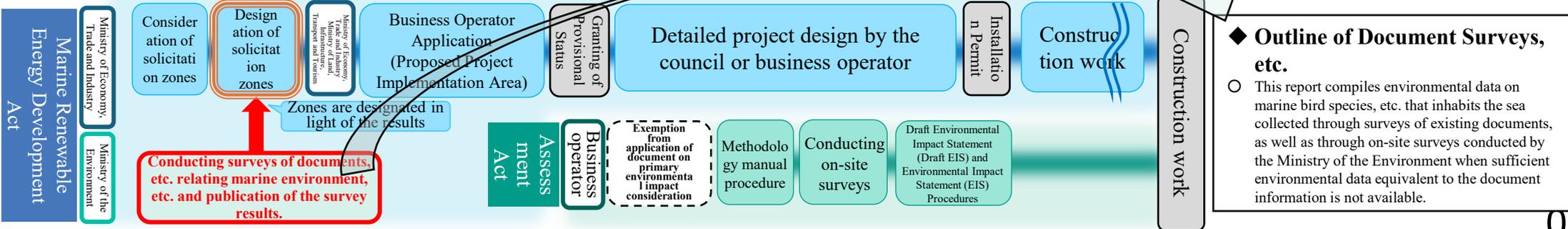
◆ The Amendment Act expands the scope of application of the Act from "territorial sea and internal waters" to "exclusive economic zone water areas (EEZ)" and, when designating promotion zones (territorial sea and internal waters) and solicitation zones (EEZ), **from the perspective of preserving the marine environment and other factors, the Minister of the Environment is to conduct an investigation, and accordingly, the equivalent procedures as referred to under the Environmental Impact Assessment Act, do not apply.**

## Projects Conducted By the Ministry of the Environment Based on the Marine Renewable Energy Development Act (Red Text Part)

### <Territorial Sea and Internal Waters>



### <EEZ>



# 海洋再エネ整備法（改正再エネ海域利用法）に基づき環境省が行う調査について

- ◆ 洋上風力発電に関し、2030年までに1,000万kW、2040年までに3,000万kW～4,500万kWの案件形成目標※の達成の観点から、令和7年6月に「**領海及び内水における海洋再生可能エネルギー発電設備の整備に係る海域の利用の促進に関する法律**」（再エネ海域利用法）を改正 ※第7次エネルギー基本計画
- ◆ 改正法においては、法の適用対象を「領海及び内水」から「排他的経済水域（EEZ）」にも拡大するとともに、促進区域（領海及び内水）及び募集区域（EEZ）の指定等の際に、**海洋環境等の保全の観点から環境大臣が調査を行うこととし、これに伴い、環境影響評価法の相当する手続を適用しないこととされた。**

## 海洋再エネ整備法に基づき環境省が行う事業（赤字部分）

