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EASTERN ECONOMIC CORRIDOR
THE PRIME GATEWAY TO ASIA

EEC in ACTION

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FOCUSED PROJECTS AND INVESTMENT PLAN IN 5 YEARS

Infrastructure

1. High Speed Rail Linked 3 Airports

HSR Eastern Route | Aerotropolis: U-Tapao International Airport | Seamless operation system

2. Double-Tracks Rail Linked 3 Seaports

Laem Chabang Port Phase 3 | Map ta Phut Port Phase 3 | Sattahip Commercial Port

3. Highways & Motorways

4. Digital Infrastructure

Targeted Industries

First S-Curve

- Automobile for the future
- Smart Electronics
- Agriculture & Bio Technology
- Food for the future
- World class tourism

Second S-Curve

- Robotics & Automations
- Aviation & Logistics
- Bio Energy & Bio Chemicals
- Medical & Health Industry
- Digital Industry

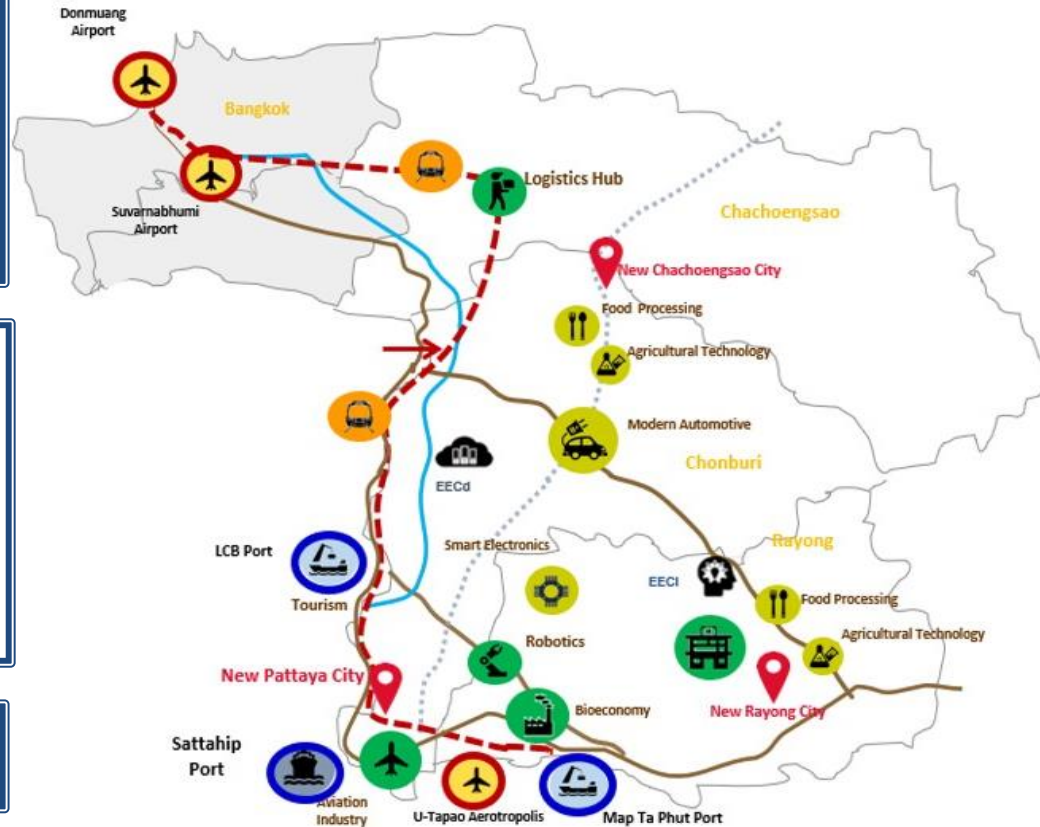
2 newly approved targeted industries

- Defense Industry
- Human Resource Development

Technology & Innovation

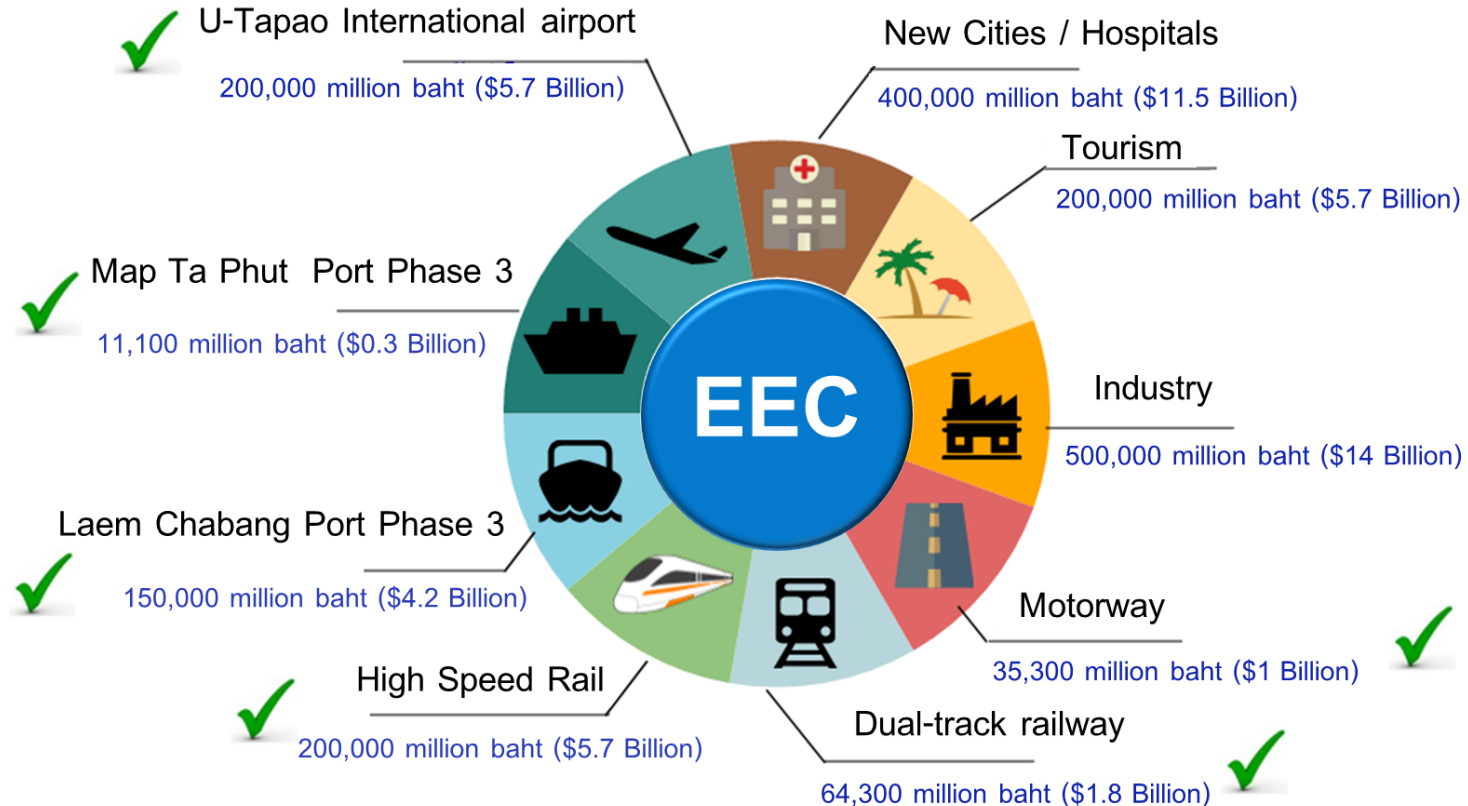
- EEC of Innovation (EECI)
- Digital Park Thailand (EECd)

Human Resource Development & Education



Combined Public and Private Investments

Approximately 1.7 Trillion baht (\$49.9 Billion) in the first 5 years



EASTERN ECONOMIC CORRIDOR ACT

Clear Working Process

- EIA/PPP/Urban planning/OSS and etc.
- Special Economic Promotion Zone
- Incentives (tax/visa/work permit and etc.)

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Permanent Administration

- Policy Committee chaired by the Prime Minister with 14 ministers
- Eastern Economic Corridor Office

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EEC Inclusivity

- Integrated Plan and Budget Fund for Local Development

EEC MAJOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

The high speed trains will link the 3 main airports (Don Muang, Suvarnabhumi and U-Tapao) for greater convenience, reduced travel time and saving costs.

High Speed Rail Linked 3 Airports



An international airport to accommodate 15-30-60 million passengers every year.

U-Tapao International Airport



The double-track rail lines will connect industrial zones nationwide to the 3 main ports

Double-Track Railway



The expansion will lift its capacity to handle 18 million TEU containers per year and 3 million cars per year.

Laem Chabang Port Phase 3



Increase the capacity to handle more liquid materials and natural gas.

Map Ta Phut Port Phase 3



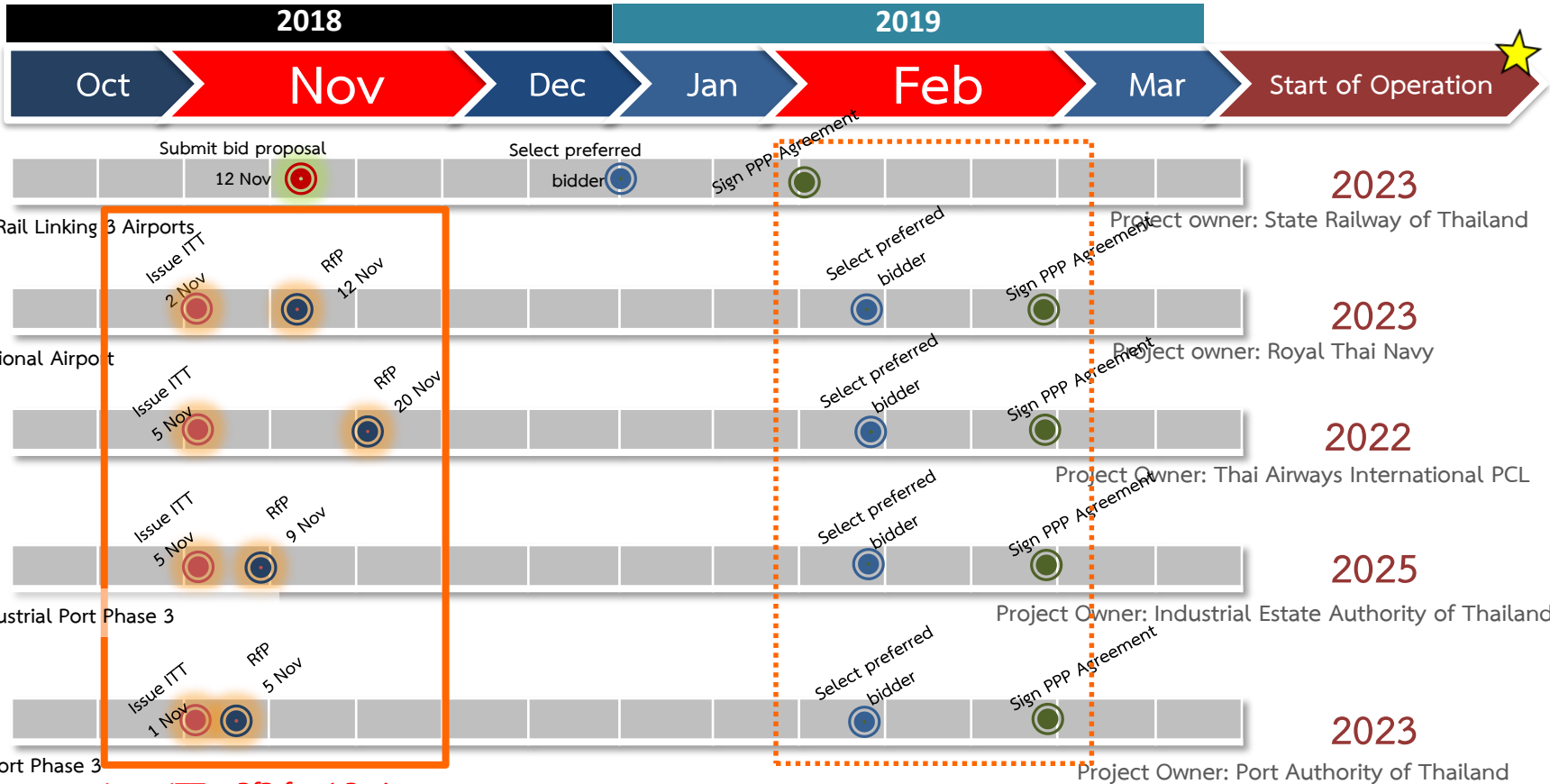
TG MRO Campus



MRO Center

The state-of-the-art hub for aircraft maintenance, repair and overhaul. This is set to become the most advanced MRO centre in the region.

5 Main EEC Infrastructure Projects on Track



Issue ITT + RfP for 4 Projects

In beginning Nov 2018

Execute PPP Agreement for

all projects by Feb 2019

Eastern Economic Corridor of Innovation (EECi) and Digital Park Thailand (EECd)



- Centers of Excellence
- Pilot Plants & Demonstration Plants
- Green Houses & Plant Factories
- Testing Centers & Testbeds
- Living Labs & Regulatory Sandboxes

2 EASTERN ECONOMIC CORRIDOR OF INNOVATION (EECi)

A comprehensive innovation ecosystem to facilitate investment in research and innovation and human resource preparation for Thailand's targeted industries under the cooperation between government, private sector, and academia on an area of over 3,000 rais in the Wangchan Valley, Rayong



- IOT Institute
- Digital Innovation Testbed
- Smart City Lab
- Cybersecurity Cluster
- Digital Startup Ecosystem
- World Class Data Center
- ASEAN Connectivity Hub

3 DIGITAL PARK THAILAND (EECd)

Center for digital investment and human resource development on an area over 700 rais in Siracha, Chon Buri with the objective of powering Thailand to become a digital innovation hub of ASEAN.

EEC DEVELOPMENT AT A GLANCE



Privileges

1 Tax incentives under the Investment Promotion Act

- Exemption from corporate income tax for up to 13 Years.
- Exemption of import duties on machinery.
- Exemption of duty on raw materials imported for production and R&D.
- Grants provided to support targeted technology development under the Competitive Enhancement Act.

2 Tax incentives per Notification of the Ministry of Finance

- 17% personal income tax rate for foreign experts who work in the EEC, 15% personal income tax rate for executives whose companies have HQs or international trading companies in the EEC. For further information, please contact the local Revenue Office.
- Investments in relation to research and development, and innovation are subjected to the maximum of 300% tax deduction. Applicant has to submit a supporting plan as approved by the NSTDA.

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Privileges



3 Investment Benefits of EEC Special Economic Zones

Ownership of land/properties/term of lease

- foreign entity may own land for their businesses in the EEC Special Economic Zones.
- foreign entity may own properties for their businesses and for place of residence in the EEC Special Economic Zones.
- lease, sublease, rental, land or property sublease agreements in the EEC may not have a lease term more than 50 years, and an agreement can be renewed for up to 49 years.

Immigration and residing in Thailand

- specialists, managers, or experts, along with their spouses and dependents, may reside in Thailand up to 4 years.

Financial transactions

- exemption from the laws on foreign exchange control and the use of foreign currencies in the EEC.

Other privileges

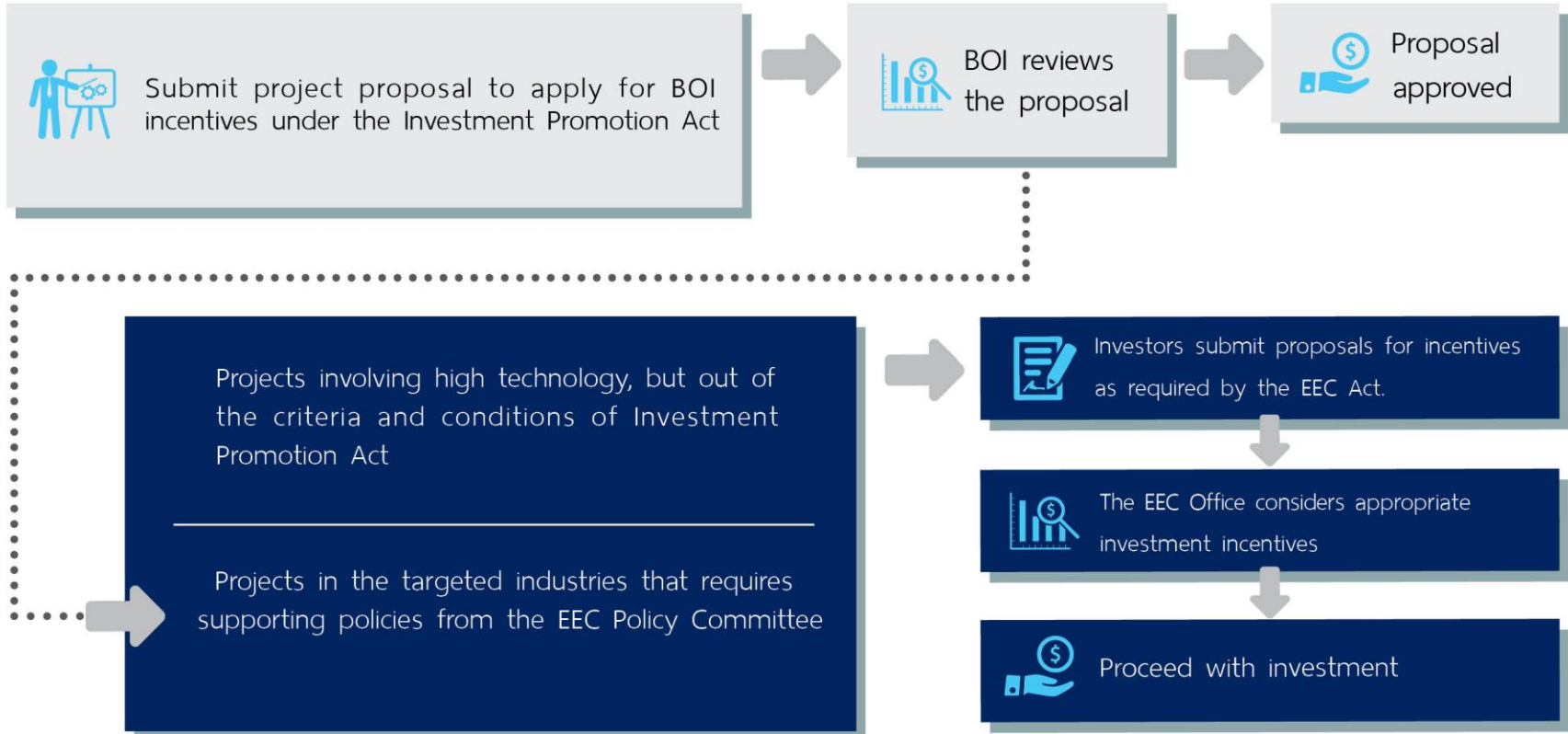
- same benefits granted to investors in a duty-free area, bonded warehouse, and a free trade zone.
- Professionals or those requesting for permits will receive professional license, registration, or certification to work in the Special Economic Zones.

One Stop Service (OSS)

Procedural Facilitation



Procedure for Investment Promotion Application in EEC





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