This Act addresses whole lifecycle of plastics (i.e., from designing products to disposing plastic waste) and involves all stakeholders in promoting "3R+Renewable" and increasing circularity.

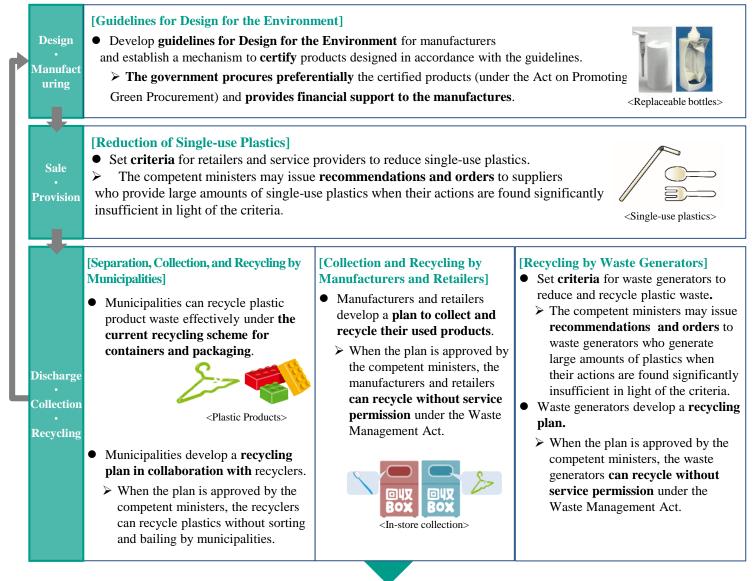
Background

- O In response to marine plastic pollution, climate change, and foreign waste import regulations, domestic circulation of plastic resources is increasingly important.
- O Since plastics are used in many varieties of products, circulation system for plastics needs to be enhanced comprehensively.

Main contents

- 1. Basic Policy
 - To promote circulation of plastics in a comprehensive and planned way, basic policy includes:
 - > Design for the Environment by manufacturers
 - > Reduction of single-use plastics by retailers and service providers
 - > Separation, collection and recycling of plastic waste by municipalities and private sectors

2. Measures along life cycle of plastics



Transition to circular economy through advancing circulation of resources

This Act comes into effect as of a day specified by Cabinet Order within one year from the date of promulgation.