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## **Bureau within the Department of the Interior (DOI)**

- Oversees development of nation's energy and mineral resources on the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS)

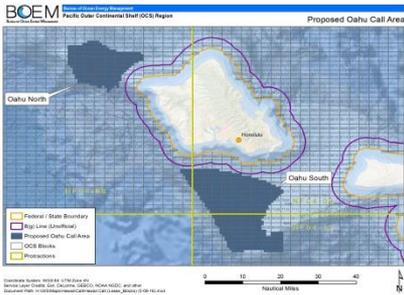
## **OCS Lands Act of 1953 as amended, including amendments per the Energy Policy Act of 2005**

- Renewable energy (e.g., wind, wave, current)
- Conventional energy (e.g., oil and gas)
- Marine minerals (e.g., sand and gravel)



# Renewable Energy Leasing Process

## Planning and Analysis



- Intergovernmental Task Force
- Request for Information (RFI) and/or Call for Information & Nominations (Call)
- Area Identification
- Environmental review

## Leasing



- Publish leasing notices
- Issue lease(s)

## Site Assessment



- Site Characterization
- Site Assessment Plan (SAP)

## Construction and Operations



- Construction and Operations Plan (COP)
- Facility Design Report & Fabrication and Installation Report
- Decommissioning



## California

- Lease request offshore Morro Bay, California
- Letter from Governor requesting Task Force

## Hawaii (Task Force established in 2011)

- Three lease requests offshore island of Oahu
- Intergovernmental and public outreach meetings
- Call for Information and Nominations

## Oregon (Task Force established in 2010)

- WindFloat Pacific Project
- P MEC-SETS

## Washington

- Little interest in development of renewable energy resources on the OCS at this time

