

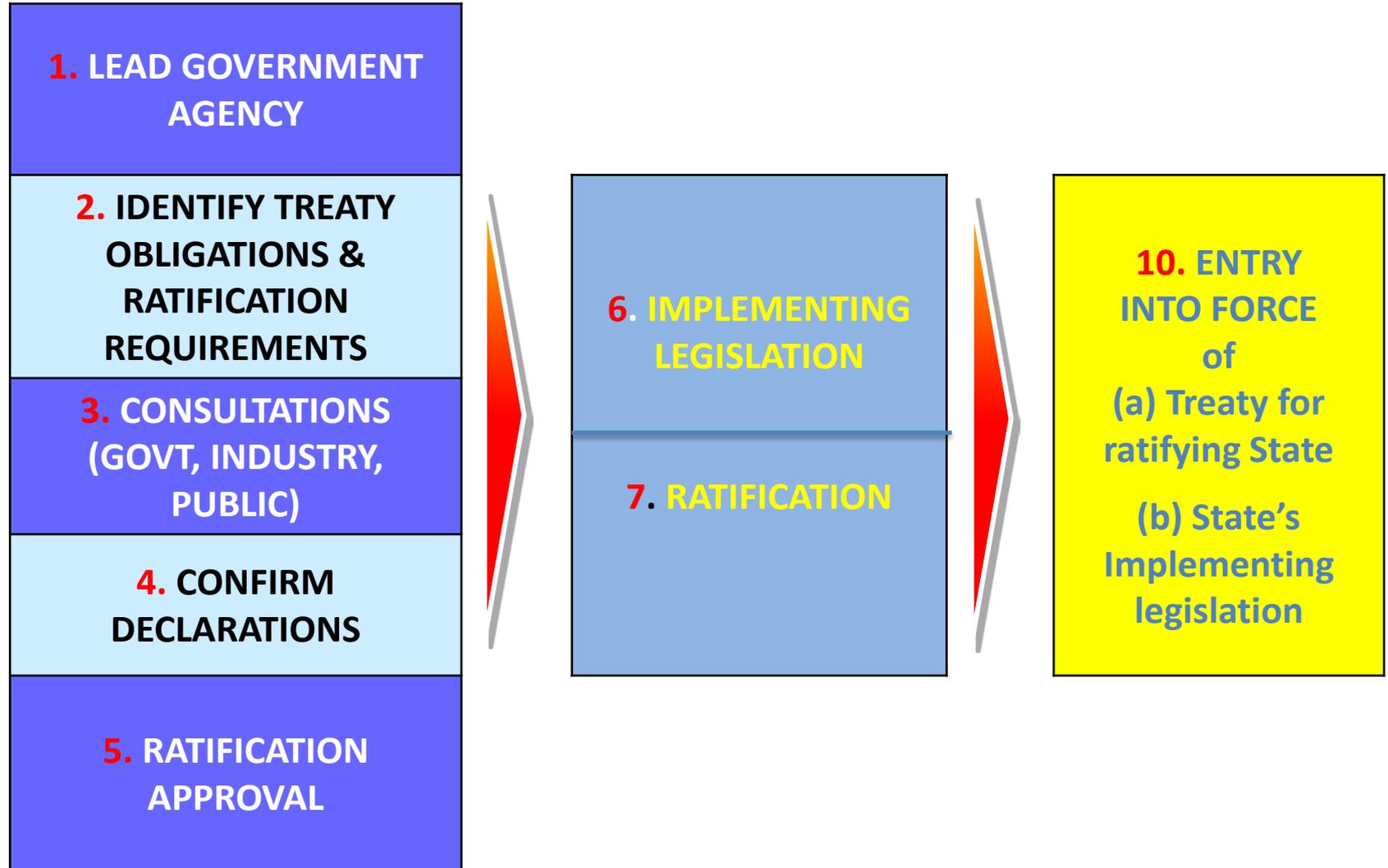
# Ratifications - State's Perspective

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# State Ratification Steps/Process

- CAA/Transport Ministry takes the **lead** or identifies & work with lead Government Agency
- Identify **State's obligations** under the treaty, including specific **ratification requirements** (e.g. declarations that need to be made)
- Conduct inter-government agency, industry & public **consultations**
- Confirm **declarations** & notifications to be made \*
- Obtain **approval for ratification**
- Prepare **implementing legislation**
- Conduct **further consultations** (intra-government, industry & public)
- Finalise **legislation** & undertake **law making/parliamentary process**
- Prepare & lodge **ratification/accession instrument(s) [with accompanying declarations where needed]** \*
- Effect **entry into force** notification/procedures \*

# State Ratification Steps/Process



# State Declarations

<b>Montreal Convention 1999</b>	Art 56 – Extension to territorial units
<b>Cape Town Convention 2001*</b>	Art 54(2) – Mandatory declaration Arts 39, 40, 52(1), 53 & 60 – Opt in declarations Arts 8(1), 9(1), 10, 13, 43, 50(1), 54(1) & 55 – Opt out declarations
<b>Cape Town Aircraft Protocol 2001*</b>	Art VIII, X, XI, XII, XIII, XIX, XXIV(2) & XXIX, XXX(2) – Opt in declarations Art XXX(5) – Opt out declarations
<b>Beijing Convention 2010</b>	Art 21, para 4, sub-para (a) – Jurisdiction Art 21, para 4, sub-para (b) – Family exemptions from liability
<b>Beijing Protocol 2010</b>	Art XXII, para (a) – Jurisdiction Art XXII, para (b) – Family exemptions from liability
<b>Montreal Protocol 2014</b>	Nil

\* Please check against information on UNIDROIT website as not all the declarations are listed here

**Asante sana  
Merci beaucoup  
Many thanks**

**for your attention!**