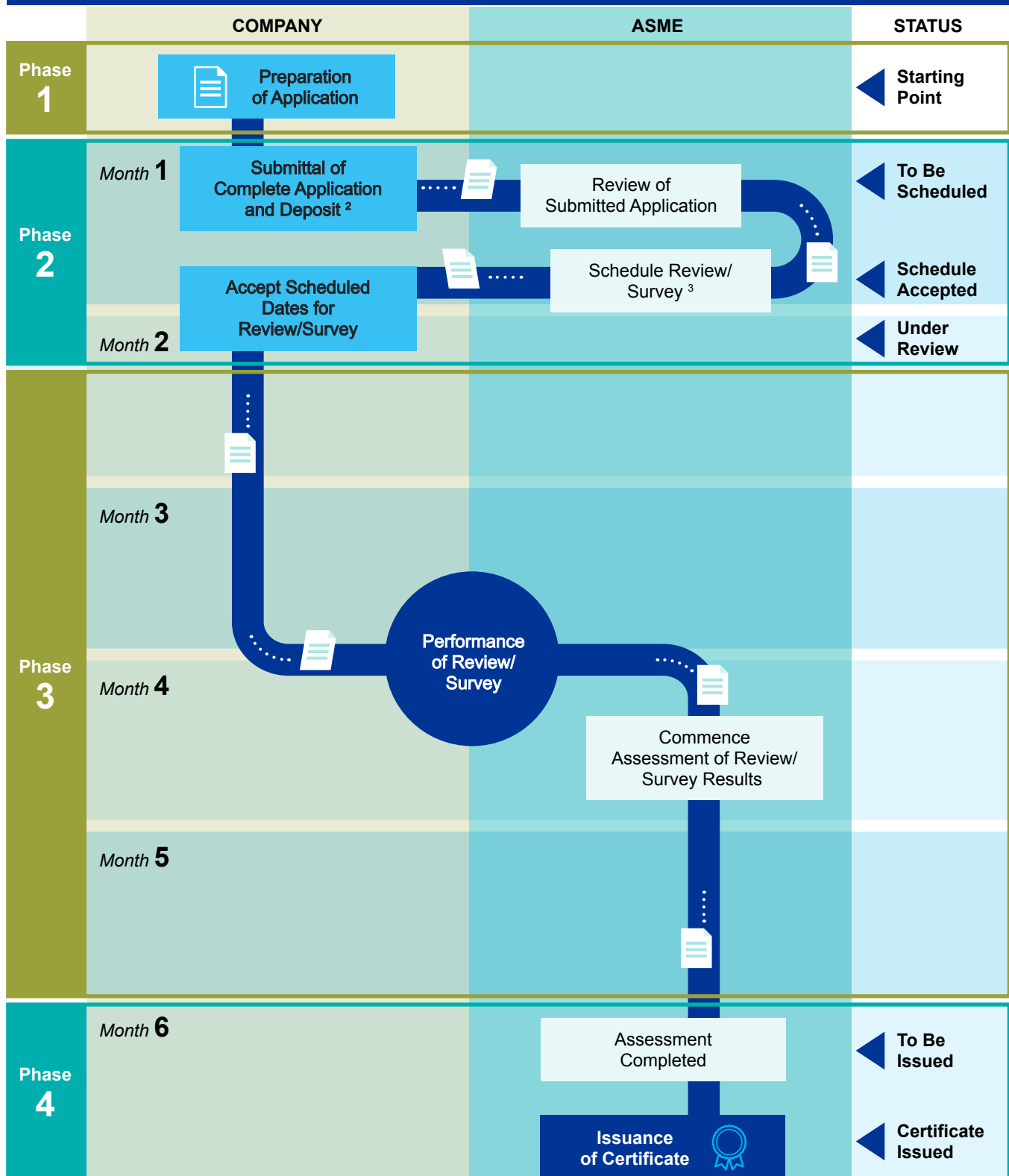


THE CERTIFICATION PROCESS ¹



¹ This timeline is based on submittal of application and deposit 6 months prior to expiration date of certificates and when ASME conducts the review/survey. Time periods are estimated and may vary for different applicants. If ASME does not conduct review, then the timeline will be 2-4 months. This timeline is subject to change.

² Completed application includes signed agreement form.

³ Reviews/Surveys are usually scheduled three months in advance. Scheduled dates may vary depending on applicants/team availability.

⁴ Non-Boiler surveys require assessment by the responsible accreditation/certification committee which may take 3-4 weeks. Assessment of Boiler reviews may take 2-3 weeks. It may take up to 30 days to receive the report for the review/survey.