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## Abbreviations

AL:	Awami League
BJP:	Bharatiya Janata Party
BYVY:	Build Your Village Yourself
CC:	Central Committee
CCM:	Central Committee Member
CNC:	Ceylon National Congress
CPI:	Communist Party of India
CPM:	Communist Party of India-Marxist
CPN-UML:	Communist Party of Nepal, Unified Marxist-Leninist
CRC:	Constitution Recommendation Committee
DC:	District Committee
DCM:	District Committee Members
DDC:	District Development Committee
DDCM:	District Development Committee Members
HOR:	House of Representatives
IIDS:	Institute for Integrated Development Studies
INC:	Indian National Congress
ML:	(Communist Party of Nepal) Marxist-Leninist
MM:	Municipality Members
MP:	Member of Parliament
NC:	Nepali Congress
NPC:	Nepal Prajatantra Congress
NRC:	Nepal Rashtriya Congress
NSP:	Nepal Sadbhabana Party
NVS:	Nepal Vidarthi Sangh
PAG:	Party Activist Group
PM:	Prime Minister
PML:	Pakistan Muslim League
POLSAN:	Political Science Association of Nepal
RPP:	Rashtriya Prajatantra Party
TC:	Town Committee
TCM:	Town Committee Member
ULF:	United Left Front
VC:	Village Committee
VCM:	Village Committee Member
VDC:	Village Development Committee
VDCM:	Village Development Committee Member