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ABBREVIATIONS

Amt. : Amount

BBC : Bishal Bazar Company Limited

CAPM : Capital Assets Pricing Model

CIT : Citizen Investment Trust

DPS : Dividend Per Share

EMH : Efficient Market Hypothesis

EPS : Earning Per Share

F.Y. : Fiscal Year

Gov. : Government

HGIC : Himalayan General Insurance Company Limited

KTM : Kathmandu

Ltd. : Limited

MBS : Master Degree in Business Studies

Mfg. : Manufacturing

MPS : Market Per Share

NATS : NEPSE Automated Trading System

NEPSE : Nepal Stock Exchange

NIB : Nepal Investment Bank Limited

NIDC : Nepal Industrial Development Corporation

No. : Number

NRB : Nepal Rastra Bank

NWPS : Net Worth Per Share

PE : Price Earning

RWH : Random Walk Hypothesis

SCB : Standard Chartered Bank Limited

SEBO/N : Securities Board of Nepal

SEC : Security Exchange Center

SEMH : Strong Form Efficient Market Hypothesis

SHL : Soaltee Hotel Limited

SML : Security Market Line

T.U. : Tribhuvan University

UNL : Unilever Nepal Limited

WEMH : Weak Form Efficient Market Hypothesis