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ABBREVIATIONS/ACRONYMS

ADF	-	Augmented Dickey Fuller Test
ARDL	-	Auto Regressive Distributive Model
BIMSTEC	-	Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Co-operation
CBS	-	Central Bureau of Statistics
CDECON	-	Central Department of Economics
CUSUM	-	Cumulative Sum Control Chart
EPZ	-	Export Processing Zone
FDI	-	Foreign Direct Investment
GDP	-	Gross Domestic Product
IMF	-	International Monetary Fund
MNE	-	Multi National Enterprise
NRB	-	Nepal Rastra Bank
RFDI	-	Real Foreign Direct Investment
SAPTA	-	South Asian Preferential Trade Arrangement
OECD	-	Organization for Economic Co operation and Development
UNCTAD	-	United Nation Conference on Trade and Development