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ABBREVIATION WORDS

V.C.	–	Victoria Cross
B.C.	-	Before Christ
B.S.	–	Bikram Sambat
A.D.	-	Anno Domini
Mt.	-	Mount
DDC	–	District Development Committee
VDC	-	Village Development Committee
WTO	-	World Tourism Organization
IATA	-	International Air Transport Association
RNAC	-	Royal Nepal Airlines Corporation
IUOTO	-	International Union of Official Travel Organization
NATHM	-	Nepal Academy of Tourism & Hotel Management
UNDP	-	United Nation Development Programme.
ILO	-	International Labour Organization
CNP	-	Chitwan National Park
TAAN	-	Trekking Agency Association of Nepal
NTB	-	Nepal Tourism Board
MICE	-	Meetings, Incentives, Conferences and Exhibitions
US\$.	-	United States Dolor
Sq. km	-	Square Kilometer
GATS	-	General Agreement on Trade in Services
GDP	–	Gross Domestic Product
TSA	-	Tourism Satellite Account
UNEP	-	United Nation Environment Program
GOs	-	Government Organizations
NGOs	-	Non-Government Organizations
INGO	-	International Non-Government Organization
HH	–	Household