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## **ABBREVIATIONS/ACRONYMS**

CBS	Central Bureau of Statistics
CDR	Central Development Region
CEDECON	Central Department of Economics
EDR	Eastern Development Region
EIA	Environment Impact
FY	Fiscal Year
GDP	Gross Domestic Products
GON	Government of Nepal
HHs	Households
ICIMOD	International Center for Integrate Mountain Development
KM	Kilometer
KW	Kilowatt
MHPs	Micro Hydropower Plants
MOF	Ministry of Finance
MW	Mega Watt
MWDR	Mid-Western Development Region
NEA	Nepal Electricity Authority
SHP	Small Hydro Power Project
VDC	Village Development Committee
WECS	Water and Energy Commission Secretariat