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#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

VDC = Village Development Committee

AD = Anno Domini

BC = Before Christ

MOF = Ministry of Finance

ASTA = American Society of Travel Agent

AHMA = American hotel and Motel Assocoation

ICC = International Centre for Conservation

PATA = Pacific Asia Travel association

IAPA = International Airlines Passengers Association

WATA = World Association of Travel Agent

WTO = World tourism Organization

WTTC = World trade and tourism council

IATA = International Air Transport Association

SNV = Netherland development organization

LDC = Least Developed Country

SAARC = South Asian Association for Regional Co-operation

NA = Not Available

MOTCA = Ministry of Tourism and Civil Alleviation

LNP = langtang National Park

NTB = Nepal Tourism Board

SLC = School living Certificate

GDP = Gross Domestic Product

NGO = Non- Government Organization

INGO = International Non- government Organization