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ABBREVIATION

ADB : Asian Development Bank

APEC : Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation

CBS : Central Bureau of Statistics

CEDA : Centre of Economic Development and Administration

DAC : Development Assistance Committee

DANIDA : Danish International Development Association

EEC : European Economic Community

FY: Fiscal Year

GDP : Gross Domestic Product

GTZ : German Agency for Technical Co-operation

GON : Government of Nepal

HDR : Human Development Report

IBRD : International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

IDA : International Development Association
 ILO : International Labour Organization
 IMF : International Monetary Fund
 LDCs : Less Developed Countries

INGO : International Non-Government Organization

MFIs : Multilateral Financial Institutions

MoF : Ministry of Finance

NIDC : Nepal Industrial Development Cooperation

NPC : National Planning Commission

NRs : Nepalese Rupees

ODA : Official Development Assistance

OECD : Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

SEE : Standard Error of Estimate

TA: Technical Assistance

UDCs : Under Developed Countries

UK : United Kingdom UN : United Nation

UNDP : United Nations Development Program

UNHCR : United Nations High Commission for Refugees

UNICEF : United Nations International Children USSR : Union of Soviet Socialist Republic

US\$: US Dollar

USA : United States of America

USAID : United States Agency for International Development

WB : World Bank

WFP : World Food ProgrammeWHO : World health OrganizationWTO : World Trade Organization