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**ABBREVIATIONS**

BS Bikram Sambat

CBS Central Bureau of Statistics

CDO Community Development Organization

CNAS Center for Nepal and Asian Studies

DDC District Development Committee

GAD Gender and Development

GoN Government of Nepal

ILO International Labor Organization

INGO International Non-Governmental Organization

MDG Millennium Development Goal

NGO Non-Governmental Organization

PCL Proficiency Certificate Level

SLC School Leaving Certificate

T.U Tribhuvan University

UNDP United Nations Development Programme

UNICEF United Nations Children’s Fund

VDC Village Development Committee

WAD Women and Development

WID Women in Development