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ACCRONYMS

BZ: Buffer Zone

BZDC: Buffer Zone Development Office

CNP: Chitwan National Park

DNPWC: Department of National Park and Wildlife

Conservation

GoN: Government of Nepal

Ha: Hectare

HHs: Households

Ibid: Ibidem (Latin), (In the same place) term used for

legal citation

INGOs: International Non Governmental Organizations

IUCN: International Union for the Conservation of Nature

and Natural Resources

LNP: Lantang National Park

MFSC: Ministry of Forest and Soil Conservation

N\No: Number

NGOs: Non Governmental Organization

NPWC: National Park and Wildlife Conservation

NTB: Nepal Tourism Board

PA: Protected Area

SPNP: Shey Phoksundo National Park

UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural

Organization

WHS: World Heritage Site