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ABBREVIATIONS / ACRONYMS

US \$	US Dollar
BS	BikramSambat
BPEP	Basic and Primary Education Program
CBS	Central Bureau of Statistics
DoE	Department of Economics
EFA	Education for All
FY	Fiscal Year
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GNP	Gross National Product
GoN	Government of Nepal
INGOs	International Non-governmental Organizations
LDCs	Least Development Countries
MoE	Ministry of Education
MoF	Ministry of Finance
NGOs	Non-governmental Organizations
NPC	National Planning Commission
NRs.	Nepalese Rupees
PEE	Public Expenditure in Education
STR	Student Teacher Ratio
UDCs	Under-developed Countries
URSA	UchchastariyaRastriyaShikshyaAayog
US	United States
USA	United States of America
WB	The World Bank