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ABBREVIATIONS

CBS	Central Bureau Statistics
DHM	Department of Hydrology and Meteorology
GDP	Gross Development Production
GHG	Green House Gas
IK	Indigenous Knowledge
INGO	International Non Government Organization
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
MOE	Ministry of Environment
MOPE	Ministry of Population and Environment
NGO	Non Government Organization
TK	Traditional Knowledge
UNEP	United Nations Environment Program
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention for Climate Change
VDC	Village Development Committee
WMO	World Meteorological Organization