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LIST OF ABBREVIATION

UK	United Kingdom
DEAN	Development Association of Nepal
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
Rs	Rupees
NTFP	Non Timber Forest Product
AEIST	International Association of Scientific Expert in Tourism
WTO	World Tourism Organization
M	Meter
Mtr	Meter
USA	United State of America
UNDP	United Nation Development Programme
ILO	International Labor Organization
G.C	Gini Coefficient
UNO	United Nation Organization
IUOTO	International Union of Official Travel Organization
SATC	South Asian Travel Commission
PATA	Pacific Area Travel Association
ASTA	American society of Travel Agent
KNP	Khaptad National Park
Vol.	Volume
HQ	Head Quarter
Km	Kilometer
NTB	Nepal Tourism Board
CBS	Central Bureau of Statistics
NATHM	National Academy of Tourism and Hotel Manegment

GLOSSARY

Paryatan	Commercial organization, which established to meet the desire of the tourist
Desatun	Going out of the country primarily for economic gain
Trithatan	Observe the religious sites as pilgrimage.
Tirthas	Famous religious sites for the pilgrimage
Patan	Moorland
Bayu Rupa	Air form
Agni	Fire
Devi Puja	Worshiping Goddess
Satyaguni	Vegetarian
Tamoguni	Meat offered
Chamars	Yak tail
Dhami	Representative of God
Mul Dhami	Main priest
Jat	Caste
Jatra	A Kind of festival celebrating on the special occasion
Deuda	Famous song of Far-Western Nepal
Bhuwa	A famous dance in Far-Western Nepal
Laya	Rhythm
Pratha	Custom
Argha	Hole
Daha	Lake
Vaidek	According to Veda
Pauranik	According to Puran
Bahun	Brahmin
Kuldevata	Main God worshiping from generation to generation
Guthi	Traditional and indigenous institute
Dharmashala	Rest house
Dhungedhara	Water conduit
Raja	King
Baba	Sage
Swami	sage

