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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

| ANOVA | : | Analysis of Variance |
|-------|---|---------------------------------------|
| CR | : | Current Ratio |
| CV | : | Coefficient of Variation. |
| DPR | : | Dividend Payout Ratio |
| DPS | : | Dividend Per Share |
| DY | : | Dividend Yield |
| EBL | : | Everest Bank Limited |
| EPS | : | Earning Per Share |
| HBL | : | Himalayan Bank Limited |
| MPS | : | Market Price Per Share |
| NABIL | : | NABIL Bank Limited |
| NIBL | : | Nepal Investment Bank Limited |
| PE | : | Probable Error |
| r | : | Correlation Coefficient |
| SCBNL | : | Standard Chartered Bank Nepal Limited |
| SEE | : | Standard Error of Estimate |