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ABBREVIATIONS

A.D.	=	Anno Domini (in the year of lord, cristian era)
A.G.M.	=	Annual General Meeting
B.S.	=	Bikram Sambat
BNL	=	Bottlers Nepal Limited
CA	=	Current Assets
EOQ	=	Economic Order Quantity
FIFO	=	First In First Out
FY	=	Fiscal Year
Govt.	=	Government
i.e.	=	That is
LIFO	=	Last In First Out
Ltd.	=	Limited
Misc.	=	Miscellaneous
NEPSE	=	Nepal Stock Exchange
NIDC	=	Nepal Industrial Development Corporation
NRB	=	Nepal Rastra Bank
T.U.	=	Tribhuvan University
UNL	=	Unilever Nepal Limited