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LIST OF ABBREVIATION

ADB	=	Asian Development Bank
CBS	=	Central Bureau of Statistics
CEDA	=	Centre for Economic Development and Administration
CEDECON	=	Central Department of Economics
DE	=	Development Expenditure
DoR	=	Department of Roads
IAP	=	Integrated Annual Plan
ICD	=	Inland Clearance Depot
LID	=	Local Infrastructure Development
MOF	=	Ministry of Finance
MPP	=	Medium Project Programme
NPC	=	National Planning Commission
NRB	=	Nepal Rastra Bank
NRC	=	Nepal Railways Company
RAIDP	=	Rural Access Improvement and Decentralization Project
RBN	=	Roads Board Nepal
RE	=	Regular Expenditure
RG	=	Resource Gap
RSDP	=	Road Sector Development Project
SPP	=	Small Project Programs
T _{DE}	=	Total Development Expenditure on Transports
TE	=	Total Expenditure
TGE	=	Total Government Expenditure
T _{GE}	=	Total Government Expenditure on Transports
TR	=	Total Revenue
TRE	=	Total Regular Expenditure
T _{RE}	=	Total Regular Expenditure on Transports
TU	=	Tribhuvan University
UDCs	=	Under Developed Countries
VAT	=	Value Added Tax
UN	=	United Nations
WB	=	World Bank
WDR	=	World Development Report