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ABBREVIATIONS

B.S. : Bikram Sambat

C.V. : Coefficient of Variation

CRR : Cash Reserve Ratio

e.g. : Example

EBL : Everest Bank Ltd

etc. : et cetera

FY : Fiscal Year

GDP : Gross Domestic Product

HBL : Himalayan Bank Ltd

i.e. : That is.

IPS : Investment Policy Statement

KBL: Kumari Bank Ltd

Ltd. : Limited

MBL : Macchapuchhre Bank Ltd

MBS : Masters in Business Studies

NABIL : Nepal Arab Bank Limited

NPA : Non Performing Assets

NRB : Nepal Rastra Bank

P.E. : Probable Error

Pvt. : Private

r : Correlation coefficient

r² : Coefficient of determination

ROA : Return On Assets

ROE : Return on Equity

SCBNL : Standard Chartered Bank Nepal ltd.

SLF : Standing Liquidity Facility

STDEV : Standard Deviation