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ABBREVIATION

ADB	Agriculture Development Bank
ADWSP	Adherikhola Drinking Water Supply Project
AsDB	Asian Development Bank
BDWSP	Badera Drinking Water Supply Project
CARE Nepal	Cooperative for American Relief Everywhere
CBO	Community Based organization
CWSS	community water supply and sanitation
DDC	District Development Committee
	Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Program
DWSO	District water supply office
DWSS	Department of water supply and sewerage
ESA	External Support Agency
EU	European Union
FINNIDA	FINNISH International Development Agency
FNCCI	Federation of Nepalese Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Govt.N.	Government of Nepal
GTZ	German Technical Cooperation
HDR	Human Development Report
HELVETAS	SWISS Association for Development and Cooperation

HH	Household
HSE	Health and Sanitation Education
INGO	International Non-Governmental Organization
IDA	International Development Association
JAKPAS	Janatako Khanepani Tatha Sarsaphai Karyakarm or People's
JICA	Japan International Co-operative Agency
KHASKOSH	Khanepani Tatha Sarsaphai Kosh Bikash Samittee
MCTG	Mother and Child Tap stand Group
MLD	Ministry of Local development
MOF	Ministry of Finance
MOH	Ministry of Health
MoLD	Ministry of Local Development
MPPW	Ministry of physical planning and works
NFE	Non formal Education
NPC	National Planning Commission
NRCS	Nepal Red Cross Society
NWSC	Nepal Water Supply Corporation
OandM	Operation and Maintenance
RADC	Remote Area Development Committee
RDWSP	Ramnagar Drinking Water Supply Project
RWSS	Rural Water Supply and Sanitation

RWSSFDB	Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Fund Development Board
SA	Service Agency
SCF	Save the Children Fund
SO	Support Organization
SRLF	Sanitation Revolving Loan Fund
TAC	Technical Appraisal Committee
UC	Users Committee
UNDP	United Nation Development Programme
UNICEF	United Nations Children's fund
VDC	Village Development Committee
VHP	Village Health Promoter
VMW	Village Maintenance Worker
WB	World Bank
WES	Water and Environmental Sanitation
WHO	World Health Organization
WSS	Water Supply and Sanitation
WSSUC	Water Supply and Sanitation User's Committee
WSUG	Water Supply and Sanitation User's Group
WTSS	Women Technical Support Service

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