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ABBREVIATIONS

\$: Dollar

% : Percentage

A.D. : Anno Domini

B.S. : Bikram Sambat

D/E : Debt to equity

DFL : Degree of Financial Leverage

DPS : Dividend per share

EBIL : Earning Before Interest and Tax

EBL : Earning Before Tax

EBL : Everest Bank Limited

EPS : Earning per share

HBL : Himalaya Bank Limited

i.e. : That is

JVBs : Joint Venture Banks

 K_d : Cost of Debt

K_e : Cost of Equity

K_o : Average cost of capital

Ltd. : Limited

MBS : Master of Business Studies

MM : Modigliani and Miller

NABIL : Nabil Bank Limited

NI : Net Income

No. : Number

NOI : Net Operation Income

NRB : Nepal Rastra Bank

P.E. : Probable Error

P/E : Price Earning

RBB : Rastriya Banijya Bank

ROA : Return on Total Assets

ROSE : Return on shareholders' Equity

Rs. : Rupees

S.D. : Standard Deviation

SVBNL : Standard Chartered Bank Nepal Limited

T.U. : Tribhuvan University

U.S. : United States

WACC : Weighted Average Cost of Capital