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ABBREVIATION

CBS	:	Central Bureau of Statistics
CDS	:	City Development Strategies
CEDA	:	Centre for Economic Development and Administration
CNAS	:	Centre for Nepal and Asian Studies
DFID	:	Department of International Development
DHUD	:	Department of Housing and Urban Development
FAO	:	Food and Agricultural Organization
GIS		Geographic Information System
GO	:	Government Organization
HHs	:	Households
HLS	:	Household Livelihood Security
HMG	:	His Majesty Government/Nepal
IFAD	:	International Fund for Agricultural Development
INGO	:	International Non-Government Organization
KMC	:	Kathmandu Metropolitan City
MHPP	:	Ministry of Housing and Physical Planning
MLD	:	Ministry of Local Development
MPPW	:	Ministry of Physical Planning and Work
NCCR	:	National Centre of Competence in Research
NGO	:	Non-Government Organization
NPC	:	National Planning Commission
NR-base	:	Natural Resource Base
Rs.	:	Rupees
SL	:	Sustainable Livelihood
SPSS	:	Statistical Programme for Social Science
UN	:	United Nation
UNDP	:	United Nation Development Programme