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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AASU All Assam Students' Union

ABSU All Bodo Students' Union

ABWWF All Bodo Women Welfare Forum

AGP Assam Gana Parishad

AMSS Assam Mahila Samata Society

ARSU All Rabha Students' Union

ASCW Assam State Commission for Women

ATTSA All Tea Tribe Students' Associaion

BSF Bodo Security Force

BTAD Bodoland Territorial Autonomous District

BTC Bodoland Territorial Council

IPS Indian Police Service

NDFB National Democratic Front of Bodoland

NGO Non- Government Organization

NEN North East Network

NET National Eligibility Test

PLD Partners for Law in Development

PTCA Plains Tribal Council of Assam

PTCA (P) Plains Tribal Council of Assam (Progressive)

ST Schedule Tribes

UGC University Grants Commission

UNESCO United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization