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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AMRUT	Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation
ASHB	Assam State Housing Board
AUWSSB	Assam Urban Water Supply and Sewerage Board
BJP	Bharatiya Janata Party
CBD	Central Business District
CPR	Common Property/Pool Resources
GDD	Guwahati Development Department
GMA	Guwahati Metropolitan Area
GMC	Guwahati Municipal Corporation
GMCA	Guwahati Municipal Corporation Area
GMDA	Guwahati Metropolitan Development Authority
GSCL	Guwahati Smart City Limited
GSCP	Guwahati Smart City Project
HH	Household
JNNURM	Jawaharlal Nehru Urban Renewal Mission
MDA	Metropolitan Development Authority
MLD	Millions of Liters Per Day
MP	Master Plan
MPC	Metropolitan Planning Committee
PHED	Public Health Engineering Department
PPP	Public Private Partnership
PIL	Public Interest Litigation
PWD	Public Works Department
SBUS	Sola Beel Unnayan Samiti
SCM	Smart City Mission
SPV	Special Purpose Vehicle
TCE	Tata Consultancy Engineers
ULB	Urban Local Body
WTP	Water Treatment Plant