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## LIST OF ABBREVIATION

#### **Abbreviation**

## **Expansion**

AVE Average Variance Extracted

CB-SEM Covariance-based Structural Equation Modeling

CFA Confirmatory Factor Analysis

CR Composite Reliability
DV Dependent Variable

EO Entrepreneurial Orientation

FB Family Business

FBR Family Business Resilience

FBS Family Business Success

HOC Higher Order Construct

IDV Independent Variable

IN Innovation

LOC Lowe Order Construct

MGA Multi Group Analysis

MSME Micro-Small and Medium Enterprises

NFB Non-Family Business

PER Performance

PLS- SEM Partial-Least Square Structural Equation Modelling

PR Proactiveness

RBV Resource Based View

RT Risk-Taking

SEW Socio-Emotional Wealth

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