

## Acronyms and Short Forms

AAA	anti-aircraft artillery
ACABQ	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions
BOA	Board of Auditors
C-24	Special Committee on the Situation with Regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (Committee of 24)
CA	Council of Administration
CBMs	confidence building measures
CCIT	Comprehensive Convention on International Terrorism
CCLM	Committee on Constitutional and Legal Matters
CD	Conference on Disarmament
CFA	Committee on Freedom of Association
CICP	UN Center for International Crime Prevention
CIVPOL	civilian police
CLJ	Constitutional Loya Jirga
CLOUT	Case Law on UNCITRAL Texts
CMP	Capital Master Plan
CND	UN Commission on Narcotic Drugs
CNDD-FDD	National Council for the Defense of Democracy/Forces for the Defense of Democracy
CoC	Committee on Contributions
COG	Council Oversight Group
COP-9	Ninth Conference of the Parties
CPC	Committee for Program and Coordination
CPD	UN Commission on Population and Development
CPPNM	Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Materials and Facilities
CSD	Commission on Sustainable Development
CSW	UN Commission on the Status of Women
CTC	Counter-Terrorism Committee
CU	contributory units
DDRR	disarmament, demobilization, repatriation, and reintegration
DMZ	demilitarized zone
DPI	Department of Public Information

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DPKO	UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations
DPRK	North Korea
ECE	Economic Commission for Europe
ECLAC	Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean
ECOMIL	Economic Community of West Africa Mission in Liberia
ECOSOC	Economic and Social Council
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
ETOs	Extraterritorial Offices of Exchange
EU	European Union
EXCOM	Executive Committee of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization
UNFCCC	UN Framework Convention on Climate Change
FCTC	Framework Convention on Tobacco Control
FFP	Food for Peace Office
FMCT	fissile material cutoff treaty
GCOS	Global Climate Observing System
GEF	Global Environment Facility
GOC	Government of Cambodia
GOS	Group of Specialists
GRULAC	Latin America and Caribbean Group
GS	general service
HHS	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ICC	International Criminal Court
ICJ	International Court of Justice
ICPM	Interim Commission on Phytosanitary Measures
ICRC	International Committee of the Red Cross
ICSC	International Civil Service Commission
ICTR	International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda
ICTY	International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia
IDF	Israeli Defense Forces
IDP	internally displaced persons
IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development

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IFAD-6	IFAD's 6th Replenishment
IGC	Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge, and Folklore
IHRs	International Health Regulations
ILC	International Law Commission <b>OR</b> International Labor Conference
ILO	International Labor Organization
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMO	International Maritime Organization
INL	International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs Bureau
INSServ	International Nuclear Security Advisory Service
IOC	International Oceanographic Commission
IOM	International Organization for Migration
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IPPAS	International Physical Protection Advisory Service
IPR	intellectual property rights
IRENE	UN NGO Informal Regional Network
ISAF	International Security Assistance Force
ISDR	International Strategy for Disaster Reduction
ISPS	International Ship and Port Facility Security Code
ITC	International Trade Center
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
JIU	Joint Inspection Unit
KPS	Kosovo Police Service
KPSS	Kosovo Police Service School
LURD	Liberians United for Reconciliation and Democracy
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution by Ships
MDB	multilateral development bank
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MEPC	Marine Environment Protection Committee
MINUCI	UN Mission in Cote d'Ivoire
MINUGUA	UN Verification Mission in Guatemala
MINURSO	UN Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
MONUC	UN Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
MRTD	machine readable travel documents

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MTP	Medium-Term Plan
MTSP	Medium-Term Strategic Plan
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NEPAD	New Partnership for Africa’s Development
NGO	nongovernmental organization
NPT	Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
NSAs	Negative Security Assurances
OCHA	Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs
ODS	Official Document System
OE	Office of Evaluation
OFDA	Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance
OFF	Oil-for-Food
OHCHR	Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
OIOS	Office of Internal Oversight Services
OPA 90	U.S. Oil Pollution Act of 1990
PAHO	Pan American Health Organization
PAROS	Prevention of an Arms Race in Outer Space
PCB	Program Coordinating Board
PCT	Patent Cooperation Treaty
PISG	Provisional Institutions of Self-Government
PoA	Program of Action
POC	Postal Operations Council
POLISARIO	Frente Popular para la Liberacion de Saguia el-Hamra y Rio de Oro
PRM	Population, Refugees, and Migration Bureau
PSSA	Particularly Sensitive Sea Area
RBB	results-based budgeting
RSP	Radiological Security Partnership
RUF	Revolutionary United Front
SARS	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome
SCSL	Special Court for Sierra Leone
SCU	Serious Crimes Unit
SDS	Strategic Deployment Stockpile
SOLAS	International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea
SPDC	State Peace and Development Council
SPLM	Sudan People’s Liberation Movement/Army
SRSR	Special Representative of the Secretary-General

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TAG-MRTD	Technical Advisory Group on Machine Readable Travel Documents
TC Department	Technical Cooperation Department
TDAG	Terminal Dues Action Group
TOC	UN Convention Against Transnational Organized Crime
TRC	Truth and Reconciliation Commission
UN-HABITAT	UN Human Settlements Program
UNAIDS	Joint UN Program on HIV/AIDS
UNAMA	UN Assistance Mission in Afghanistan
UNAMI	UN Assistance Mission for Iraq
UNAMSIL	UN Mission in Sierra Leone
UNCHR	UN Commission on Human Rights
UNCITRAL	UN Commission on International Trade Law
UNCTAD	UN Conference on Trade and Development
UNDC	UN Disarmament Commission <b>OR</b> UN Development Corporation
UNDCP	UN Drug Control Program
UNDOF	UN Disengagement Observer Force
UNDP	UN Development Program
UNEP	UN Environment Program
UNESCO	UN Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization
UNFC	UN First Committee
UNFCCC/FCCC	UN Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNFICYP	UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
UNFPA	UN Population Fund
UNHCR	UN High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICs	UN Information Centers
UNICEF	UN Children's Fund
UNIDO	UN Industrial Development Organization
UNIDROIT	International Institute for the Unification of Private Law
UNIFIL	UN Interim Force in Lebanon
UNIKOM	UN Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission
UNMEE	UN Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
UNMIK	UN Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
UNMIL	UN Mission in Liberia
UNMISET	UN Mission of Support in East Timor
UNMOGIP	UN Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan

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UNOB	UN Office in Burundi
UNODC	UN Office on Drugs and Crime
UNOL	UN Peace-building Support Office in Liberia
UNOMB	UN Observer Mission in Bougainville
UNOMIL	UN Observer Mission in Liberia
UNOMIG	UN Observer Mission in Georgia
UNPOB	UN Political Office in Bougainville
UNRWA	UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
UNSCEAR	UN Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation
UNTAET	UN Transitional Administration in East Timor
UNTSO	UN Truce Supervision Organization
UPU	Universal Postal Union
USAID	U.S. Agency for International Development
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USG	Under Secretary-General
USMOG-W	U.S. Military Observer Group-Washington
VCP	Voluntary Cooperation Program
WFP	World Food Program
WHA	World Health Assembly
WHO	World Health Organization
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
WMC	World Meteorological Congress
WMO	World Meteorological Organization
WRCs	World Radiocommunication Conferences
WSIS	World Summit on the Information Society
WSSD	World Summit on Sustainable Development
WTO	World Trade Organization
ZNG	zero nominal growth