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ABBREVIATIONS

ADB	Asian Development Bank
AEC	ASEAN Economic Community
ASEAN	Association of South East Asian Nations
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GMS	Greater Mekong Sub-region
LAO PDR	Lao People's Democratic Republic
NEM	New Economic Mechanism
OHRLLS	Office of the High Representative for the Least Developing Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States
SEZ	Special Economic Zone
UDAA	Urban Development and Administration Authority
UN	United Nations
UNESCO	United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural Organization
WHO	World Health Organization