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## *LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS*

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|            |  |
|------------|--|
| ACC        | Administrative Committee on Coordination                           |
| ACCI       | Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry                        |
| ACP States | African Caribbean and Pacific States                               |
| AI         | Amnesty International  |
| AIG        | Australian Industries Group  |
| AIP        | Apparel Industry Partnership                                       |
| AISI       | American Iron and Steel Institute                                  |
| ANCOM      | Andean Common Market   |
| APELL      | Awareness and Preparedness for Emergencies at the Local Level      |
| API        | American Petroleum Institute                                       |
| APPI       | Association for the Promotion and Protection of Foreign Investment |
| ASEAN      | Association of South East Asian Nations                            |
| ATCA       | Alien Tort Claims Act  |
| AWB        | Australian Wheat Board   |
| BASD       | Business Action for Sustainable Development                        |
| BCA        | Business Council of Australia                                      |
| BCIU       | Business Council for International Understanding                   |
| BCM        | Business Consultative Mechanism                                    |
| BCNI       | Business Council on National Issues                                |
| BCSE       | Business Council for Sustainable Energy                            |
| BCUN       | Business Council for the United Nations                            |
| BGMEA      | Bangladesh Garment Manufacturers and Exporters Association         |
| BHF        | Business Humanitarian Forum  |
| BIA        | Business interest associations                                     |
| BIAC       | Business and Industry Advisory Committee                           |
| BINGO      | Business and industry NGO  |
| BIT        | Bilateral investment treaty  |
| BSA        | Business Software Alliance   |
| BSR        | Business for Social Responsibility                                 |
| CAER       | Community Awareness and Emergency Response                         |
| CBD        | Convention on Biological Diversity                                 |
| CBI        | Confederation of British Industry                                  |
| CDM        | Clean Development Mechanism  |
| CEFIC      | European Chemical Industry Council                                 |
| CEN        | Comite Europeen de la Normalisation                                |

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|-------------|---|
| CENELEC     | Comite Europeen de la Normalisation Electrotechnique                |
| CEO         | Corporate Europe Observatory  |
| CEPAA       | Council on Economic Priorities Accreditation Agency                 |
| CER         | Corporate Environmental Reporting                                   |
| CERES       | Coalition for Environmentally Responsible Economies                 |
| CFC         | Chlorofluorocarbon  |
| CIIME       | Committee on International Investment and Multinational Enterprises |
| CITAC       | Consuming Industries Trade Association Coalition                    |
| CITES       | Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species             |
| CMA         | Chemical Manufacturers Association                                  |
| COP         | Conference of the Parties   |
| CRT         | Caux Roundtable   |
| CSR         | Corporate Social Responsibility                                     |
| CSW         | Commission on the Status of Women                                   |
| CTC         | Commission on Transnational Corporations                            |
| CWC         | Chemical Weapons Convention   |
| Doc.        | Document Number   |
| DSB         | Dispute Settlement Body   |
| DSU         | Dispute Settlement Understanding                                    |
| DTCI        | Division on Transnational Corporations and Investment               |
| E & P Forum | Oil Industry International Exploration and Production Forum         |
| E.T.S.      | European Treaty Series  |
| EBI         | Energy and Biodiversity Initiative                                  |
| EC          | European Community  |
| ECJ         | European Court of Justice   |
| ECOSOC      | U.N. Economic and Social Council                                    |
| ECR         | European Court Reports  |
| EEC         | European Economic Community   |
| EEEI        | European Eco-Efficiency Initiative                                  |
| EIA         | Environmental Impact Assessment                                     |
| EIAJ        | Electronic Industry Association of Japan                            |
| EMAS        | Eco-Management and Audit Scheme                                     |
| EMS         | Environmental Management System                                     |
| ENGO        | Environmental NGO   |
| EPA         | Environmental Protection Agency                                     |
| EPZ         | Export Processing Zone  |
| ERT         | European Roundtable of Industrialists                               |
| ESCOs       | Energy Service Companies  |
| ESTRI       | Electronic Standards for the Transfer of Regulatory Information     |
| ETI         | Ethical Trade Initiative  |
| ETSI        | European Telecommunications Standards Institute                     |
| EU          | European Union  |

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| Eur. Ct. H.R. | European Court of Human Rights                                     |
| FAO           | Food and Agriculture Organization                                  |
| FDI           | Foreign Direct Investment  |
| FIDIC         | International Federation of Consulting Engineers                   |
| FSC           | Forest Stewardship Council   |
| G.A.          | General Assembly   |
| GATS          | General Agreement on Trade in Services                             |
| GATT          | General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade                             |
| GCC           | Global Climate Coalition   |
| GEF           | Global Environmental Facility                                      |
| Ghg Protocol  | Greenhouse Gas Protocol  |
| GIIC          | Global Information Infrastructure Commission                       |
| GRI           | Global Reporting Initiative  |
| GSDF          | Global Sustainable Development Facility                            |
| HCFC          | Hydrochlorofluorocarbon  |
| HNS           | Hazardous and Noxious Substances                                   |
| IAEA          | International Atomic Energy Association                            |
| IAF           | International Accreditation Forum                                  |
| IASC          | International Accounting Standards Committee                       |
| IATA          | International Air Transport Association                            |
| IBFAN         | Infant Baby Food Action Network                                    |
| IBRD          | International Bank for Reconstruction and Development              |
| ICAO          | International Civil Aviation Organization                          |
| ICC           | International Chamber of Commerce                                  |
| ICCA          | International Council of Chemical Associations                     |
| ICCPR         | International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights               |
| ICESCR        | International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights     |
| ICFTU         | International Confederation of Free Trade Unions                   |
| ICI           | Imperial Chemical Industries                                       |
| ICIFI         | International Council of Infant Formula Industries                 |
| ICJ/I.C.J.    | International Court of Justice                                     |
| ICME          | International Council on Mining and the Environment                |
| ICMM          | International Council on Mining and Metals                         |
| ICOLP         | Industry Cooperative for Ozone Layer Protection                    |
| ICPD          | International Conference on Population and Development             |
| ICS           | International Chamber of Shipping                                  |
| ICSID         | International Convention for the Settlement of Investment Disputes |
| ICTR          | International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda                         |
| ICTY          | International Criminal Tribunal for Yugoslavia                     |
| IEC           | International Electrotechnical Commission                          |
| IETA          | International Emissions Trading Association                        |
| IFC           | International Finance Corporation                                  |



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|------------|---|
| IFCS       | Intergovernmental Forum on Chemical Safety                              |
| IFPMA      | International Federation of Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association    |
| IIC        | U.N. Independent Inquiry Committee                                      |
| IIPA       | International Intellectual Property Alliance                            |
| IISD       | International Institute for Sustainable Development                     |
| I.L.C.     | International Law Commission  |
| ILA        | International Law Association   |
| ILO        | International Labor Organization  |
| IMF        | International Monetary Fund   |
| IMO        | International Maritime Organization                                     |
| IMT        | International Military Tribunal   |
| Incoterms  | International Commercial Terms  |
| INPO       | Institute of Nuclear Power Operators                                    |
| Intertanko | International Association of Independent Tanker Owners                  |
| INTUG      | International Telecommunications Users Group                            |
| IOE        | International Organization of Employers                                 |
| IPC        | Intellectual Property Committee   |
| IPCC       | Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change                               |
| IPCS       | International Program on Chemical Safety                                |
| IPIECA     | International Petroleum Industry Environmental Conservation Association |
| IPO        | Indigenous peoples organization   |
| Iran-      |   |
| U.S.C.T.R. | Iran-United States Claims Tribunal Reports                              |
| ISBA       | International Seabed Authority  |
| ISF        | International Shipowners Federation                                     |
| ISO        | International Organization for Standardization                          |
| ITU        | International Telecommunications Union                                  |
| JI         | Joint Implementation  |
| Keidanren  | Japan Federation of Economic Organizations                              |
| LGMA       | Local government and municipal authority                                |
| MAI        | Multilateral Agreement on Investment                                    |
| MIGA       | Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency                                |
| MNE        | Multinational Enterprise  |
| MOP        | Meeting of the Parties  |
| MSV        | Management Systems Verification   |
| NAFTA      | North American Free Trade Agreement                                     |
| NAM        | National Association of Manufacturers                                   |
| NBI        | National Business Initiative  |
| NCP        | National Contact Point  |
| NGO        | Non-governmental organization   |
| NIEO       | New International Economic Order  |
| O.A.S.     | Organization of American States   |

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|----------|---|
| OCIMF    | Oil Companies International Maritime Forum              |
| OECD     | Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development   |
| OEWG     | Open-Ended Working Group                                |
| OFII     | Organization for International Investment               |
| OHCHR    | Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights        |
| OJEC     | Official Journal of the European Community              |
| P.C.I.J. | Permanent Court of International Justice                |
| PhRMA    | Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America    |
| PIC      | Prior Informed Consent                                  |
| PMC      | Private military companies                              |
| POP      | Persistent organic pollutant                            |
| PPM      | Process and production methods                          |
| PSI      | Pre-shipment Inspection Agencies                        |
| PWBLF    | Prince of Wales Business Leaders Forum                  |
| RINGO    | Research and independent NGO                            |
| SAGE     | Strategic Advisory Group on the Environment             |
| SBI      | Subsidiary Body for Implementation                      |
| SBSTA    | Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice |
| S.C.     | Security Council  |
| SCCI     | Sialkot Chamber of Commerce and Industry                |
| SFI      | Sustainable Forestry Initiative                         |
| SIA      | Semiconductor Industry Association                      |
| SME      | Small- and Medium-Sized Enterprises                     |
| TABD     | Transatlantic Business Dialogue                         |
| TBR      | Trade Barriers Regulation                               |
| TBT      | Technical Barriers to Trade                             |
| TEAP     | Technology and Economic Assessment Panel                |
| TED      | Turtle excluder device                                  |
| TNC      | Transnational corporation                               |
| TRIPS    | Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights   |
| TUAC     | Trade Union Advisory Committee                          |
| UCP      | Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credits    |
| UCSI     | US Coalition of Service Industries                      |
| U.K.     | United Kingdom  |
| U.N.     | United Nations  |
| UNCCD    | U.N. Convention to Combat Desertification               |
| UNCCGC   | U.N. Compensation Commission Governing Council          |
| UNCED    | U.N. Conference on Environment and Development          |
| UNCITRAL | U.N. Commission on International Trade Law              |
| UNCLOS   | U.N. Convention on the Law of the Sea                   |
| UNCSD    | U.N. Commission on Sustainable Development              |
| UNCTAD   | U.N. Conference on Trade and Development                |
| UNCTC    | U.N. Centre on Transnational Corporations               |
| UNDP     | U.N. Development Program                                |

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| U.N. DPI  | U.N. Department of Public Information                        |
| U.N. DTCI | U.N. Division on Transnational Corporations and Investment   |
| UNECE     | U.N. Economic Commission for Europe                          |
| UNEP      | U.N. Environment Program                                     |
| UNESCAP   | U.N. Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific |
| UNESCO    | U.N. Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization        |
| UNFCCC    | U.N. Framework Convention on Climate Change                  |
| UNFIP     | U.N. Fund for International Partnership                      |
| UNHCR     | U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees                          |
| UNHRC     | U.N. Human Rights Committee                                  |
| UNICE     | Union of Industrial and Employers Confederations of Europe   |
| UNICEF    | U.N. International Children's Fund                           |
| UNIDO     | U.N. International Development Organization                  |
| UNTCMD    | U.N. Transnational Corporations and Management Division      |
| U.N.T.S.  | U.N. Treaty Series   |
| U.S.      | United States  |
| U.S. BRT  | U.S. Business Roundtable                                     |
| USCIB     | U.S. Council for International Business                      |
| USCIT     | U.S. Court of International Trade                            |
| USTR      | U.S. Trade Representative                                    |
| WANO      | World Association of Nuclear Operators                       |
| WBCSD     | World Business Council for Sustainable Development           |
| WCO       | World Customs Organization                                   |
| WEF       | World Economic Forum   |
| WFSGI     | World Federation of Sporting Goods Industry                  |
| WHO       | World Health Organization                                    |
| WICE      | World Industry Council for the Environment                   |
| WIPO      | World Intellectual Property Organization                     |
| WITSA     | World Information Technology and Services Alliance           |
| WRI       | World Resources Institute                                    |
| WSC       | World Semiconductor Council                                  |
| WSSD      | World Summit on Sustainable Development                      |
| WSSN      | World Standards Services Network                             |
| WTO       | World Trade Organization                                     |
| WWF       | World Wildlife Fund  |

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