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<b>Abbreviations and acronyms:</b>	

AALCO	: Asian-African Legal Consultative Organisation
AD	: Anno Domini
APRRN	: Asia Pacific Refugee Rights Network
BA	: Bachelor of Arts
BCG	: Bacillus Calmette Guerin
BJP	: Bharatiya Janata Party
BL	: Bachelor of Law
BMNHS	: Basic Minimum Needs for Human Survival
BSPP	: Burma Socialist Programme Party
CAT	: Convention against Torture
CEAFRD	: Convention on the Elimination of All forms of Racial Discrimination
CEDAW	: Convention on the Elimination all Forms of Discrimination against Women
COVA	: Confederation of Voluntary Organization
CRC	: Convention on the Rights of Child
CRC	: Citizens Scrutiny Cards
DPT	: Diphtheria Pertussis Tetanus
FRRO	: Foreigner Regional Registration Office
ICCPR	: International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
ICESCR	: International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
ILO	: International Labour Organisation
J&K	: Jammu and Kashmir

JCCI : Jammu Chamber of Commerce and Industry

JKNPP : Jammu and Kashmir National Panthers Party

KMS/kms : Kilometers

NCR : National Capital Region

NDA : National Democratic Alliance

NGO : Non Governmental Organisation

NHRC : National Human Rights Commission

NLD : National League for Democracy

OIC : Organisation of Islamic Cooperation

RTE : Right to Education

TRC : Temporary Registration Card

UDHR : Universal Declaration on Human Rights

UNDP : United Nations Development Programme

UN : United Nations

UNHCR : United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

UNO : United Nations Organisation

WEC : World Employment Conference