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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

ACE	=	Action Community for Entrepreneurship
ACRA	=	Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority
ADB	=	Asian Development Bank
AEC	=	ASEAN Economic Community
AED	=	Agency for Enterprise Development
AIBI	=	<i>Asosiasi Inkubator Bisnis Indonesia</i> (Association of Indonesian Business Incubators)
AIM	=	<i>Agensi Inovasi Malaysia</i>
ALS	=	Alternative Learning System
AMSs	=	ASEAN Member States
APBSD	=	ASEAN Policy Blueprint for SME Development
APEC	=	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
APINDO	=	Indonesian Employer Association
APPI	=	<i>Asosiasi Perusahaan Pembiayaan Indonesia</i> (Indonesia's Financing Companies Association)
ASEAN	=	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ASME	=	Association of Small and Medium Enterprises
ATSME	=	Association for the Promotion of Thai Small and Medium Entrepreneurs
BAFIA	=	Banking and Financial Institutions Act
BAN	=	Badan Akreditasi Nasional National Accreditation Body
BANSEA	=	Business Angels Network South-East Asia
BAPPENAS	=	<i>Badan Perencanaan Pembangunan Nasional</i> (National Development Planning Agency)
BBPEI	=	<i>Balai Besar Pelatihan Ekspor Indonesia</i> (Center for Indonesian Export Training)
BDICCI	=	Brunei Darussalam International Chamber of Commerce and Industry
BDS	=	Business Development Services
BEDB	=	Brunei Economic Development Board
BIMSTEC	=	Bay of Bengal Initiative of Multi Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation
BLS	=	Business Licensing System
BMSMED	=	The Bureau of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development
BPG	=	Brand Promotion Grant
BPN	=	<i>Badan Pertanahan Nasional</i> (National Land Agency)
BPS	=	Bureau of Product Standards
BRMA	=	Business Registration Management Agency

BRN	=	Brunei Darussalam
BSF	=	Business Start-up Fund
BSN	=	<i>Badan Standarisasi Nasional</i> (National Standardization Agency)
CAM	=	Cambodia
CCC	=	Chinese Chamber of Commerce
CCPID	=	Competition, Consumer Protection and IPR Division
CGC	=	Corporation Malaysia Berhad
CIC	=	Credit Information Center
CIS	=	Credit Information System
CITEM	=	Center for International Trade and Export Missions
CLMV	=	Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, and Viet Nam
COE	=	Centers of Excellence
CoOs	=	Certificates of Origin
CPPM	=	Customs Public-Private Partnership Mechanism
DepED	=	The Department of Education
DIC	=	Directorate of Investment and Companies
DIP	=	Department of Intellectual Property
DOSMEP	=	Department of Small and Medium Enterprises Promotion
DOST	=	Department of Science and Technology
DOST-ICT	=	Department of Science and Technology's ICT
DPI	=	Department of Planning and Investment
DTI	=	Department of Trade and Industry
EBNRS	=	Electronic Business Name Registration System
ECOP	=	Employers Confederation of the Philippines
ECOT	=	Employers' Confederation of Thailand
EDC	=	Entrepreneurial Development Centre
EDI	=	Entrepreneurship Development Institute
EE	=	Entrepreneurial Education
EEP	=	Enterprise Expansion Program
EFS	=	Enterprise Facilitation Scheme
EL	=	Entrepreneurial Learning
EPF	=	Employees Provident Fund
EPU	=	Economic Planning Unit
ERIA	=	Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia
ERMD	=	Enterprise Registration and Management Department
ESC	=	Economic Strategies Committee
FASMEC	=	Federation of Association of SMEs of Cambodia
FDI	=	Foreign Direct Investment
FNF	=	Fredrich Naumann Foundation
FRIA	=	Financial Rehabilitation & Insolvency Act

FTTH	=	Fibre To The Home
GCP	=	Global Company Partnership
GDP	=	Gross Domestic Product
GIZ	=	Deutsche Gesellschaft fur International Zusammenarbeit
GMAC	=	Garment Manufacturers Association in Cambodia
GMP	=	Good Manufacturing Practices
GMS	=	Greater Mekong Sub region
GNI	=	Gross National Income
GoEx	=	Going Export
GTC	=	Government Technical Colleges
GTZ	=	German Organization for Technical Cooperation
HACCP	=	Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points
HASTC	=	Hanoi Securities Trading Center
HCMC	=	Ho Chi Minh City
HIP	=	High Impact Programme
HRDF	=	Human Resource Development Fund
IAI	=	Initiative for ASEAN Integration
ICT	=	Information and Communication Technology
IDP	=	Incubator Development Programme
IDR	=	Indonesian Rupiah
IE	=	International Enterprise
IEAT	=	Industrial Estate Authority of Thailand
IFC-MPDF	=	International Finance Corporation - Mekong Private Sector Development Facility
IND	=	Indonesia
IP	=	Intellectual Property
IPO	=	Initial Public Offering
IPOPIL	=	Intellectual Property Office
IPOS	=	Intellectual Property Office of Singapore
IPR	=	Intellectual Property Rights
IRB	=	Inland Revenue Board of Malaysia
ISC	=	Institute of Standard of Cambodia
ISO	=	International Organization for Standardization
IT	=	Information Technology
iTAP	=	Industrial Technology Assistance Program
ITB	=	<i>Institut Teknologi Brunei</i> (Brunei Institute of Technology)
ITPC	=	Indonesia's Trade Promotion Centres
ITSO	=	Innovations and Technology Support Offices
JICA	=	Japan International Cooperation Agency
Kadin	=	<i>Kamar Dagang dan Industri Indonesia</i> (Indonesian Chamber of Commerce and Industry)

KPMG	=	Kylveld Peat Marwick Goerdeler
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KPPT	=	<i>Kantor Pelayanan Perijinan Terpadu</i> (Integrated Licensing Service Office)
LAO	=	Lao PDR - Lao People's Democratic Republic
LNCCI	=	Lao National Chamber of Commerce and Industry
LPDB	=	<i>Lembaga Pengelola Dana Bergulir</i> (Revolving Fund Management Institution)
LPDP	=	Institute for Management of Educational Fund
LPEI	=	<i>Lembaga Pembiayaan Ekspor Indonesia</i> (Indonesian Export Financing Agency)
MAI	=	Market for Alternative Investments
MAS	=	Monetary Authority of Singapore
MASCI	=	Management System Certification Institute of Thailand
MATRADE	=	Malaysia External Trade Development Corporation
MCCI	=	Malay Chamber of Commerce and Industry
MDG	=	Market Development Grant
MEF	=	Malaysia Employers Federation
MES	=	Myanmar Engineering Society
MESDAQ	=	Malaysian Exchange of Securities Dealing and Automated Quotation
MFS	=	Microcredit Finance Scheme
MIEDC	=	Myanmar-India Entrepreneurship Development Centre
MIME	=	The Ministry of Industry, Mines and Energy's
MITI	=	Ministry of International Trade and Industry
MMR	=	Myanmar
MOC	=	Ministry of Commerce
MoCSME	=	Ministry of Cooperatives and SME
MoEC	=	Ministry of Education and Culture
MOI	=	Ministry of Industry
MoIC	=	Ministry of Industry and Commerce
MOIT	=	Trade Promotion Agency
MoLHR	=	Ministry of Law and Human Rights
MoRT	=	Ministry of Research and Technology
MOSTI	=	Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation
MPC	=	Malaysia Productivity Corporation
MSMED	=	The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development
MSMEDC	=	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise Development Council
MSMEs	=	Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises
MTDC	=	Malaysian Technology Development Corporation

MYEG	=	The Malaysian E-government
MYS	=	Malaysia
NCCI	=	National Chamber of Commerce and Industry
NDP	=	National Development Plan
NEC	=	New Entrepreneur Creation
NEDP	=	National Socio-Economic Development Plan
NEM	=	New Economic Model
NGO	=	Non Governmental Organization
NIA	=	National Innovation Agency
NICCEP	=	National Industry Cluster Capacity Enhancement Project
NIDA	=	National Informationn Communications Technology Development Authority
NSC	=	National Standard Centre
NSDC	=	National SME Development Council
NSTIPO	=	National Science Technology and Innovation Policy Office
NSW	=	National Single Window
NUS	=	National University Singapore
OECD	=	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
ORC	=	One Referral Centre
OSMEP	=	Office of SME Promotion
OSS	=	One-Stop Shop
OTOP	=	One Tambon (sub-district) One Product
P3ED	=	<i>Proyek Pusat Pelatihan dan Promosi Ekspor Daerah</i> (Project Training Center and Regional Export Promotion)
P3ED	=	<i>Pusat Pendidikan dan Pelatihan Ekspor</i> (Training Centres for Export)
PCCI	=	Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry
PEP	=	Pro-Enterprise Panel
PEPI	=	National Team for Increasing Exports and Investments
Perda	=	<i>Peraturan Daerah</i> (Local Government Regulations)
PEZA	=	Philippine Economic Zone Authority
Philexport	=	Philippine Exporters Confederation
PHL	=	Philippines
PKBL	=	Partnership and Environment Development Program
PKM-K	=	<i>Program Kreativitas Mahasiswa Kewirausahaan</i> (Entrepreneurship Student Creativity Program)
PLEDS	=	Promising Local Enterprise Development Scheme
PLUT	=	<i>Pusat Layanan Usaha Terpadu</i> (Integrated Business Service Centre)
PMW	=	<i>Program Mahasiswa Wirausaha</i> (Student Entrepreneurial Program)

PPP	=	Public-Private Partnership
PTSP	=	<i>Pusat Pelayanan Terpadu Satu Pintu</i> (One Stop Service Center)
PTTC	=	Philippine Trade Training Center
R&D	=	Research and Development
RIA	=	Regulatory Impact Analysis
RIE	=	Research, Innovation and Enterprise
RIS	=	Regulatory Impact Statement
RM	=	Malaysian Ringgit
ROC	=	Registrar of Companies
RPJM	=	<i>Rencana Pembangunan Jangka Menengah Nasional</i> (National Medium Development Plan)
RULES	=	Royal University of Law and Economics
RUMFCCI	=	Republic of Union of Myanmar Federation of Commerce and Industry
SAPASD	=	Strategic Action Plan for ASEAN SME Development
SBCG	=	Small Business Credit Guarantee
SBCGC	=	Small Business Credit Guarantee Corporation
SBF	=	Singapore Business Federation
SBV	=	State Bank of Viet Nam
SC	=	Securities Commission
SDC	=	SMEs Development Center
SEC	=	Securities and Exchange Commission
SETUP	=	Small Enterprise Technology Upgrading Program
SGD	=	Singapore Dollar
SGP	=	Singapore
SIRIM	=	Standards and Industrial Research Institute of Malaysia
SISME	=	Science Institute for Small and Medium Enterprises
SIUP	=	<i>Surat Izin Usaha Perdagangan</i> (Trade Business License)
SME	=	Small Medium Enterprises
SMEC	=	SME Committee
SMEDF	=	SME Development Framework
SMEPDO	=	Small and Medium Enterprise Promotion and Development Office
SMESTAC	=	Southern Technical Assistance Center for SMEs
SMI	=	Small and Medium Industries
SMIDB	=	Small and Medium Industrial Development Bank
SMU	=	Singapore Management University
SNEF	=	Singapore National Employers Federation
SOCISO	=	Social Security Organisation
SPRING	=	Standards, Productivity and Innovation Board of Singapore

SSM	=	Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia
STAMEQ	=	Standards, Metrology and Quality
STI	=	Science, Technology and Innovation
TACs	=	Trade Associations and Chambers
TAPI	=	Technology Application and Promotion Institute
TCP	=	Technology Commercialisation Platform
TDP	=	<i>Tanda Daftar Perusahaan</i> (Company Registration Certificate)
TECS	=	Technology Enterprise Commercialization Scheme
THA	=	Thailand
THB	=	Thailand Baht
THS	=	Technical High Schools
TIC	=	Technology Incubator Center
TIDCORP	=	Trade and Investment Development Corporation of the Philippines
TIN	=	Taxpayer Identification Number
TISI	=	Thai Industrial Standard Institute
TLE	=	Technology, Livelihood and Entrepreneurship
U- ACT	=	Universal Access to Competitiveness and Trade
UBD	=	Universiti Brunei Darussalam
UBI	=	University Business Incubator
UNESCO	=	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UOB	=	United Overseas Bank
VAT	=	Value Added Tax
VCCI	=	Viet Nam Chamber of Commerce and Industry
VDB	=	Viet Nam Development Bank
VINASME	=	Vietnam Association of Small and Medium Enterprises
VND	=	Viet Nam Dong
VNM	=	Viet Nam
YEAB	=	Young Entrepreneurs Association of Brunei