

Acronyms and Abbreviations

ADP	Ad Hoc Working Group on the Durban Platform for Enhanced Action
AGBM	Ad Hoc Group on the Berlin Mandate
AOSIS	Alliance of Small-Island States
APP	Asia-Pacific Partnership on Clean Development and Climate Change
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
Art.	Article
AWG	Ad Hoc Working Group
AWG-KP	Ad Hoc Working Group on the Kyoto Protocol
AWG-LCA	Ad Hoc Working Group on Long-Term Cooperative Action
BAPA	Buenos Aires Plan of Action
BASIC	Brazil, South Africa, India, China
BRIC	Brazil, Russia, India, China
CA	Copenhagen Accord
CBDR	Common but differentiated responsibilities
CDM	Clean Development Mechanism
CFSP	Common Foreign and Security Policy
COP	Conference of the parties
COW	Committee of the Whole
DG	Directorate-General
EC	European Community
EGFA	Expert Group on Further Action
ENB	Earth Negotiations Bulletin
ENGOS	Environmental non-governmental organisations
EP	European Parliament
ETS	Emissions Trading System
EU	European Union
FAR	Fourth Assessment Report

G-77/China	Group of 77 and China
GDN	Green Diplomacy Network
GHG	Greenhouse gas
HFC	Hydrofluorocarbon
INC	Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IR	International Relations
JU(S)SCA(N)NZ	Japan, United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand (Switzerland, Norway, Iceland)
KP	Kyoto Protocol
LDC	Least Developed Country
LULUCF	Land-use, land-use change and forestry
MEF	Major Economies Forum
MEM	Major Economies Meeting
MOP	Meeting of the parties
MRV	Measurement, reporting and verification
NAFTA	North American Free Trade Agreement
NAMAs	Nationally appropriate mitigation actions
NCCCC	National Coordination Committee for Climate Change
NDRC	National Development and Reform Commission
NGOs	Non-governmental organisations
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
OPEC	Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries
PCA	Partnership and Cooperation Agreement
PFC	Perfluorocarbon
PMs	Policies and Measures
ppm	Parts per million
QELROs	Quantified Emission Limitation and Reduction Objectives
REIO	Regional Economic Integration Organisation
RGGI	Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative
SAR	Second Assessment Report
SBI	Subsidiary Body for Implementation

TAR	Third Assessment Report
TEC	Treaty establishing the European Community
TFEU	Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union
TEU	Treaty on European Union
UN	United Nations
UNCHE	United Nations Conference on the Human Environment
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNGA	United Nations General Assembly
UK	United Kingdom
US(A)	United States of America
WEIS	World Event Interaction Coding Scheme
WG	Working Group
WPIEI-CC	Working Party on International Environmental Issues (– Climate Change)

