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ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

AfD	Agence Française de Développement [French Development Agency]
AUHF	African Union for Housing Finance
AVSI	Associazione Volontari per il Servizio Internazionale [Association of Volunteers in International Service]
BMZ	Bundesministerium für wirtschaftliche Zusammenarbeit und Entwicklung
CAIXA	Brazil's Housing and Urban Development Bank
CAS	Country Assistance Strategy
CDS	city development strategies
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency
CLIFF	Community-Led Infrastructure Finance Facility
DBSA	Development Bank of Southern Africa
DCA	Development Credit Authority (USAID)
DFID	Department for International Development (UK)
EU	European Union
FAC	Fonds Français d'Aide et de Coopération
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organisation
FEC	Fonds d'Équipement Communal (Morocco)
FEICOM	Fonds Spécial d'Équipement et d'Intervention Intercommunale (Cameroon)
FICOM	Fonds d'Investissement des Communes (Burkina Faso)
FINDETER	Financiera de Desarrollo Territorial (Colombia)
FODECOM	Fonds de Démarrage des Communes (Burkina Faso)
GDP	gross domestic product
GTZ	Gesellschaft für Technische Zusammenarbeit (German Agency for Technical Cooperation)
IADF	International Association of Local and Regional Development Funds in Emerging Countries
IDB	Inter-American Development Bank
IEF	Infrastructure Economics and Finance (World Bank)
IFC	International Finance Corporation
IMF	International Monetary Fund
INCA	Infrastructure Finance Corporation Limited (South Africa)
ISTED	L'Institute des Sciences et des Techniques de l'Équipement et de l'Environnement pour le Développement.
KfW	Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (German Development Bank)
LED	local economic development
MDFO	Municipal Development Fund Office
MDG	Millennium Development Goals
MFTF	Municipal Finance Task Force
NEPAD	New Partnership for Africa's Development
NGO	nongovernmental organisation
NSDF	National Slum Dwellers Federation
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
PDM	Partenariat Pour le Développement Municipal
PIDG	Private Infrastructure Development Group
PPIAF	Public-Private Infrastructure Advisory Facility
PRODUR	Programa de Desenvolvimento Urbano do Estado da Bahia (Brazil)
SAGEDECOM	Service d'Appui à la Gestion et au Développement des Communes (Burkina Faso)
SIDA	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency
SACN	South African Cities Network
SUF	Slum Upgrading Facility
TNUDF	Tamil Nadu Urban Development Fund (India)
UCLG	United Cities and Local Governments
UCLGA	United Cities and Local Governments of Africa
UNCDF	United Nations Capital Development Fund
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UN-HABITAT	United Nations Human Settlements Programme
USAID	U.S. Agency for International Development
USDRP	Urban Sector Development Reform Project (World Bank)
WHO	World Health Organization