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LIST OF ACRONYMS

AGGG Advisory Group on Greenhouse Gases

BCSD Business Council for Sustainable Development

CBD Convention on Biological Diversity

CDM Clean Development Mechanism of the Kyoto Protocol

CFCs Chlorofluorocarbons

CHP Common Heritage Principle

CIDA Canadian International Development Agency

CITES Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of

Wild Fauna and Flora

CTE Committee on Trade and Environment of the WTO

EC European Community

ECOSOC United Nations Economic and Social Council ENGO Environmental Nongovernmental Organization EPA Environmental Protection Agency (United States)

EU European Union

FAO United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization

FCCC Framework Convention on Climate Change FRG Federal Republic of Germany (West Germany)

FSC Forest Stewardship Council

G-7 Group of Seven

G-77 Group of Seventy-Seven

GARP Global Atmospheric Research Programme

GATT General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (WTO after 1994)

GCC Global Climate Coalition
GDP Gross Domestic Product

GDR German Democratic Republic (East Germany)

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GEF	Global Environment Facility		
GEMS	Global Environmental Monitoring System of the U.Nsponsored		
	Earthwatch Network		
GHG	Greenhouse Gas		
IBP	International Biological Programme		
ICC	International Chamber of Commerce		
ICSU	International Council of Scientific Unions		
IGBP	International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme		
IHDP	International Human Dimensions Programme		
IIASA	International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis		
IMF	International Monetary Fund		
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change		
IPE	International Political Economy		
IUCN	Word Conservation Union—renamed 1990, formerly International		
	Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources		
JI	Joint Implementation—also knows as AIJ: Activities to be		
	Implemented Jointly		
LMOs	Living Modified Organisms		
MAB	Man and the Biosphere Programme		
NIEO	New International Economic Order		
NGO	Nongovernmental Organization		
ODA	Official Development Assistance		
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development		
PPI	Progressive Policy Institute		
PPMs	Process and Production Methods		
PPP	Polluter Pays Principle		
PRC	People's Republic of China		
SCOPE	Scientific Committee on Problems of the Environment of ICSU		
SSTs	Supersonic Transports		
UNCED	United Nations Conference on Environment and Development,		
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UNCHE United Nations Conference on the Human Environment, 1972
UNCLOS III 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea
UNCSD United Nations Commission on Sustainable Development
UNCTAD United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

UNDP United Nations Development Programme
UNEP United Nations Environment Programme

UNESCO United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization

UNGA United Nations General Assembly

UNGASS United Nations General Assembly Special Session to Review

Implementation of Agenda 21

WCED World Commission on Environment and Development

(Brundtland Commission)

WCS World Conservation Strategy
WCRP World Climate Research Programme
WMO World Meteorological Organization

WTO World Trade Organization

WWF World Wide Fund for Nature renamed in 1990—formerly

World Wildlife Fund