

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AIT: American Institute in Taiwan
APEC: Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation Forum
CIA: Central Intelligence Agency
CHICOM: Chinese Communist
CHINAT: Chinese Nationalist
DCM: Deputy Chief of Mission
DIA: Defense Intelligence Agency
DSB: Diplomatic Security Bureau
EAP: East Asian and Pacific Affairs Bureau, Department of State
ESD: External Survey Detachment
GIMO: Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek
INR: Intelligence and Research Bureau, Department of State
IPR: Intellectual Property Rights
MAAG: Military Assistance and Advisory Group
MTCR: Missile Technology Control Regime
NSA: National Security Agency
OSS: Office of Strategic Services, predecessor to CIA
PLA: People's Liberation Army
R&R: Rest and Recreation
TRA: Taiwan Relations Act
USIS/USIA: U.S. Information Service/U.S. Information Agency
USTR: U.S. Trade Representative
VOA: Voice of America