

DGFT	Director General of Fair Trading
DISCOM	Distribution Company
DTI	Department of Trade and Industry
E&W	England and Wales
EA	Electricity Act
EAB	Electricity Amendment Bill
EC	Electricity Council
ECNZ	Electricity Corporation of New Zealand
EECA	Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority
EGCC	Electricity and Gas Complaints Commission
EIA	Electricity Industry Act
EIRA	Electricity Industry Reform Act 1998
EIRAA	Electricity Industry Reform Amendment Act
ERI	Electricity Regional Initiatives
ESC	Energy Saving Certificate
ESI	Electricity Supply Industry
ETS	Emission Trading System
EU	European Union
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FOR	Forum of Regulators
FRP	Financial Restructuring Plan
FTR	Financial Transmission Rights
FWP	Forward Work Programme
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GEMA	Gas and Electricity Markets Authority
GIS	Geographic Information System
GPS	Government Policy Statement
GTDS	Generation Transmission Distribution Supply
HT:LT	High Tension: Low Tension
HU	Hermeneutic Unit
HVDS	High Voltage Distribution System

Hz	Hertz
IC	Intermediary Company
IEA	International Energy Agency
IEGC	Indian Electricity Grid Code
IEX	Indian Electricity Exchange
IPDS	Integrated Power Development Scheme
IPE	International Petroleum Exchange
IPP	Independent Power Producer
IRP	Integrated Resource Planning
kWh	Kilowatt Hour
KYC	Know Your Customer
LSE	Load Serving Entity
M&A	Mergers And Acquisitions
MVA	Mega Volt Amp
MW	Megawatt
MWh	Megawatt Hour
NEM	National Electricity Market
NETA	New Energy Trading Arrangement
NGC	National Grid Company
NLDC	National Load Dispatch Center
NO _x	Nitric Oxide
NPE	Nordic Power Exchange
NTP	National Tariff Policy
NTPC	National Thermal Power Company
NZ	New Zealand
NZEM	New Zealand Electricity Market
OA	Open Access
OCEP	Officials Committee on Energy Policy
ODV	for NZ
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
OFGEM	Office of Gas & Electricity Markets

PES	Public Electricity Suppliers
PFC	Power Finance Corporation
PJM	Pennsylvania-New-Jersey-Maryland Interconnect
POLR	Provider of Last Resort
PPA	Power Purchase Agreements
PwC	PricewaterhouseCoopers Pvt. Ltd
PXIL	Power Exchange of India Ltd
RAPDRP	Restructured Accelerated Power Development and Reforms
REC	Renewable Energy Certificate
REM	Regional Electricity Markets
RES	Renewable Energy Sources
RG	Research Gap
RGVY	Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana
Rinfra-D	Reliance Infrastructure Ltd. (Distribution)
RLDC	Regional Load Dispatch Center
RO	Research Objective
RoI	Return on Investments
RP	Research Problem
RPI	Retail Price Index
RQ	Research Question
Rs	Rupees
RT	Real Time
RTP	Real Time Pricing
S. No.	Serial Number
SCADA	Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition
SEA	Strategic Environmental Assessment
SEB	State Electricity Boards
SERC	State Electricity Regulatory Commission
SLDC	State Load Dispatch Center
SOE	State-Owned Enterprises
SPSS	Statistical Package for the Social Sciences

SSEB	South of Scotland Electricity Board
STU	State Transmission Utility
T&D	Transmission & Distribution
TAM	Term Ahead Market
TDC-D	Tata Power Company Ltd. (Distribution)
TOU	Time of Use
TP	Theoretical Premise
TPA	Third Party Access
UA	Utility Act
UC	Universal Charge
UDAY	Ujwal Discom Assurance Yojana
UERC	Uttarakhand Electricity Regulatory Commission
UI	Unscheduled Interchange
UJVNL	Uttarakhand Jal Vidyut Nigam Limited
UK	United Kingdom
UKPX	UK Power Exchange
UPCL	Uttarakhand Power Corporation Limited
USA	United States of America
USO	Universal Service Obligations
WEMDG	Wholesale Electricity Market Development Group
WEMS	Wholesale Electricity Market Study
XML	eXtensible Markup Language