

Abbreviations

AAHK	Airport Authority Hong Kong
AEF	Anti-epidemic Fund
API	application programming interface
ASB	advisory and statutory body
ASD	autism spectrum disorders
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
AV	Autonomous Vehicle
AWE	AsiaWorld-Expo
B&R	Belt and Road
BIM	building information modelling
BUD Fund	Dedicated Fund on Branding, Upgrading and Domestic Sales
CAC	Child Assessment Centre
CCC	Child Care Centre
CCM	cancer case manager
CDTA	comprehensive avoidance of double taxation agreement
CEDB	Commerce and Economic Development Bureau
CEF	Continuing Education Fund
CEPA	Closer Economic Partnership Arrangement
CFA	Court of Final Appeal
CIC	Construction Industry Council
CITF	Construction Innovation and Technology Fund
CLNPJ	non-permanent judge from another common law jurisdiction
CMAB	Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau
CoE	Centre of Excellence for Major Project Leaders
COVID-19	Coronavirus Disease-2019
CSB	Civil Service Bureau
CSO	Chief Secretary for Administration's Office

CSSA	Comprehensive Social Security Assistance
CTF	community treatment facility
DC	District Council
DCV	diesel commercial vehicle
DEVB	Development Bureau
DH	Department of Health
DHC	District Health Centre
DoJ	Department of Justice
DSS	Direct Subsidy Scheme
EA	employment agency
EAC	Electoral Affairs Commission
ECIC	Hong Kong Export Credit Insurance Corporation
EDB	Education Bureau
EffO	Efficiency Office
EFLS	Environmentally Friendly Linkage System
EM	ethnic minority
EMF	SME Export Marketing Fund
ENB	Environment Bureau
ERB	Employees Retraining Board
ETCZ	Economic and Trade Co-operation Zone
ETO	Economic and Trade Office
FATF	Financial Action Task Force
FHB	Food and Health Bureau
FiT	Feed-in Tariff
FPS	Faster Payment System
FSTB	Financial Services and the Treasury Bureau
FTA	free trade agreement
GBA	Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area

GD	Guangdong
GSH	Green Form Subsidised Home Ownership Scheme
HA	Hospital Authority
HAB	Home Affairs Bureau
HKDC	Hong Kong Design Centre
HKEAA	Hong Kong Examinations and Assessment Authority
HKHA	Hong Kong Housing Authority
HKHS	Hong Kong Housing Society
HKIA	Hong Kong International Airport
HKMA	Hong Kong Monetary Authority
HKSAR	Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
HKSTPC	Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation
HKTDC	Hong Kong Trade Development Council
HOS	Home Ownership Scheme
HSITP	Hong Kong-Shenzhen Innovation and Technology Park
HZMB	Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge
I&T	innovation and technology
IA	investment agreement
ICAC	Independent Commission Against Corruption
ID	intellectual disability
IMS	Integrity Management System
IPP	Inclusive Parks for Pet
IT	information technology
ITB	Innovation and Technology Bureau
ITVF	Innovation and Technology Venture Fund
KE	Kowloon East
LandsD	Lands Department
LCF	Lantau Conservation Fund

LCSD	Leisure and Cultural Services Department
LegCo	Legislative Council
LRC	Law Reform Commission
LTV	loan-to-value
LWB	Labour and Welfare Bureau
MiC	Modular Integrated Construction
MPF	Mandatory Provident Fund
MSSY	Member Self-recommendation Scheme for Youth
NCS	Non-Chinese Speaking
NDA	New Development Area
NGO	non-governmental organisation
NHC	National Health Commission
NSA	national sports association
NSL	The Law of the People's Republic of China on Safeguarding National Security in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
OALA	Old Age Living Allowance
ODR	Online Dispute Resolution
OPRS	On-site Pre-school Rehabilitation Services
PCMO	Project Cost Management Office
PICO	Policy Innovation and Co-ordination Office
PoC	Proof-of-Concept
Police Force	Hong Kong Police Force
PRH	public rental housing
PSGO	Project Strategy and Governance Office
PTA	Parent-Teacher Association
PV	photovoltaic
QEF	Quality Education Fund
R&D	research and development

RCHD	Residential Care Home for Persons with Disabilities
RCHE	Residential Care Home for the Elderly
RE	renewable energy
rebar	reinforcing bar
SARS	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome
SB	Security Bureau
SCCC	Special Child Care Centre
SESCO	special educational needs co-ordinator
SFGS	SME Financing Guarantee Scheme
SH	Starter Homes
SIE Fund	Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Fund
SMC	school management committee
SME	small and medium enterprise
SSF	subsidised sale flat
SWD	Social Welfare Department
TCAB	Torture Claims Appeal Board
TFLS	Task Force on Land Supply
THB	Transport and Housing Bureau
\$2 Scheme	Public Transport Fare Concession Scheme for the Elderly and Eligible Persons with Disabilities
THS	Tai Hang Sai
TPS	Tenants Purchase Scheme
UCTP	Universal Community Testing Programme
UK	the United Kingdom
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
URA	Urban Renewal Authority
US	the United States
VHIS	Voluntary Health Insurance Scheme

VPET	Vocational and Professional Education and Training
VTC	Vocational Training Council
WFA	Working Family Allowance
WKCD	West Kowloon Cultural District
WSM	White Form Secondary Market Scheme
WSP	Water Safety Plan
YA	Youth Ambassador
YDC	Youth Development Commission
YHS	Youth Hostel Scheme