**Abbreviations and Definitions**

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| A/C | Account Cheque |
| Avg | Average |
| BPL | Below the Poverty Line |
| CDP | Community Development Programme |
| CSR | Corporate Social Responsibility  |
| DM | District Magistrate |
| DWL | Daily Wage Labour |
| ESPP | Environmental & Social Policy & Procedure |
| GC | General Caste |
| Govt. | Government |
| GRC | Grievances Redressal Committee |
| IGP | Income Generating Programme |
| IGS | Income Generating Scheme |
| KV | Kilo Volt |
| LAA | Land Acquisition Act |
| LPC  | Land Purchase Committee |
| Ltd. | Limited |
| MW | Mega Watt(s) |
| NH  | National Highway |
| NGO | Non -Governmental Organisation |
| OBC | Other Backward Class |
| O&M | Operation & maintenance  |
| PAPs | **Project Affected Persons** - People who lose land, livelihood, homesteads, structures and access to resources as a result of project activities |
| PAFs | **Project Affected Families** - In relation to a affected person, means, such person and his or her spouse, minor sons, unmarried daughters, minor brothers or sisters, father and mother and other members residing with him and dependent on him for their livelihood.All adult married sons in respect of title holder shall be considered as separate family for consideration/eligibility for rehabilitation assistance ( Need based assistance to widow daughter separated from her family and living with parents and unmarried sons over the age of 40 may also be considered as special case) having share in the acquired property. |
| PCO | Public Call Office |
| PDS | Public Distribution System |
| POWERGRID | Power Grid Corporation of India Limited |
| PRA | Participatory Rural Appraisal  |
| Pvt. | Private |
| R & R | Resettlement & Rehabilitation |
| RA | Rehabilitation Assistance |
| RAP | Rehabilitation Action Plan |
| SC | Schedule Caste |
| STD | Subscriber Trunk Dialling |
| TOR | Terms of Reference  |