Abbreviation

Short form Full form

AAY Antyodaya Anna Yojana

ACCION Americans for Community Cooperation In Other Nation

AIDIS All India Debt and Investment Surveys

AIRCS All India Rural Credit Survey

AMFI-WB Association of Microfinance institution- West Bengal

ANBC Adjusted Net Banking Credit

ASSOCHEM The Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India

BLP Bank Linked Programme

BPLR Benchmark Prime Lending Rate (BPLR)

BRI Bank Rakyat Indonesia

CARE Credit Analysis & Research

CGAP Consultative Group to Assist the Poor

CRISIL Credit Rating Information Services of India Limited

DFI Development Finance Institution

DPAP Drought Prone Areas Program

DDP Desert Development Program

DRI Differential Rate of Interest

EAS Employment Assurance Scheme

EY Ernst & Young

FWWB Friends of Women World Banking

GOI Government of India

HDFC Housing Development Financial Corporation

HUDCO Housing and Urban Development Corporation Limited

IAY Indira Awas Yojana (IAY)

ICDS Integrated Child Development Services Scheme

IOI Incidence of indebtedness

IRDP Integrated Rural Development Program

IWDP Integrated Wastelands Development Program

JGSY Jawahar Gram Samridhi Yojana

JLG Joint Liability Group

KGFS Kshetriya Grameen Financial Services

KVIC Khadi and Village Industries Commission

LIC Life Insurance Corporation

MFI Microfinance Institutions

MFIN Microfinance Institutions Network (MFIN)

MIX Micro Finance Information Exchange

MPI Microfinance Penetration Index

MPI Micro Finance Profitability Index

MUDRA Micro Units Development and Refinance Agency

MYRADA Mysore Resettlement and Development Agency

NABARD National Bank for Agriculture & Rural Development

NBFC Non Banking Financial company/ Corporation

NFE Non Formal Education

NGO Non Governmental Organisations

NPA Non-performing Assets

NRLM National Rural Livelihood Mission

NSAP National Social Assistance Program

NSSO National Sample Survey Office

NULM National Urban Livelihoods Mission

OBC Other backward class

Ph.D. Doctor of Philosophy

PMIUPEP Prime Minister's Integrated Urban Poverty Eradication Program

PMJDY Pradhan Mantri Jan- Dhan Yojana

PMRY Prime Minister's Rojgar Yojana

PRwl Price Rationed With Loans

PRwol Price Rationed Without Loans

PSB Public Sector Bank

QR Quantity Rationed

RBI Reserve Bank of India

REGP Rural Employment Generation Program

RFAS Rural Finance Access Survey

RGVN Rashtriya Garmin Vikash Nidhi

RIDF The Rural Infrastructure Development Fund

RMK Rashtriya Mahila Kosh

ROSCA rotating saving and credit associations

RPS Retention Pricing Scheme (RPS)

RR Risk Rationed

RRB Regional Rural Bank

SB Small Borrowal

SBA Small Borrowal Account

SC Scheduled Casts

SEWA Self Employed Women's Association

SGRY Sampoorna Grameen Rozgar Yojana

SGSY Swarn Jayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana

SHG Self Helf Group

SIDBI The Small Industries Development Bank of India

SJSRY Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana

SKS Swayam Krishi Sangam

SMC Siliguri Municipal Corporation

SRMS Self Employment Scheme for Rehabilitation of Manual Scavengers

(SRMS)

SRO Self Regulatory Organisation

ST Scheduled Tribes

SUME Scheme of Urban Micro Enterprise

TCR Transaction Cost Rationed

TPDS Targeted Public Distribution System