

GLOSSARY OF ABBREVIATIONS

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| ATC | AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER |
| BVI | BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS |
| CARICOM | CARIBBEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY |
| Cbers | CITIZENS BAND RADIO USERS |
| CCP(s) | COMMUNITY COLLECTION POINT(S) |
| CDC | COMMUNITY DISASTER COMMITTEE |
| CDERA | CARIBBEAN DISASTER EMERGENCY RESPONSE AGENCY |
| CDRU | CARIBBEAN DISASTER RESPONSE UNIT |
| DEC | DISTRICT EMERGENCY COMMITTEE |
| DEO | DISTRICT EMERGENCY ORGANIZATION |
| DEOC | DISTRICT EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE |
| DHA | DIRECTORATE OF HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS |
| DPU | DEVELOPMENT PLANNING UNIT |
| DTRS | DEPENDENT TERRITORY'S REGIONAL SECRETARIAT |
| EOC(s) | EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE(S) |
| FCO | FOREIGN COMMONWEALTH OFFICE |
| GIS | GOVERNMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM |
| GO(s) | GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION(S) |
| HAZMAT | HAZARDOUS MATERIAL |
| HF | HIGH FREQUENCY |
| IDC | ISLAND DISASTER COMMITTEE |

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| IEO | ISLAND EMERGENCY ORGANIZATION |
| INMARSAT | INTERNATIONAL MARITIME SATELLITE |
| LZ | LANDING ZONE |
| MOU | MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING |
| NCCC | NATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS CONTROL CENTRE |
| NDC | NATIONAL DISASTER COORDINATOR |
| NEAC | NATIONAL EMERGENCY ADVISORY COUNCIL |
| NEEC | NATIONAL EMERGENCY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE |
| NEO | NATIONAL EMERGENCY ORGANIZATION |
| NEOC | NATIONAL EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE |
| NGO(s) | NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION(s) |
| ODA | OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION |
| ODP | OFFICE OF DISASTER PREPAREDNESS |
| OECS | ORGANIZATION OF EASTERN CARIBBEAN STATES |
| OHP(s) | OVERHEAD PROJECTOR(s) |
| PIEO | PUBLIC INFORMATION AND EDUCATION OFFICER |
| PS(s) | PERMANENT SECRETARY(s) |
| PWD | PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT |
| SITREP(s) | SITUATION REPORT(s) |
| SOP(s) | STANDING OPERATING PROCEDURE(s) |
| SUMA | SUPPLY MANAGEMENT |
| TOR(s) | TERMS OF REFERENCE(s) |
| UHF | ULTRA HIGH FREQUENCY |

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| VCR | VIDEO CASSETTE RECORDER |
| USVI | US VIRGIN ISLANDS |
| VHF | VERY HIGH FREQUENCY |
| VISAR | VIRGIN ISLANDS SEARCH AND RESCUE |
| WIGS | WEST INDIAN GUARD SHIP |