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# LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ABNL	Aditya Birla Nuvo Ltd
ABRFL	Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Ltd
ANDA	Abbreviated New Drug Applications
API	Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients
ARV	Anti-Retroviral
ASL	Avenue Supermarts
CAD	Computer-Aided Design
CAGR	Compound Annual Growth Rate
CIS	Commonwealth Of Independent States
CSIR	Council Of Scientific and Industrial Research
DNDI	Drugs For Neglected Diseases Initiative
DRC	Divis Research Center
EIR	Establishment Inspection Report
FDA	Food And Drug Administration
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
MDT	Multidrug Treatment
MGLRCL	Madura Garments Lifestyle Retail Company Limited
MOU	Memorandum Of Understanding

NDA	New Drug Application
OTC	Over The Counter
PRIL	Pantaloon Retail India Limited
R&D	Research And Development
SEZ	Special Economic Zone
SSP	Semi Synthetic Penicillin
TAF	Tenofovir Alafenamide
ZAHL	Zydus Animal Health and Investments Limited