

ABBREVIATIONS

ADB	Asian Development Bank
BOT	build-operate-transfer
BT	build-transfer
CBO	community-based organization
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency
CMAG	City Managers' Association of Gujarat
DOT	develop-operate-transfer
GDP	gross domestic product
JICA	Japan International Cooperation Agency
LGC	Local Government Code (Philippines)
LGU	local government unit
MFD	Macro Founder and Developers Inc. (Philippines)
MMA	Metropolitan Manila Authority
MMC	Metropolitan Manila Commission
MMDA	Metro Manila Development Authority
MPK	Majlis Perbandaran Kuantan (Kuantan Municipal Council)
NGO	nongovernment organization
NIMBY	not in my backyard
ODA	official development assistance
OECD	Overseas Economic Cooperation Fund (Japan)
PO	people's organization

SERI	Socio-Economic and Environmental Research Institute (Penang)
SPI	Sustainable Penang Initiative
SWD	solid waste disposal
UNCHS	United Nations Centre for Human Settlements
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UN-ESCAP	United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific