

## List of Terms and Abbreviations

Term/Acronym	Official Name	Remarks
AMAR	Assisting Marsh Arabs and Refugees	NGO
ARDI	Agriculture Reconstruction and Development Program for Iraq	USA
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations	
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand	
CDM	Clean Development Mechanism	
CIDA	Canadian International Development Agency	Canada
CIMI	Canada–Iraq Marshland Initiative	Canada
CPA	Coalition Provisional Authority	
CRIM	Center for Restoration of the Iraqi Marshlands	Iraq
EPC	Environmental Protection Center	Iraq
EPIC	Environmental Protection and Improvement Council	Iraq
EPID	Environmental Protection and Improvement Directorate	Iraq
EST	Environmentally Sound Technology	
EU	European Union	
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization	
FY	Fiscal year	
GAP	Southeastern Anatolian Project (Güneydogu Anadolu Projesi)	Turkey
GEC	Global Environment Centre Foundation	Japan
GIS	Geographic Information System	
IF	Free Iraq Foundation / Iraq Foundation	NGO
ILEC	International Lake Environment Committee	Japan
IMET	Italian Ministry for the Environment and Territory	Italy
IMF	International Monetary Fund	
IMRP	Iraq Marshlands Restoration Program	USA
IOM	International Organization for Migration	
JBIC	Japan Bank for International Cooperation	Japan
JICA	Japan International Cooperation Agency	Japan
MoMPW	Ministry of Municipalities and Public Works	Iraq
MoC	Ministry of Communication	Iraq
MoE	Ministry of Environment	Iraq
MoPDC	Ministry of Planning and Development Cooperation	Iraq
MoWR	Ministry of Water Resources	Iraq
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization	
ODA	Official Development Assistance	
RO	Reverse osmosis	
SO <sub>x</sub>	Sulfur oxides	
UNAMI	United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq	
UNDG	United Nations Development Group	
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme	
UNEP/IETC	United Nations Environmental Programme, International Environmental Technology Centre	
UNEP/PCAU	United Nations Environmental Programme, Post-Conflict Assessment Unit	
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization	
USACE	US Army Corps of Engineers	USA
USAID	US Agency for International Development	USA
USEPA	US Environmental Protection Agency	USA
VOC	Volatile organic compounds	
WB	World Bank	
WHO	World Health Organization	
WWII	Second World War	