List of Abbreviations

Abbreviated Form	Full Form
2D	Two dimensional
3D	Three dimensional
A&AA	Assam & Assam Arakan
API	Acquisition, Processing and Interpretation
BE	Budget Estimates
BEC	Bid Evaluation Criteria
CMD	Chairman and Managing Director
CPSE	Central Public Sector Enterprise
DGH	Directorate General of Hydrocarbon
DOC	Declaration of Commerciality
DPE	Department of Public Enterprises
E&D	Exploration & Development
E&P	Exploration & Production
G&G	Geological & Geophysical
GIIP	Gas initial in place
GOI	Government of India
HR	Human Resources
IIH	Initial In-place Hydrocarbon
JV	Joint Venture
KG	Krishna Godavari
LD	Liquidated Damages
LKM	Line Kilometre
LOA	Letter of Acceptance
MC	Management Committee
ML	Mining Lease
MMSCMD	Million Metric Standard Cubic Meter Per Day
MMTOE	Million Metric Tonne Oil Equivalent
MOD	Ministry of Defence
MOPNG	Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MWP	Minimum Work Programme
NELP	New Exploration Licensing Policy
NIKO	Niko Resources Limited
NOC	National Oil Company
OC	Operating Committee
ONGC	Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited
PEL	Petroleum Exploration License
PI	Participating Interest
PML	Petroleum Mining Lease
PSC	Production Sharing Contract
PSE	Public Sector Enterprises
PBG	Performance Bank Guarantee
R&D	Research & Development
RE	Revised Estimates
RIL	Reliance Industries Limited
Sq. Km	Square Kilometre
GM (OD&RS)	General Manager (Oil Drilling & Related Services)
IOR	Improved Oil Recovery
EOR	Enhanced Oil Recovery