

# List of acronyms

ACC	Anti-corruption Commission
ACHPR	African Charter on Human and Peoples Rights
AFRC	Armed Forces Revolutionary Council
ACRWC	African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child
AIG	Assistant Inspector-General, SLP
APC	All Peoples Congress Party of Sierra Leone
APRM	African Peer Review Mechanism
AU	African Union
BPRM	Bo Peace Reconciliation Movement
CCSSP	Commonwealth Community Safety and Security Project
CDIID	Complaint, Discipline, Internal Investigation Department
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
CEDSA	Centre for Development and Security Analysis
CEPIL	Centre for Public Interest Lawyers
CMS	Community Mediation Scheme
CRC	Convention on the Right of the Child
CSD	Corporate Services Department, SLP
DCI	Defence for Children International
DFID	Department for International Development
DGTTF	Democratic Governance Thematic Trust
DPP	Director of Public Prosecutions
ECOWAS	Economic Community for West African States
FSU	Family Support Unit, SLP
GoSL	Government of Sierra Leone
HRCSL	Human Rights Commission of Sierra Leone
ICCPR	International Convention on Civil and Political Rights
ICESCR	International Convention on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights

ICRC	International Committee of the Red Cross
ILO	International Labour Organisation
ISS	Institute for Security Studies
JSDP	Justice Sector Development Programme
KAIPTC	Kofi Anan International Peacekeeping Centre
LCS	Local Court Supervisor
Le	Leones (currency of Sierra Leone)
LAWCLA	Lawyers Centre for Legal Assistance
MCSL	Methodist Church Sierra Leone
MPRU	Media and Public Relations Unit, SLP
MSWGCA	Ministry of Social Welfare, Gender and Children's Affairs
NaCSA	National Commission for Social Action
NaCWAC	National Commission for War Affected Children
NASSIT	National Social Security and Insurance Trust Act
NEPAD	New Partnership for African Development
NFHR	National Forum for Legal Rights
NGO	Non-governmental organisation
NMJD	Network Movement for Justice and Legal Assistance
NRA	National Revenue Authority
NPRC	National Provisional Ruling Council
ONS	Office of National Security
OSD	Operational Support Division, SLP
OSJI	Open Society Justice Initiative
PCC	Public Complaints Commissioner
PDO	Public Defenders Officer
PICOT	Partners in Conflict Transformation
PRSP	Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper
PTS	Police Training School, SLP
REC	Constitutional Review Commission of Sierra Leone
RSLAF	Republic of Sierra Leone Armed Force
RUF	Revolutionary United Front
LLRC	Sierra Leone Law Reform Commission
SLP	Sierra Leone Police
SLPF	Sierra Leone Police Force
SLPP	Sierra Leone Peoples Party
SLSSR-IP	Sierra Leone Security Sector Reform Implementation Programme

SLLRC	Sierra Leone Law Reform Commission
SLTRC	Sierra Leone Truth and Reconciliation Commission
UDHR	Universal Declaration of Human Rights
UK	United Kingdom
UN	United Nations
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNSMR	United Nations Standard Minimum Rule
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNIOSIL	UN Integrated Office in Sierra Leone
US	United States of America
USAID	United States Aid
WAFF	West African Frontier Force
WASCE	West African School Certificate Examination