

ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

ABAC APEC Business Advisory Council

ACTWG Anti-Corruption and Transparency Working Group

ACT-NET Anti-Corruption Authorities & Law Enforcement Agencies

AMM APEC Ministerial Meeting

APEC Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation

ASEAN Association of Southeast Asian Nations

ASF APEC Support Fund

ATCWG Agricultural Technical Cooperation Working Group

BCP business continuity plans

BMC Budget Management Committee

BMG Business Mobility Group (a sub-fora of CTI)

CEEDS Cooperative Energy Efficiency Design for Sustainability

COW Committee of the Whole

CSOM Concluding Senior Officials' Meeting

CTI Committee on Trade and Investment

CTWG Counter-Terrorism Working Group

EC Economic Committee

ECOTECH Economic and Technical Cooperation

EPWG Emergency Preparedness Working Group

ESI Energy Security Initiative

EWG Energy Working Group

FMP Finance Ministers Process

FOTC Friends of the Chair

HLPDAB High Level Policy Dialogue on Agricultural Biotechnology

HWG Health Working Group

ICT Information and Communications Technology

IPD Innovation Policy Dialogues

ISTWG Industrial Science and Technology Working Group

ITD Innovation Technology Dialogues

LCMT Low Carbon Model Town

LEDS Low Emission Development Strategies

MOU Memorandum of Understanding

MRA Mutual Recognition Arrangement

MRA-CA MRA for Conformity Assessment

MRM Ministers Responsible for Mining

MTF Mining Task Force

NGO Non-Governmental Organizations

OA Operational Account

OECD Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development

OFWG Ocean and Fisheries Working Group

PMU Project Management Unit (*under APEC Secretariat*)

PPFS Policy Partnership on Food Security

PPSTI Policy Partnership on Science, Technology and Innovation

PPWE Policy Partnership on Women and the Economy

QAF Quality Assessment Framework

REI Regional Economic Integration

SCCP Sub-Committee on Customs Procedures (a sub-fora of CTI)

SCE Steering Committee on Economic and Technical Cooperation

SCSC Sub-committee on standards and Conformance (a sub-fora of CTI)

SMEWG Small and Medium Enterprises Working Group

SOM Senior Officials' Meeting

TATF Technical Assistance and Training Facility

TELWG Telecommunications and Information Working Group

TILF Trade and Investment Liberalisation Fund

ToR Terms of Reference

TPTWG Transportation Working Group

TWG Tourism Working Group

US-ATAARI US-APEC Technical Assistance to Advance Regional Integration