LIST OF ACRONYMS

ADB Asian Development Bank

AIR All India Reporter

APIO Assistant Public Information Officer

ARC Administrative Reform Commission

ASCO Assistant Soil Conservation Office

AU African Union

BEO Block Educational Officer

BPL Below Poverty Line

CADA Command Area Development Authority

CERC Consumer Education & Research Centre

CHRI Common Wealth Human Rights Initiatives

CIC Chief Information Commissioner

COE Council of Europe

CPIO Central Public Information Officer

DDEO Deputy District Education Officer

DDPO District Development & Panchayat Officer

DEEO District Elementary Education Officer

DEO District Education Officer

DPEO District Primary Education Officer

DSO District Statistical Officer

ECHR European Court of Human Rights

ECOSC Economic & Social Council (United Nations)

EU European Union

FAA First Appellate Authority

FOI Freedom of Information

FOIA Freedom of Information Act

HSIIDC Haryana Industrial and Infrastructural Development Cooperation

HSAM Haryana State Agricultural Marketing (Board)

ICCPR International Convention on Civil & Political Rights

ICDS Integrated Child Development Services

IIPA Indian Institute of Public Administration

IJPA Indian Journal of Public Administration

JINYO Jila Niyojan Officer

LBSNAA Lal Bhadur Shastri National Academy of Administration

MCD Municipal Corporation Delhi

MKSS Majdoor Kisan Shakti Sangathan

NCPRI National Campaign for the People's Right to Information

NCRWC National Commission for Review of Working of the Constitution

NDA National Democratic Alliance

NGO Non Governmental Organization

NIC National Information Commission

NPM New Public Management

NREGA National Rural Employment Guarantee Act

OAS Organizations of American State

OAU Organization of African Unity

OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation & Development

OSA Officials Secrets Act

PA Public Authority

PCI-NIRD Press Council of India- National

PDA Personal Data Act

PIO Public Information Officer

PILSARAC Public Interest Legal Support and Research Centre

PRI Panchayati Raj Institution

RIO Rio de Janeiro (Name of Place)

SAPIO State Assistant Public Information Officers

SARC Second Admistrative Reform Commission

SCC Supreme Court Case

SIC State Information Commission

SMART Simple Moral Accountable Responsive and Transparent governance

SPIO State Public Information Officer

UDHR Universal Declaration of Human Rights

UNCED United Nation Conference on Environment & Development

UNCHR United Nation Commission on Human Rights

UNECE United Nation Economic Commission for Europe

UNESCO United Nation Educational, Scientific & Cultural Organization

UNDP United Nations Development Programme

UNESCAP United Nation Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the

Pacific

UPA United Progressive Alliance