

Acronyms

ADB	Asian Development Bank
AIC	Australian Institute of Criminology
BPI	Bribe Payers Index
CATI	computer-assisted telephone interviewing
CCBS	Crime and Corruption Business Survey
CCP	Chinese Communist Party
CCTV	closed-circuit television
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CNY	Chinese yuan
ComVS	Commercial Victimization Survey (UK)
CPI	Corruption Perception Index
CTS	United Nations Survey on Crime Trends and the Operations of Criminal Justice Systems
CVS	Crime Victimization Survey (Hong Kong)
GDP	gross domestic product
GNP	gross national product
HK	Hong Kong
HK\$	Hong Kong dollar
HK SAR	Hong Kong Special Administrative Region
ICAC	Independent Commission Against Corruption (Hong Kong)
ICBS	International Crime against Business Survey
ICCS	International Commercial Crime Survey
ICVS	International Crime Victims Survey
IP	intellectual property
KPMG	global professional services firm

MPS	Ministry of Public Security (Mainland China)
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
PAP	People's Armed Police
PCCW	Hong Kong's leading communications provider
PPP	purchasing power parity
PRC	People's Republic of China
PSB	Public Security Bureau
PWC	PriceWaterhouseCoopers
SAR	special administrative region
SEZ	special economic zone
SOE	state-owned enterprise
UK	United Kingdom
UN	United Nations
UNICRI	United Nations Interregional Criminal Justice Institute
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organisation
UNODC	United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
USA	United States of America
USD	United States dollar
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics