

ABBREVIATIONS

Art(s).	- Article(s)
CARICOM	- Caribbean Community
CEDAW	- Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women)
CIM	- Inter-American Commission on Women
ECLAC	- Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (UN)
ESC-rights	- economic, social and cultural rights
EU	- European Union
FIAN	- FoodFirst International and Action Network
IACHR	- Inter-American Commission on Human Rights
ICJ	- International Court of Justice
ICCPR	- International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (1966)
ICESCR	- International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (1966)
ILA	- International Law Association
ILO	- International Labour Organization
IMF	- International Monetary Fund
MDC	- Movement for Democratic Change (Zimbabwe)
MNCs	- multinational corporations
NATO	- North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NGO	- non-governmental organization
NWT	- Northwest Territories (Canada)
OECD	- Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
OJ	- Official Journal of the European Communities
para(s).	- paragraph(s)
UDHR	- Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948)
UN	- United Nations
UNDP	- United Nations Development Programme
UNGA	- United Nations General Assembly
UWI	- University of the West Indies
VAP	- voting age population
WCC	- World Council of Churches
WTO	- World Trade Organization