

Acronyms and abbreviations

ACOTA	African Contingency Operation Training Assistance
ACP	Assistant Commissioner of Police
ACRI	African Crisis Response Initiative
ADOL	Action for Development of Local Communities
AFSTRAG	African Strategic and Peace Research Group
AHSI	African Human Security Initiative
ANC	African National Congress
APFO	Africa Peace Forum
APRM	African Peer Review Mechanism
ASDR	African Security Dialogue and Research
AU	African Union
AVSI	<i>Associazione Volontari per il Servizio Internazionale</i>
AWEPA	Association of European Parliamentarians for Africa
BCPR	Bureau for Conflict Prevention and Resolution
CCW	Convention on Conventional Weapons
CEWARN	Conflict Early Warning Response Mechanism
CID	Criminal Investigation Department
CPAR	Canadian Physicians for Aid and Relief
CSO	Civil Society Organisation
CSSDCA	Conference for Security, Stability, Development and Co-operation in Africa
DDRR	Disarmament, Demobilisation, Reintegration and Development
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DFID	UK Department for International Development
DoD	Department of Defence
DRC	Democratic Republic of the Congo
EAANSA	Eastern Africa Action Network on Small Arms
EAC	East African Community
EAPCCO	Eastern Africa Police Chiefs Co-operation Organisation

ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States
FFZ	Firearms Free Zones
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GIAB	Inter-governmental Action Group Against Money Laundering
HI	Handicap International
ICBL	International Campaign to Ban Landmines
ICRC	International Committee of the Red Cross
IGAD	Inter-Governmental Authority on Development
IHRD	Institute for Human Rights and Development
IMET	United States International Military Exchange Training
IPPNW	International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War
IPSG	Interpol General Secretariat
ISRB	Interpol Sub-Regional Bureau
ISS	Institute for Security Studies
KA IPTC	Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Training Centre
KANSA	Kenya Action Network on Small Arms
KNFP	Kenya National Focal Point
LDF	Lesotho Defence Force
LDU	Local Defence Units
LRA	Lord's Resistance Army
MALAO	<i>Mouvement contre les Armes Légères en Afrique de l'Ouest</i>
MASA	Mines Action Southern Africa
MBT	Mine Ban Treaty
MFDC	<i>Mouvement des Forces Démocratiques de la Casamance</i>
MICA	Ministry of Integration and Co-operation in Africa
MRE	Mine Risk Education
NCPTAW	National Committee on the Proliferation and Illicit Trafficking in Small Arms and Light Weapons
NCWS	Nigerian Council of Women's Societies
NEPAD	New Partnership for Africa's Development
NFB	National Firearms Bureau
NFP	National Focal Point

NFPF	National Focal Point Forum
NRA	National Resistance Army
NRCD	National Redemption Council Decree
NSAC	National Small Arms Commission
NSC	National Steering Committee
OAU	Organisation of African Unity
PCASED	Programme of Co-ordination and Assistance for Security and Development
PRM	Mozambique Police Services
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SAHRT	Southern Africa Human Rights Trust
SAIIA	South Africa Institute of International Affairs
SALW	Small Arms and Light Weapons
SANDF	South African National Defence Force
SAPS	South African Police Service
SARPCCO	Southern Africa Regional Police Chiefs Co-operation Organisation
SIRAA	Security, Immigration and Refugee Affairs Authority
UANSA	Uganda Action Network on Small Arms
UNDCP	United Nations Drugs Control Programme
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNPoA	United Nations Programme of Action (to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in SALW in All Its Aspects)
UPDF	Uganda People's Defence Force
USA	United States of America
UXO	Unexploded Ordnance
VCCU	Violent Crime Crack Unit
WAANSA	West African Action Network on Small Arms
WANEP	West African Network for Peace-building