LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

A. N = Anguttara-Nikāya
CEO = Chief Executive Officer
CV = Cullavagga
CWDS = Centre for Women’s Development Studies
D.N = Dīgha-Nikāya
Dhp = Dhammapada
HRW = Human Rights for Women
MN = Majjhima-Nikāya
MV = Mahāvastu
NOW = National organization for women
NGOS = Non-governmental organization
R V = Rg-Veda
Sanskrit = Skt
S. N = Saṃyutta-Nikāya
Srīmālā sūtra = Srīmālādevi-simha-nāda sūtra
Therag. = Theragāthā
Therīg = Therīgāthā
UNICEF = United Nationals International Children’s Emergency Fund
WITCH = Women’s International Conspiracy from Hell
WHO = World Health Organization