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List of Abbreviations

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| ACLU | American Civil Liberties Union |
| AFSA | Armed Forces Security Agency |
| AFSS | Air Force Security Service |
| AI | Amnesty International |
| ASA | Army Security Agency |
| CAHDATA | Council of Europe's Ad Hoc Committee on Data Protection |
| CALEA | Communication Assistance for Law Enforcement Act of 1994 |
| CCC | Chaos Computer Club |
| CHR | Council of Europe's Commissioner of Human Rights |
| CIA | Central Intelligence Agency |
| CoE | Council of Europe |
| COINTELPRO | Counter Intelligence Program |
| COMINT | Communications Intelligence |
| DARPA | Defense Advanced Research Project Agency |
| EDPS | European Data Protection Supervisor |
| EFF | Electronic Frontier Foundation |
| EP | European Parliament |
| EPIC | Electronic Privacy Information Center |
| EU | European Union |
| FAA | Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Amendments Act of 2008 |
| FBI | Federal Bureau of Investigations |
| FISA | Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 |
| FISC | Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court |
| FTC | Federal Trade Commission |
| GPEN | Global Privacy Enforcement Network |
| HRC | United Nations Human Rights Council |
| IAO | Information Awareness Office |
| ICC | International Criminal Court |
| ICCPR | International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights |

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| ICESCR | International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights |
| IDC | Information Dominance Center |
| IO | International Organization |
| (I)NGO | (International) Non-Governmental Organization |
| ISP | Internet Service Provider |
| LIBE | European Parliament's Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs |
| NSA | National Security Agency |
| NSG | Naval Security Group |
| NSL | National Security Letter |
| OECD | Organization for Economic Co-Operation and Development |
| OPR | Office of Professional Responsibility |
| PAA | Protect America Act of 2007 |
| PCLOB | Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board |
| PPD | Presidential Policy Directive |
| PSP | President's Surveillance Program |
| SRP | United Nation's Special Rapporteur on Privacy |
| SSA | Signal Security Agency |
| SIGINT | Signals Intelligence |
| TIA | Total Information Awareness Program |
| TSP | Terrorist Surveillance Program |
| TTIP | Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership |
| UDHR | Universal Declaration of Human Rights |
| UN | United Nations |

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