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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

| | |
|--------|---|
| A/Es | architect/engineer |
| ABC | Activity Based Costing |
| ACM | Asbestos Containing Material |
| ADP | Automatic Data Processing |
| ADS | Activity Data Sheet |
| AES | Automated Estimating System |
| BA | Budget Appropriation |
| BM | Bill of Material |
| BO | Budgetary Outlay |
| CACES | Corps of Engineers' Computer-Aided Cost Engineering System |
| CAD | Computer-aided Drafting |
| CC | Construction Contractors |
| CCMD | Committee for Cost Methods Development |
| CDR | Conceptual Design Report |
| CER | Cost Estimating Relationship |
| CERCLA | Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act |
| CFO | Chief Financial Officer |
| CM | Construction Management |
| CM | Construction Management |
| CMD | Cost Methods Development |
| CMI | Corrective Measures Implementation |
| CMP | Configuration Management Plan |
| COA | Code of Accounts |
| CPDS | Construction Project Data Sheet |
| CSI | Construction Specification Institute Code |
| CWBS | Contract Work Breakdown Structure |
| D&D | Decontamination and Decommissioning |
| DOE | Department of Energy |
| DOS | Disk Operating System |
| DPT | Design Planning Tabulation |
| EA | Environmental Assessment |
| ECER | Enhanced Cost Estimating Relationship |
| ED&I | Engineering, Design, and Inspection |
| EIS | Environmental Impact Statement |
| EM | Environmental Management |
| EPA | Environmental Protection Agency |
| ERDA | Energy Research and Development Administration |
| ERMC | Environmental Restoration Management Contractor |
| ESAAB | Energy System Acquisition Advisory Board |
| ESAARs | Energy System Acquisition Advisory Reviews |
| F/O | Functional/Operational |
| FA | Facility Assessment |

ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS (continued)

| | |
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| FI/CMS | Facilities Investigation/Corrective Measures Study |
| FI | Facility Investigation |
| FM | Field Management |
| FM-50 | Office of Infrastructure Acquisition, Office of the Associate Deputy Secretary for Field Management |
| FONSI | Finding of No Significant Impact |
| FS | Feasibility Study |
| FSR | Feasibility Study Report |
| FTE | Full Time Equivalent |
| GFE | Government Furnished Equipment |
| H&N | Holmes & Narver (H&N) |
| HRS | Hazard Ranking System |
| ICE | Independent Cost Estimate |
| ICECAN | Independent Cost Estimating Contingency Analyzer |
| JMN | Justification of Mission Need |
| KD | Key Decision |
| LANL | Los Alamos National Laboratory |
| LCC | Life-cycle costs |
| M&O | Management and Operating |
| NCR | Non-Conformance Report |
| NEPA | National Environmental Policy Act |
| OMB | Office of Management and Budget |
| OPC | Other Project Cost |
| ORNL | Oak Ridge National Laboratory |
| ORR | Operational Readiness Review |
| PA/SI | Preliminary Assessment/Site Inspection |
| PA | Preliminary Assessment |
| PACE | Plant and Capital Equipment |
| PC | Personal Computer |
| PDS | Project Data Sheet |
| PD&E | Planning Design and Engineering |
| PERT | Programmed Evaluation and Review Technique |
| PL | Public Law |
| PM | Project Management |
| PM | Project Manager |
| PMP | Project Management Plan |
| POPR | Potential for an Occurring or past Release |
| PSAR | Preliminary Safety Analysis Report |
| PSD | Prevention of Significant Deterioration |
| PSO | Project Support Officer (Chapter 13) |
| PSO | Project Secretarial Officer (chapter 5) |
| PSWBS | Project Summary Work Breakdown Structure |

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| QA | Quality Assurance |
| QC | Quality Control |
| R&D | Research and Development |
| RAP | Remedial Action Plan |
| RCRA | Resource Conservation and Recovery Act |
| RFA | RCRA Facility Assessment |
| RI | Remedial Investigation |
| RI/FS | Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study |
| ROD | Record of Decision |
| SAR | Safety Analysis Report |
| SARA | Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 |
| SER | Safety Evaluation Report |
| SI | Site Inspection |
| SWMU | Solid Waste Management Unit |
| TEC | Total Estimated Cost |
| TPC | Total Project Cost |
| UCR | Uniform Capital Recovery |
| UMTRA | Uranium Mill Tailings Remedial Action |
| UMTRAP | Uranium Mill Tailing Remedial Action Project |
| UMTRCA | Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act of 1978 |
| WBS | Work Breakdown Structure |