Abbreviations

ARAN  State Archive of the Russian Academy of Sciences
CERN  European Organization for Nuclear Research
CoCom  Coordinating Committee for Multilateral Export Controls
FRG  Federal Republic of Germany
GDR  German Democratic Republic
GKNT State Committee for Science and Technology
GOELRO State Commission for the Electrification of Russia
Gosplan  State Planning Committee
IAEA  International Atomic Energy Agency
ICSU  International Council of Scientific Unions
IIASA  International Institute of Applied Systems Analysis
IKSI  Institute for Concrete Social Research
IMEMO  Institute of World Economics and International Relations
ISA  Institute of Systems Analysis
MGIMO  Moscow Institute of International Relations
NAS  National Academy of Science
NATO  North-Atlantic Treaty Organization
NKVD  People's Commissariat of Internal Affairs
OECD  Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development
OGAS  All-Union Automated System
OMENTO  GKNT Department for International Economic and Technoscientific Organizations
OR  Operations Research
PPBS  Planning-Programming and Budgeting System
RGAE  Russian State Archive of the Economy
STR  Scientific-Technical Revolution
UN  United Nations
UNACASTD  United Nations Advisory Committee on the Application of Science and Technology to Development
UNITAR  UN Institute for Training and Research
VNIISI  All-Union Scientific Institute of Systems Research
VNIPOU  All-Union Institute for Problems of Management of National Economy
WHO  World Health Organization
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