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#### ABBREVIATIONS

IMF	International Monetary Fund
Interpol	International Criminal Police Organization
OAU	Organization of African Unity
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
World Bank	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development