### REFERENCE II

## **Abbreviations**

**ACCOBAMS** Agreement on the Conservation of Cetaceans of the Black Sea,

Mediterranean Sea and Contiguous Atlantic Area

**AEERE** Agency for Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

**AEWA** African-Eurasian Waterbird Agreement

ARSO Slovenian Environment Agency

**ASFS** Association of Slovenian Forest Societies

**BAT** Best available techniques

C&D Construction and demolition waste
CARS Court of Audit of the Republic of Slovenia

**CBD** Convention on Biological Diversity

**CHP** Combined heat and power

CITES Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna

and Flora

COFOG Classification of the Functions of Governments
DAC Development Assistance Committee, OECD

**DMC** Domestic material consumption

DOPPS Society for the Study of Birds of Slovenia

DRBMP Danube River Basin Management Plan

EARS Energy Agency of the Republic of Slovenia

EBRD European Bank for Reconstruction and Development

EGS Environmental goods and services
EIA Environmental impact assessment

EIB European Investment Bank

ELVs End-of-life-tyres
ELVs End-of-life vehicles

EMAS EU Eco-Management and Audit Scheme
EnSvet Slovenia's Energy Advisory Network
EPA Environmental Protection Act
EPR Extended Producer Responsibility

ETS Emissions Trading System

**EU** European Union

**EUR** Euro

**EUROBATS** The Agreement on the Conservation of European Bats

**FASRB** Framework Agreement on the Sava River Basin

FDI Foreign direct investment
GDP Gross domestic product
GEF Global Environment Facility

GHGs Greenhouse gases
GLG Global Legal Group
GNI Gross national income
GPP Green Public Procurement
GPS Global Positioning System
HCB Hexachlorobenzene

ICPDR International Commission for the Protection of the Danube River

ICZM Integrated Coastal Zone Management

IEA International Energy Agency
IER Institute for Economic Research

IESP Inspectorate for the Environment and Spatial Planning
IMAD Institute for Macroeconomic Analysis and Development

**IMPEL** European Union Network for the Implementation and Enforcement

of Environmental Law

**INC** Institute of the Republic of Slovenia for Nature Conservation

IPPC Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control
ISO International Organization for Standardization

IUCN World Conservation Union (International Union for Conservation of Nature)

LEPs Local Energy Plans

LULUCF Land use, land-use change and forestry

MAFF Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Food

MAP UNEP Mediterranean Action Plan
MBT Mechanical biological treatment
MEA Multilateral environmental agreement

MESP Ministry of the Environment and Spatial Planning

MFA Ministry of Foreign Affairs

MHEST Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology

MoEcoMinistry of the EconomyMoFMinistry of FinanceMSWMunicipal solid wasteMVTMotor vehicle tax

NDP National Development Programme

NEAP National Environmental Action Programme

NEC National Emission Ceilings

NEEAP National Energy Efficiency Action Plan
NGO Non-governmental organisation

NIMBY "Not in my backyard"

NIMET "Not in my election time"

NNCP National Nature Conservation Programme
NRDP National Research and Development Programme

**ODA** Official development assistance

OPDETI Operational Programme for Environmental and Transport Infrastructure

Development

PE Population equivalent

Prior informed consent

PISA Programme for International Student Assessment, OECD

PV Solar photovoltaic

QASs Quality assurance systems
R&D Research and development

RDP Slovenian Rural Development Programme

RES Renewable energy sources

SDS Slovenia Development Strategy

SEA Strategic environmental assessment

SFS Slovenian Forest Service

SID Bank Slovenian Export and Development Bank
SMEs Small and medium-sized enterprises

**SORS** Statistical Office of the Republic of Slovenia

TFC Total final energy consumption

TOC Total organic carbon

**TPES** Total primary energy supply

**UNDP** United Nations Development Programme

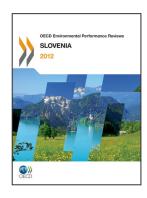
**UNECE** United Nations Economic Commission for Europe

**UNEP** United Nations Environment Programme

USD United States dollar
VAT Value added tax

WEEE Waste electrical and electronic equipment

WFD EU Water Framework Directive
WHO World Health Organization
WWF World Wide Fund for Nature



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