

## Appendix H

# Acronyms and Abbreviations

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<b>APG</b>	—Antarctic Policy Group	<b>NOAA</b>	—National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
<b>ATCP</b>	—Antarctic Treaty Consultative Party	<b>NSC</b>	—National Security Council
<b>ATS</b>	—Antarctic Treaty System	<b>NSF</b>	—National Science Foundation
<b>BLM</b>	—Bureau of Land Management	<b>ODP</b>	—Ocean Drilling program
<b>BOM</b>	—Bureau of Mines	<b>OCS</b>	—outer continental shelf
<b>CCAMLR</b>	—Convention on the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources	<b>OPEC</b>	—Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
<b>EEZ</b>	—Exclusive Economic Zone	<b>PGM</b>	—Platinum Group Metals
<b>ICSU</b>	—International Council of Scientific Unions	<b>SCAR</b>	—Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research
<b>ICJ</b>	—International Court of Justice	<b>SPA</b>	—Specially Protected Area
<b>IGY</b>	—International Geophysical Year	<b>SPR</b>	—Strategic Petroleum Reserve
<b>IWC</b>	—International Whaling Commission	<b>SSSI</b>	—Site of Special Scientific Interest
<b>MNAP</b>	—Managers of National Antarctic programs	<b>USAA</b>	—United States Antarctic Agency (possible future agency)
<b>MMS</b>	—Minerals Management Service	<b>USGS</b>	—United States Geological Survey
<b>NAMRAP</b>	—National Mineral Resources Assessment Program		
<b>NCP</b>	—Non-Consultative Party		
<b>NESDIS</b>	—National Environmental Satellite Data and Information Service		