

Acronyms and Abbreviations

ACOPS	Assistant CDF (Operations)
ADF	Australian Defence Force
ANU	The Australian National University
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
ARF	ASEAN Regional Forum
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
BCOF	British Commonwealth Occupation Force
CDF	Chief of the Defence Force
CDFS	Chief of the Defence Force Staff
CGS	Chief of the General Staff
CDS	Chief of Defence Staff
CJFA	Commander Joint Forces Australia
COMAFV	Commander Australian Force Vietnam
COMAST	Commander Australian Theatre
COMFLOT	Commodore Flotillas
COSC	Chiefs of Staff Committee
CSCAP	Council for Security Cooperation in the Asia-Pacific
DFAT	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
EAS	East Asia Summit
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
HQADF	Headquarters Australian Defence Force
HQAST	Headquarters Australian Theatre
INTERFET	International Force East Timor
IISS	International Institute for Strategic Studies
JI	Jemaah Islamiyah
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NEAT	Network of East Asian Think Tanks
PNG	Papua New Guinea
RAAF	Royal Australian Air Force
RAMSI	Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands
RAN	Royal Australian Navy
SARS	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome
SCO	Shanghai Cooperation Organization
SDSC	Strategic and Defence Studies Centre
UN	United Nations
USMC	United States Marine Corps
VCDF	Vice Chief of the Defence Force
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction