3Rs Reduce, reuse, recover (in the context of waste minimisation)

ABC Action Plan for a Beautiful and Clean Malaysia

AD Anaerobic Digestion
AFSB Alam Flora Sdn. Bhd.

BAT Best Available Technique

BATNECC Best Available Technology Not Entailing Excessive Cost

BBC Buy Back Centres

BOD Biochemical Oxygen Demand

BPEO Best Practicable Environmental Option

CA Concession Agreement

cap capita

CAPEX Capital Expenditure

CDC Curriculum Development Center

CHP Combined Heat and Power

CMIS Central Management Information System

COD Chemical Oxygen Demand
CWM Clinical Waste Management

DANCED Danish Cooperation for Environment and Development

DBKL Dewan Bandaraya Kuala Lumpur

DG Director General

DID Drainage and Irrigation Department
DLG Department of Local Government

DOE Department of Environment
DOS Department of Statistics

EfW Energy from Waste

EIA Environmental Impact Assessment

EPU Economic Planning Unit

EQA Environmental Quality Act

EXCO State Executive Committee

FCR Full Cost Recovery
FG Federal Government

F/S Feasibility Study

FIRR Financial Internal Rate Return

GDP Gross Domestic Product

GIS Geographical Information System

GOM Government of Malaysia
GSP Genting Sanyen Paper

HA (ha) Hectare

HDPE High Density Polyethylene

IWK Indah Water Konsortium Sdn. Bhd.

ICT Information and Communications Technology
IETC International Environmental Technology Centre

IRPA Intensified Research In Priority Areas
ISWA International Solid Waste Association
JETRO Japan External Trade Organization

JICA Japan International Cooperation Agency

KA Kualiti Alam Sdn. Bhd.

Kg/cap/day kilograms per capita per day

KL Kuala Lumpur

KTMB Keretapi Tanah Melayu Berhad

LA Local Authority

LAP Local Areas Plan

LOPE Low Density Polyethylene
LGA Local Government Act 1976

LI Light Industry

LIBOR London Inter Bank Offered Rate

LP Local Plans

MARDI Malaysian Agriculture Research & Development Institute

MBJB Majlis Bandaraya Johor Bahru
MCA Malaysia Chinese Association
MIS Management Information System
MPBP Majlis Perbandaran Batu Pahat

MPJBT Majlis Perbandaran Johor Bahru Tengah

MDK Majlis Daerah Kulai

MPKI Majlis Perbandaran Kluang
MDM Majlis Perbandaran Muar

MPPD Majlis Perbandaran Port Dickson

MPN Majlis Perbandaran Nilai MDS Majlis Daerah Segamat

MHLG Ministry of Housing & Local Government

MINT Malaysia Institute for Nuclear Technology Research

MIS Management Information System
MPPJ Majlis Perbandaran Petaling Jaya

MNI Malaysian Newsprint Industry

MOE Ministry of Education
MOH Ministry of Health

MOSTE Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment

M/P Master Plan

MPK Majlis Perbandaran Kelang

MPMA Malaysian Plastic Manufacturer Association

MPMBB Majlis Perbandaran Melaka Bandar Bersejarah

MPPP Majlis Perbandaran Pulau Pinang
MPS Majlis Perbandaran Seremban

MPSP Majlis Perbandaran Seberang Perai

MRC Mobile Recycling Centres

MRF Material Recovery Facilities

MSC Multimedia Super Corridor

MSL Minimum Service Levels

MSWA Municipal Solid Waste Association

MUCED-I&UA Malaysian Universities Consortium for Environment and

Development-Industry & Urban Areas

NCLG National Council for Local Government

NDP National Development Policy

NEC New Economic Policy

NEEP Newspaper Environment Education Programme

NGO Non-government Organisations

NIMBY Not-In-My-Back-Yard

NLC National Land Code 1965

NPPC National Physical Planning Council

NPV Net Present Value

NSP National Strategic Plan

NST New Straits Times

NWISB Northern Waste Industries Sdn. Bhd.

NVP National Vision Policy

NWRS National Water Resources Study

OBW Other Bulk Waste

OPEX Operation Expenditure

OPP3 Third Outline Perspective Plan

PBTPG Pihak Berkuasa Tempatan Pasir Gudang

PET Polyethylene Terapthalate
PHA Public Health Assistants
PHI Public Health Inspectors

POPs Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants

PP Polypropylene

PREP Public Relations and Education Programme

PS Polystyrene

PSN National Spatial Plan

PSS Privatisation of Sewerage Services

PVC Polyvinyl Chloride

RESP Rural Environmental Sanitation Programme

RFN Rancangan Fizikal Negara (National Physical Plan)

RDF Refuse Derived Fuel
RM-7 Seventh Malaysia Plan
RM-8 Eighth Malaysia Plan

SDBA Street, Drainage and Building Act 1974

SERI Socio-Economic & Environmental Research Institute

SG State Government

SIRIM Standard & Industrial Research Institute Malaysia

SP Structure Plans

SPC State Planning Committee
SSA Sewerage Services Act 1993
SSD Sewerage Services Department

SWM Solid Waste Management

SWMAE Selangor Waters Management Authority Enactment

SWMSB Southern Waste Management Sdn. Bhd.
TCPA Town and Country Planning Act, 1976

TOR Terms Of Reference

TPD Tonne Per Day

TSS Total Suspended Solids

UKM Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia

UM Universiti Malaya

UPM Universiti Putra Malaysia
UMS Universiti Malaysia Sabah

UNEP United Nations Environment Programme

UNESCO United Nations Educational, Scientific Cultural Organisation

USM Universiti Sains Malaysia

UTM Universiti Teknologi Malaysia
WHO World Health Organisation
WMP Waste Management Plan

WTP Willingness to Pay

WWF World Wildlife Foundation
YEC Yachiyo Engineering Co. Ltd.