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GLOSSARY

AKP: *Adalet ve Kalkınma Partisi*

CEDAW: Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women

CoE: Council of Europe

CHP: *Cumhuriyet Halk Partisi*

DEVA: *Demokrasi ve Atılım Partisi*

DTP: *Demokratik Toplum Partisi*

EU: European Union

EMEP: *Emek Partisi*

FETO: Fethullah Terrorist Organization

GREVIO: The Group of Experts on Action Against Violence Against Women

GNAT: Grand National Assembly of Turkey

GONGO: Government Non – Governmental Organization

IYI: Good Party

KADEM: *Kadın ve Democracy Derneği*

LGBTQ+: Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, *Queer+*

MHP: *Milliyetçi Hareket Partisi*

PKK: *Partiya Karkeren Kurdistan*

RP: *Refah Partisi*

TUSIAD: Turkish Industry & Business Association

UN: United Nation

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